Thick WHOIS Policy Implementation

Meeting with the IRT | 19 July 2016
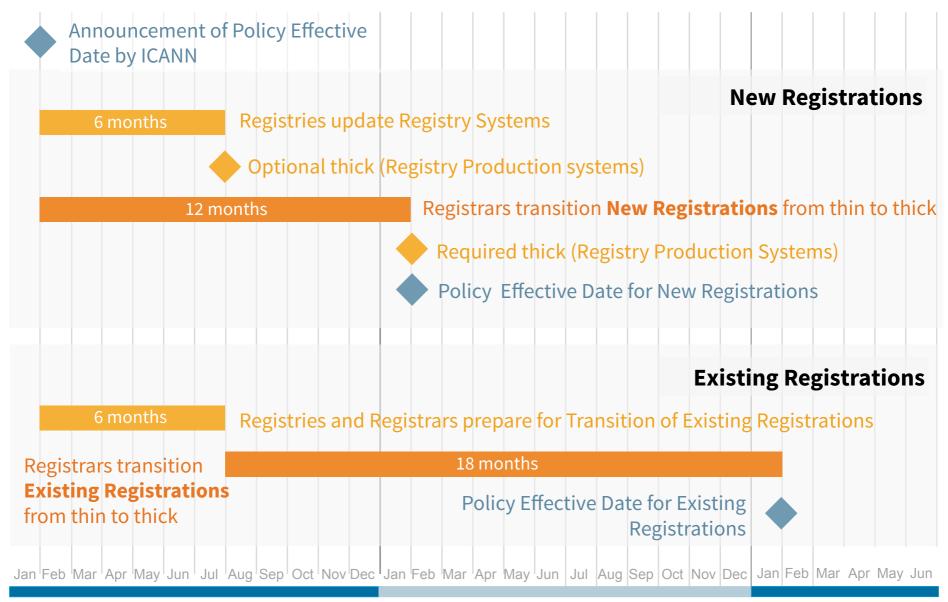
Agenda

- ⊙ Updates
  - – Update on revised policy language per discussion by IRT (Staff)
  - – Notification of GNSO per WG Rec. #3 (Verisign)

- ⊙ Transition from thin to thick
  - – Discussion of revised timeline
  - – Discussion of open items on implementation path scorecard

Transition Implementation Path – Timeline (29 June IRT)

◆ Announcement of Policy Effective Date by ICANN

New Registrations

6 months — Registries update Registry Systems

◆ Optional thick (Registry Production systems)

12 months — Registrars transition **New Registrations** from thin to thick

◆ Required thick (Registry Production Systems)

◆ Policy Effective Date for New Registrations

Existing Registrations

6 months — Registries and Registrars prepare for Transition of Existing Registrations

Registrars transition **Existing Registrations** from thin to thick

18 months

◆ Policy Effective Date for Existing Registrations

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Transition Implementation Path – Timeline (12 July IRT)

◆ Announcement of Policy Effective Date by ICANN

New Registrations

| 6 months | Registries update Registry Systems |

◆ Registry OT&E Opens

◆ Optional thick (Registry Production systems)

| 12 months | Registrars transition **New Registrations** from thin to thick |

◆ Required thick (Registry Production Systems)

◆ Policy Effective Date for New Registrations

Existing Registrations

| 6 months | Registries prepare for Transition |

◆ Registry OT&E Opens

| 3 months | Registrars prepare for transition |

| 18 months | Registrars Transition data from thin to thick |

◆ Policy Effective Date for Existing Registrations

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