Dear Kurt,

I thank you for proposing this in the interest of economy of time and effort, I think its a good way to get to know each other, and in case anyone's really interested to know more then also providing them with the resources to do a detailed lookup without taking away for the core purpose of this team.

So just to tell everyone briefly about myself and at the risk of repeating what's already there in my SOI(recently updated) for the record:

Hi All EPDP Members/ Alternates/ Liaisons/Observers

I am Rahul Gosain and I am a Director in the Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Government of India. I have an abiding interest in Internet Governance and among other IG related fora, I have also been involved in the GAC at ICANN since 2015. Among some of the areas in which I have been involved as part of my stint with the GAC, I have been a member of the PSWG where I have had some opportunity to follow WHOIS and related Public Safety related public policy issues. I am also looking at Cybersecurity issues, especially as they pertain to the Promotion of Digital Payments in India and hence would be very interested to see what possible implications can any changes to the current WHOIS have in terms of its implications for cybersecurity as it relates to Digital transactions.

I hope that the above brief description serves the purpose.

Best Wishes to all,

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