Statement of Interest for RSSAC Caucus

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Affiliation and Current Position: Data Center Operations Manager at Bangladesh Computer Council

Relevant Qualifications:
I am a network engineer having in-depth technical knowledge and operational experience of the DNS. I have worked with ISPs, NRENs, data centers, transit providers and universities to help build and operate network infrastructure including the DNS. I am heavily involved in local and regional NOGs in South Asia. I am a volunteer instructor with the NSRC to conduct workshops related to network design and operations including DNS and DNSSEC in the developing region. I am also an APNIC Community Trainer teaching network operational technologies in APAC region.

Motivation for membership in the RSSAC Caucus:
I am highly motivated to have positive contributions to the global Internet. I have strong interest in the protocol design and operations of DNS, and the evolution of it in coming days. I would like to engage in the discussions related to operations, security, stability, resiliency and scalability of the global DNS system. RSSAC Caucus would be a great place to participate in effective discussions on the root DNS operations.

Indication of availability:
I can devote up to 8 hours per month for RSSAC Caucus activities. I am mostly available to attend online calls and would join Caucus meetings either remotely or in-person.

Formal roles (if any) and interests in the work of RSSAC:
I do not have any formal role in the RSSAC. I follow DNS-OARC and IETF DNSOP mailing-lists. I am interested to contribute to the security of the Root DNS operations.

Links where appropriate: https://www.linkedin.com/in/awalece/