IDN Implementation Guidelines (IDNG) Working Group (WG)

Notes from the meeting on 19 April 2018

Meeting Attendees (in alphabetical order)

WG members:

- 1. Edmon Chung
- 2. Dennis Tanaka
- 3. Kal Feher
- 4. Mats Dufberg

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5. Sarmad Hussain

Meeting Notes

The WG continued the discussion on community feedback received on the IDN Implementation Guidelines following the second public comment.

 Revision of the Guidelines 12, 15 and 16. The WG discussed if revisions were needed and generally agreed that the recommendations in their current wording were ok and did not need to be revised. The WG also agreed to consider references to particular languages through additional notes.

For the Guideline 12, the WG agreed to include a reference to Chinese language as a case where existing practice could be used.

The WG also discussed allowing mixing of scripts with script properties "common" and "inherited" in Guideline 15. The WG discussed that the guideline has existed and if it is needed to call this case more explicit. It was suggested that this could also be included as an additional note with relevant code points allowed for mixing with other scripts.

For Guideline 15, it was also agreed to add an additional note for capturing Japanese language due to use of Hiragana, Katakana and Han. The WG also agreed to include Chinese, Japanese and Korean as scripts mixing Latin letters a-z.

Action Items

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1	Draft a note for including Chinese language having a practice of automatic activation.	SH
2	Draft a note stating that relevant "common" and "inherited" script code point are not prevented from use due to the restriction on script mixing	SH
3	Include a note for listing Chinese Japanese and Korean languages as examples which mix scripts with Latin "a-z". In addition, Japanese included as it mixes Hiragana, Katakana and Han scripts	SH