



Preliminary Issue Report - New gTLD Subsequent Procedures

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Why is it Important?



Background

The community felt that analysis and discussion of the 2012 round of the New gTLD Program could begin and the GNSO Council formed a Discussion Group (DG) in June 2014 to discuss experiences gained from the 2012 round and identify subjects for a future issue report that might lead to changes or adjustments for subsequent application procedures.



GNSO Council Requests Preliminary Issue Report

With the DG completing its work in June 2015, the GNSO Council considered the DG's final deliverables and resolved to request a Preliminary Issue Report on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures, using the deliverables as the basis for research and analysis.



Public Comment

ICANN Staff completed the Preliminary Issue Report on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures and published it for public comment on 31 August 2015, with a close date of 30 October:

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/new-gtld-subsequent-prelim-2015-08-31-en>

Current Status & Next Steps

Current status

- Preliminary Issue Report on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures establishes the initial scope for a possible PDP
- Includes 5 Provisional groupings, each with a set of subjects – total of 38 subjects
- Includes preliminary thoughts on work processes

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Next Steps

- Complete public comment summary and analysis
- Complete Final Issue Report and provide to GNSO Council for deliberations and possible initiation of a PDP

More Information

- ⦿ Public Comment for Preliminary Issue Report on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures. Comments are due by 30 September - <https://www.icann.org/public-comments/new-gtld-subsequent-prelim-2015-08-31-en>

Dublin Activities

- ⦿ New gTLD Program: Reviews and Related Activities
14:00-15:15
- ⦿ Preliminary Issue Report on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures Update
– Wednesday 21 October from 10:45 – 12:15 local time

Other information

- ⦿ Summary of DG Activities:
<http://gnso.icann.org/en/group-activities/active/non-pdp-new-gtld>