

ACTION ITEM: Drafting teams to engage in call(s) and email discussion over the next 2-3 weeks to flesh out proposed definitions for RDS purposes.

OUTPUT: To enable better understanding of existing purposes for WHOIS data, a drafting team of max 7 people with diverse points of view will be chosen to define each identified purpose. Each drafting team should discuss the tasks supported by the purpose, the parties involved in the purpose, and the data often used to fulfill that purpose. Ideally, this information should be captured in a ~2 page definition of the purpose by fleshing out the template given below.

There is no assumption that drafting team members believe the purpose should or should not be legitimate. Rather, the team should focus on helping the full WG understand what the assigned purpose IS, the role that gTLD registration data plays in that purpose, and the parties that often request WHOIS data today for that purpose. It is hoped that fleshing out purpose definitions in this manner will foster communication and help the WG conduct informed discussion about all identified purposes before trying to forge further agreements on legitimacy, collection & access.

INPUTS: Teams are asked to consider the following (at minimum) as input to definitions:

- RDS PDP WG agreements in [KeyConceptsDeliberation-WorkingDraft.PDF](#) and [DOC](#) (also listed in summary form here: [List of WG Agreements to Date](#) as of 3 October 2017)
- Section 3 and Annex C of [EWG Recommendations for a Next-Generation RDS](#)
- The [representative set of example use cases](#) developed by the RDS PDP WG

TIMELINE: All WG members interested in participating in a drafting team should respond to this week's poll by COB Wednesday 11 October. Volunteers will be assigned to teams on Thursday 12 October, allowing work to start on Friday 13 October. Drafting teams are asked to discuss their assigned purpose by phone and email the weeks of 16 and 23 October in lieu of regularly scheduled WG calls. Draft purpose definitions are to be submitted to the full WG mailing list no later than 26 October for discussion during the WG's F2F meetings at ICANN60.

TEMPLATE:

Purpose Name: <purpose name, as identified in existing RDS PDP WG agreements>

Definition: Describe the purpose succinctly in one paragraph, identifying who, what, and why (e.g., this purpose makes it possible for X to contact Y to resolve problems associated with Z.)

Tasks: List and briefly describe tasks commonly involved in carrying out this purpose. Hint: Specific use cases for each purpose may be helpful as a starting point for enumerating tasks.

Users: Describe the parties who often access gTLD registration data in pursuit of this purpose.

Data: List of gTLD registration data often involved in this purpose – for contact data, please identify the data subject (e.g., registrant, tech contact, registrar, etc.) and data element(s) as applicable.