

IDN Implementation Guidelines (IDNG) Working Group (WG)

Notes from the meeting on 14 September 2017

Meeting Attendees (in alphabetical order)

WG members:

1. Dennis Tanaka
2. Mats Dufberg
3. Satish Babu

Staff:

4. Pitinan Kooarmornpatana

Meeting Notes

The WG continued the discussion on the IDN Implementation Guidelines.

1. **Guideline 13(a).** The WG discussed and confirmed that the word “corresponding registrar” means the registrar of the record. It was agreed to edit the wording accordingly to make it clearer.

It was discussed that the word “disposition” is a terminology in RFC7940 which might not be understandable for registries who use IDN table in non-XML LGR format. It was agreed to rephrase 13(a) while being mindful that it remains reasonable for all registries.

2. **Guideline 13(b).** The WG discussed that it should be clear that the exception case is only on need basis and it was agreed to address the text from comments 19, 20 and 21 in the document. It was discussed that 13(a) and 13(b) are linked, so the WG agreed to merge the two items.
3. **Guideline 13(c).** The WG agreed to revise this guideline when conducting the overall review pass as it overlaps with some other guidelines which require registry operators to publish their IDN policy. In such case, the merged recommendation may list the items to be included explicitly.
4. **Guideline 14.** The WG agreed to insert “Unicode” as suggested in Comment 24. It also agreed to refer to each item as a “guideline” (alternate use of “recommendation” was discussed).
5. **Guideline 15.** The WG agreed to insert “across these IDN table” as suggestion in Comment 26. It was agreed to create the Implementation Notes section and move the last sentence to that section.
6. **ICANN60 Preparation.** The WG was informed that the session during ICANN60 is on Sunday, 29 October at 3.15PM-4.45PM. The WG agreed to prepare the presentation in the next meeting.

Action Items

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1	<i>Rephrase 13(a) and 13(b) as discussed by the WG</i>	<i>DT</i>
2	<i>Mark last sentence of Guideline 15 to be included in an Implementation Notes section (this section to be added)</i>	<i>PK</i>