

1. Introduction

To assist the [Next-Generation gTLD RDS PDP Working Group](#) with next-step deliberation on possible RDS policy requirements discussed at ICANN57, all WG Members are invited to respond to the following poll no later than *25 November (midnight UTC)*. Once this poll closes, results will be summarized on the [RDS PDP WG wiki](#) and used to inform further deliberation on possible requirements in an [upcoming WG meeting](#).

For more about possible requirements, including numbering/notation, please visit <https://community.icann.org/x/shOOAw>.
For more about this poll, including proposed steps to progress deliberation, please visit <https://community.icann.org/x/v4-DAw>.

Please consider each poll question not only in light of your own ideal answer, but also in light of what you understand about views of other WG members to help us more quickly reach rough consensus for possible requirements. Note that we are not at this stage making any final recommendations but rather trying to come up with draft recommendations for further deliberation (which will include word-smithing). Only after public comment on all draft recommendations has been completed will we formally assess WG member support for each recommendation, so please understand that there will be plenty of opportunity to refine your positions later. At the same time, the more accurate the recommendations drafted during WG deliberation, the less likely it will be that we must make major changes later.

Note: Be sure to use the Previous and Next buttons to navigate forwards and backwards when taking this poll. If you exit in the middle of the poll (for example, by accidentally hitting your browser's "back" arrow), just use the same link to continue taking the poll. You can use Previous and Next buttons to review and revise responses until you click the Submit button at the end of the poll.

* Your name (must be a RDS PDP WG Member)

2. [UP-D01-R01] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Users/Purposes Possible Requirement [UP-D01-R01]

“In support of ICANN’s mission to coordinate the global Internet’s system of unique identifiers, and to ensure the stable and secure operation of the Internet’s unique identifier system, information about gTLD domain names is necessary to promote trust and confidence in the Internet for all stakeholders.” (p. 16, Section IIb, Purpose)

Source Document 01: EWG Final Report

Similar to:

Draft Statement of Purpose

2.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [UP-D01-R01]:

- Delete as possible requirement and treat as input to the Statement of Purpose
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to information about gTLD domain names
- Other (please specify)

2.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [UP-D01-R01], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) Information about gTLD domain names is necessary to:
promote trust and confidence in the Internet.

b) Information about gTLD domain names is necessary to:
support ICANN’s mission to coordinate the global Internet’s system of unique identifiers.

c) Information about gTLD domain names is necessary to:
ensure the stable and secure operation of the Internet’s unique identifier system.

Other (please specify)

“Level of Support” pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

3. [UP-D01-R02] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Users/Purposes Possible Requirement [UP-D01-R02]:

“gTLD registration data [must be] collected, validated and disclosed for permissible purposes only.” (p. 21, p. 31 Principle 6)

Source Document 01: EWG Final Report

Similar to:

[UP-D01-R03]

gTLD registration directory services must “accommodate in some manner all identified permissible purposes”, including the following users and permissible purposes. (pp. 21-25, 27-29) – see [UP-D01-R04 to R14]

[UP-D19-R01]

Based on the ICANN Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) proposed principles and recommendations related to gTLD WHOIS services on the basis of general public policy issues, gTLD WHOIS [that is, registration directory] services should reflect and respect the following functions: detailed in [UP-D19-R02 to R09]

3.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [UP-D01-R02]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to gTLD registration data
- Other (please specify)

3.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [UP-D01-R02], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) RDS policies may require collection of gTLD registration data for specific permissible purposes only; RDS policies must not require collection for other purposes.

b) RDS policies may require gTLD registration data to be validated to the level of accuracy needed by any specific permissible purpose; RDS policies must not require validation beyond that level.

c) RDS policies may require gTLD registration data be disclosed for specific permissible purposes only; RDS policies must not require disclosure for other purposes.

d) RDS policies must not prevent contracted parties from collecting data for other purposes; such data (if any) is beyond the scope of RDS policies.

e) RDS policies must present the purpose(s) for collection of gTLD registration data to the registrant and gain permission prior to collection.

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

4. [DE-D01-R01] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Data Elements Possible Requirement [DE-D01-R01]

The [gTLD registration directory service] must accommodate purpose-driven disclosure of data elements.

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Similar to:

[UP-D01-R35]

Purpose-based contact data must be provided for every registered domain name which makes public the union of data elements that are mandatory.

[DE-D01-R07]

Each [gTLD registration] data element must be associated with a set of permissible purposes.

4.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [DE-D01-R01]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to *disclosure* of gTLD registration data elements
- Other (please specify)

4.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [DE-D01-R01], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) RDS policies may require that disclosure of gTLD registration data elements be controlled and based upon the user's declared specific purpose.

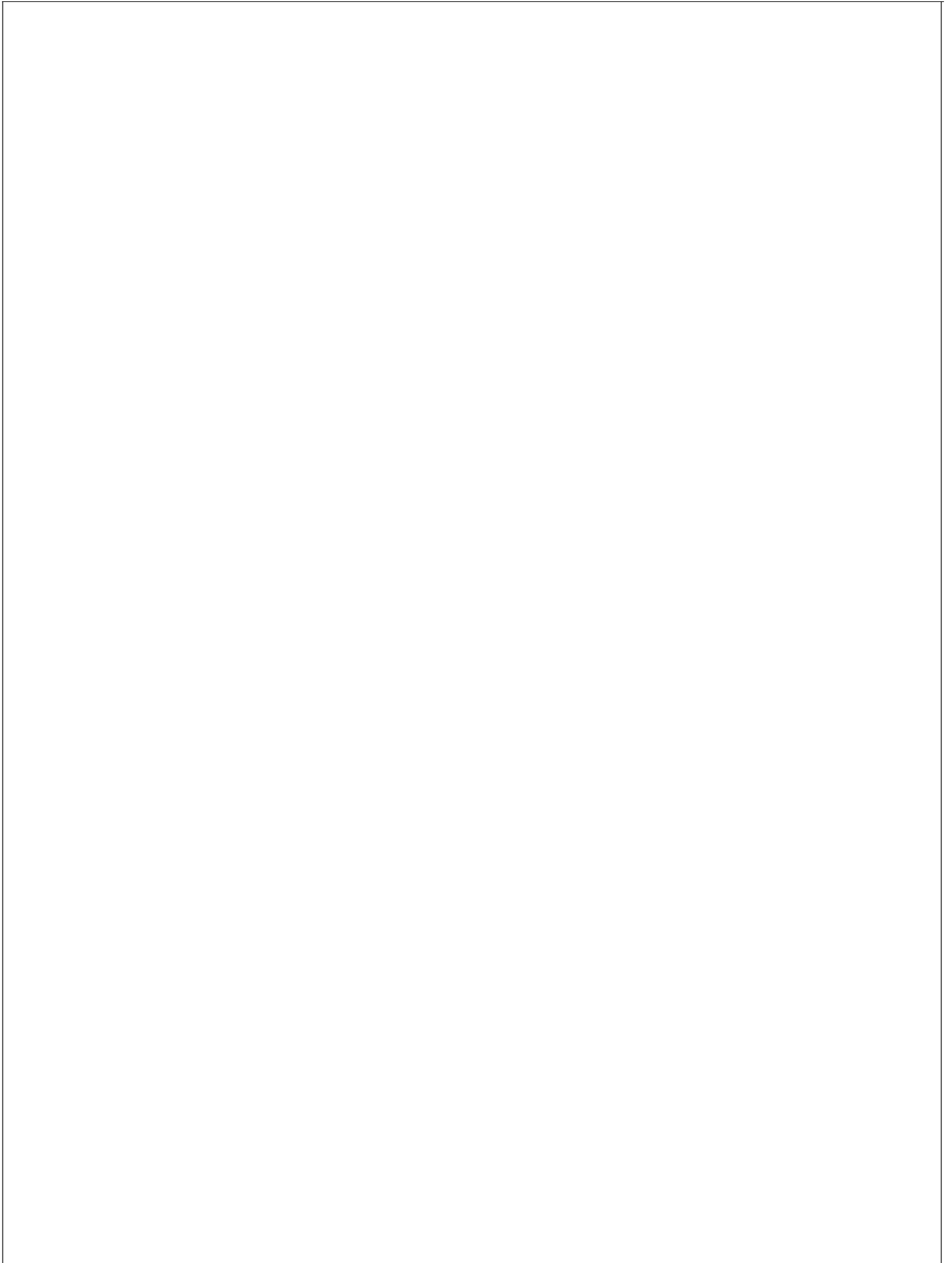
b) RDS policies must be precise about which (if any) gTLD registration data elements are public (that is, disclosed to all users, for all permissible purposes).

c) RDS policies must be precise about which (if any) gTLD registration data elements are not public (that is, disclosed only to some users and/or for some permissible purposes).

d) RDS policies must be precise about the set of permissible purposes associated with each gTLD registration data element.

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion



5. [DE-D01-R22] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Data Elements Possible Requirement [DE-D01-R22]

Validators, Registries and Registrars may collect, store, or disclose additional data elements for internal use that is never shared with the [gTLD registration directory service].

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Similar to:

[DE-D01-R19]

To avoid collecting more data than necessary, all other Registrant-supplied data not enumerated above and used for at least one permissible purpose must be optionally collected at the Registrant's discretion. Validators, Registries and Registrars must allow for this data to be collected and stored if the Registrant so chooses.

5.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [DE-D01-R22]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to *collection* of gTLD registration data elements
- Other (please specify)

5.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [DE-D01-R22], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) RDS policies may require specific *mandatory* data elements to be collected from Registrants and shared with the RDS.

b) RDS policies may allow specific *optional* data elements to be collected from Registrants and shared with the RDS, at the Registrant's discretion.

c) RDS policies must not require all data elements shared with the RDS to be disclosed. [Note: Refer to DE-D01-R01 for recommendations about disclosure.]

d) RDS policies must allow *gTLD-specific* data elements to be collected from Registrants, as defined by the Registry's policies for that gTLD.

e) RDS policies must not prevent contracted parties from collecting, storing, or disclosing data elements that are never shared with the RDS and thus out of scope.

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

6. [DE-D12-R02] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Data Elements Possible Requirement [DE-D12-R02]

The [gTLD registration directory service] should collect and display uniform sets of data regardless of the registry involved. (sec. 5.2)

Source Document D12: GNSO PDP on Thick WHOIS Final Report (2013)

Similar to:

[DE-D12-R01]

Registration information from all registries should follow consistent rules for labeling and display, as per the model outlined in specification 3 of the 2013 RAA. (Rec. #1)

6.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [DE-D12-R02]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to gTLD registration data elements
- Other (please specify)

6.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [DE-D12-R02], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) RDS policies must require *uniform* labeling and display of *common* gTLD registration data, regardless of the registry involved.

b) RDS policies must require *consistent* labeling and display of *common* gTLD registration data, regardless of the registry involved.

c) RDS policies must allow for labeling and display of *gTLD-specific* registration data as defined by the Registry's policies for that gTLD.

d) RDS policies for consistent labeling and display of gTLD registration data should not constrain policies for data collection and disclosure.

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

7. [DE-D19-R01] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Data Elements Possible Requirement [DE-D19-R01]

Based on the ICANN Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) proposed principles, gTLD [registration directory] services "should provide sufficient and accurate data about domain name registrations and registrants (...)" (para 3.3)

Source Document 19: GAC Principles regarding gTLD WHOIS Services (28 March 2007)

Similar to:

[DA-D19-R01] (duplicate)

7.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [DE-D19-R01]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to gTLD registration data elements
- Other (please specify)

7.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [DE-D19-R01], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

	Level of Support
a) RDS policies must include a definition of "sufficient" registration data about domain names and Registrants	<input type="text"/>
b) RDS policies must include a definition of "accurate" registration data about domain names and Registrants	<input type="text"/>
c) RDS policies must require <i>sufficient</i> registration data about domain names and Registrants	<input type="text"/>
d) RDS policies must require <i>accurate</i> registration data about domain names and Registrants	<input type="text"/>

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

8. [PR-D30-R05] - Next Steps for Deliberation

In follow up to initial deliberation on Privacy Possible Requirement [PR-D30-R05]

The requirement for a third country to ensure an adequate level of data protection was further defined by the CJEU in Schrems...It also indicated that the wording 'adequate level of protection' must be understood as "requiring the third country in fact to ensure, by reason of its domestic law or its international commitments, a level of protection of fundamental rights and freedoms that is essentially equivalent to that guaranteed within the European Union by virtue of the Directive read in the light of the Charter" pg.10

Source Document 30: Opinion 01/2016 on the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield draft adequacy decision of the Article 29 WP 238

Similar to:

[UP-D30-R02] (duplicate)

8.1) Choose one of the following resolutions for [PR-D30-R05]:

- Delete as possible requirement
- Retain for further deliberation to help shape specific policy requirements pertaining to gTLD registration data privacy
- Other (please specify)

8.2) Please indicate your level of support for the following draft recommendation(s) derived from initial WG deliberation on [PR-D30-R05], understanding that all responses are preliminary and will only be used to inform next-step deliberation:

Level of Support

a) RDS policies must include a definition of "adequate level of protection" for gTLD registration data

b) RDS policies must include a definition of "third country" as it pertains to gTLD registration data

c) When gTLD registration data is transferred across national borders, RDS policies must require the third country to ensure an adequate level of protection for that data

d) RDS policies must allow contracted parties to comply with applicable law

e) RDS policies must provide an adequate level of protection for gTLD registration data

Other (please specify)

"Level of Support" pull-down choices: Could support as-is, Might support with refinement, Could not support in any form, No opinion

9. Conclusion - Submit your Responses

9) Did you encounter any problems when completing this poll? If so, please explain what you found confusing or difficult to help us refine this tool and improve future polls:

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