

**Security Framework  
Drafting Team  
F2F Meeting**

**Discussion of Scope  
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# Why are we here?

- Deliver on the commitment made by the NGPC to the GAC regarding ICANN soliciting community participation in a task force or through a PDP to develop a framework for Registry Operators to respond to identified threats, notification procedures and appropriate consequences

# We are not here to...

- Clarify an existing obligation in the Registry Agreement;
  - Obligations relate to conducting the technical analysis, maintaining statistical reports and providing these to ICANN;
  - No obligation relates to *how* a Registry Operator is to respond to identified threats.

# What this Framework is

- A set of **principles** and **ideas** that may be used by Registry Operators in deciding on how they should respond to security threats with the general objective of mitigating security threats

# What this Framework is not

- a legally binding obligation on Registry Operators;
- a set of rules that specify how a Registry Operator should respond to security threats;
- a document that creates a presumption of compliance with the Registry Agreement;

# Scope

- Clarification of Registry Operator's role in the DNS ecosystem
- responses to security threats
- notification procedures
- appropriate consequences
- Discussion regarding ensuring respect given to privacy and confidentiality matters
- Case Studies

# Guiding Principles in Drafting Effort

- Framework to be universal or not at all i.e. applicable to types of TLDs and business models
- No mapping responses to threat types
- Registry Operator policies govern all
- Must be cognizant of Registry Operator role in DNS ecosystem