

Anticipated impact
Bylaw amendment
Inclusion of IDNccTLDs in ccNSO

ccNSO membership

ccTLD Managers ==> linked to Territory

See <https://itp.cdn.icann.org/en/files/country-code-names-supporting-organization-council-cc-nso-council/proposed-icann-bylaws-amendments-article-10-annex-b-21jan2022-en.pdf>

“**ccTLD manager**” is the organization or entity responsible for managing a ccTLD according to and under the current heading “Delegation Record” in the Root Zone Database, or under any later modification, for that country-code top-level domain.

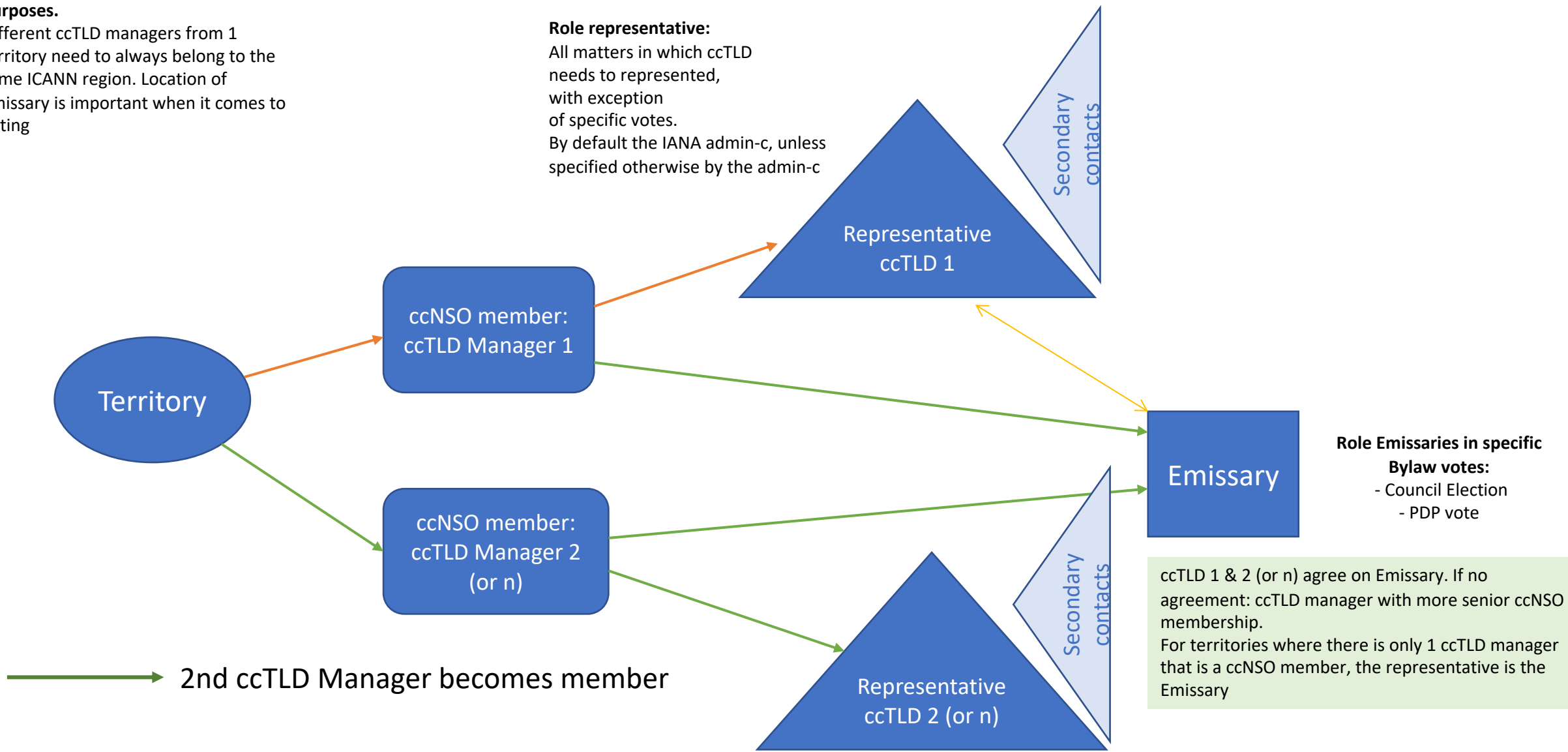
“**Territory**” is defined to be the country, dependency or other area of particular geopolitical interest listed on the ‘International Standard ISO 3166-1, Codes for the representation of names of countries and their subdivisions – Part 1: Country Codes’, or, in some exceptional cases listed on the reserved ISO 3166-1 code elements

Territory: linked to ICANN geographical region, for ccNSO purposes.

Different ccTLD managers from 1 territory need to always belong to the same ICANN region. Location of Emissary is important when it comes to voting

Role representative:
All matters in which ccTLD needs to be represented, with exception of specific votes. By default the IANA admin-c, unless specified otherwise by the admin-c

Secondary contact for ccNSO purposes only. back-up for the representatives



Territory

ccNSO member:
ccTLD Manager 1

ccNSO member:
ccTLD Manager 2
(or n)

Representative
ccTLD 1

Secondary
contacts

Emissary

**Role Emissaries in specific
Bylaw votes:**
- Council Election
- PDP vote

ccTLD 1 & 2 (or n) agree on Emissary. If no agreement: ccTLD manager with more senior ccNSO membership.
For territories where there is only 1 ccTLD manager that is a ccNSO member, the representative is the Emissary

→ 2nd ccTLD Manager becomes member

Representative
ccTLD 2 (or n)

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Changes to Procedures

- ccNSO membership application form

https://www.icann.org/forms/ccnso_membership

- Council Election Guideline

- Needs to updated to reflect amended Article 10
- section 10.4 (e) , (h), (i).

- Board Nomination Guideine

- Currently nomination & vote by members
- Question: should either be the Emissary (per Territory) or Representative (per ccTLD Manager)?

- Rules of the ccNSO:

- Members (veto) vote: should be Emissary or Representative?
- Impact on quorum: should be 33% of Members or Emissaries (Territories)?