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YESIM NAZLAR: Good morning, good afternoon, and good evening to everyone. Welcome to the APRALO monthly call taking place on Thursday 19th July 2018 at 06:00 UTC. On the call today we have Satish Babu, Maureen Hilyard, Maheeshwara Kirindigoda, Shreedeeep Rayamajhi, Ahmad Alsadeh, Pavan Budhrani, Tomohiro Fujisaki, Kaili Kan, Amrita Chouhury, Justine Chew, and I am checking if I missed anyone... On the Chinese channel, currently we don't have anyone participating. We have received apologies from Holly Raiche, Cheryl Langdon-Orr, and Suhaidi Hassan. From staff side, we have Silvia Vivanco and myself Yesim Nazlar. Our Chinese interpreters for today's call are Ray Chao and Sandy, and before we start I would like to remind everyone to state their names before speaking, not only for the transcription but also for the interpretation purposes as well please. Just a kind reminder for those who are on the phone bridge, please don't forget to use star 6 to mute your lines, and star 7 to unmute your lines. Back to you Satish, thank you very much.

SATISH BABU: Thank you very much Yesim, this is Satish Babu for the record. Welcome to the combined June/July call of APRALO, last month we had decided to move the June call because most of us were traveling to Panama, so I think people are still kind of joining in but welcome to everyone who has taken the time off to attend this call, during this call we will be making a few announcements that are important for the way ahead, but clearly in view of the fact that the at-large review implementation would start quite soon and there could be changes, in fact invasive

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changes depending on how the plan really unfolds, in the way the RALOs and the ALSes and the individual members all work together towards fulfilling the vision of the at-large in ICANN, which is largely to contribute to the policy development processes around the names, numbers, and protocols parameters. There are also other things that we would be doing but this is the policy central and we would like to reiterate that aspect. With that we will now move onto the next item in the agenda, which is the membership matters. Currently, you have on screen the membership [inaudible]. So, we have one application, which is an ALS from India, the [inaudible] foundation. Evin has circulated the two documents as part of the due diligence that has been done by staff, so some of us may have prior exposure to this group so feel free to respond in the email, if you have any positive or negative observations on the documents submitted, or your prior exposure to the [inaudible], if you have had any. Amrita says she knows the organization, so we would be, of course, looking at the response on the list and then making a recommendation to ALAC over the next few days. Feel free to provide us with your comments. We have no other people or organizations in the pipeline, so this is a little bit of a lean time for us, membership wise. We look forward to adding more members, but clearly individual members because... they may be... you know kind of, maybe easier for them to, you know, kind of connect to the membership... the policy processes that we are prioritizing now.

With that we move onto the next item in the agenda which is a pleasant announcement for all of us in Asia-Pacific, we have had an election at Panama of the ALAC chair, and it is my... it's the privilege for all of us that Maureen Hilyard, our ALAC member has got elected as the next

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ALAC chair. Congratulations Maureen on behalf of all of us, and I would like to request Maureen to speak to us for a minute about what she is planning to do as the incoming ALAC chair. Over to you Maureen.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

Oh, thank you very much Satish. This is Maureen for the record. Yes... what I plan to do. Well, the very first thing of course, things like electing... choosing vice-chairs and that kinds of stuff. Today, just today I was involved selecting the two members and the two alternate whom will make up the ALAC team that is going to represent the ALAC on the EPDP, this is something that [inaudible] over the next year because it's the expedited policy development process, so it's going to be looking at the temporary [inaudible] in relation to the GDPR, the general data protection regulation of the EU. We... I mean, already as soon as I was appointed in Panama [inaudible], it's been pretty full on, so I will be attending APRALO meeting as much as I can and they will be a priority, but I have to attend all the other RALO meetings and a whole lot more other meetings as well, so, looks like it's going to be a busy time. Thank you to everyone who has wished me well and I know that APRALO is going to be there if I need help, so thank you [inaudible].

SATISH BABU:

Thank Maureen, and all the best to you and let us show that we will be there to support, if required. Indeed it is going to be a very busy time for you and we do understand that you have to prioritize amongst your different conflicting meetings, but we would like to, nevertheless, welcome you to all our meetings as we go forward. With that, we now

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move onto an item which is of very significant impact for both ALSes of APRALO and individual members and this is the at-large review implementation, and it's over to Maureen for an update on the next steps, on the at-large review implementation.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

Thank you again Satish, it is Maureen for the record. Yes... next steps. When I think of it as... it's probably going to be one of the most important things, well important roles in my role as the chair. I'm sort of like looking at developing... looking at the review as one of the key drivers for change as it will happen, within at-large, especially the ALAC. As it affects the ALAC it will also filter through to affect the RALOs in some way, hopefully a good way, but you know, I think it's been two years since we first... the APRALO leadership team was first in a round table, was one of the implementation reviewers, and it's taken us two years of nearly reports [inaudible] different people, different organizations within ICANN and we finally on the first day of Panama got our... the proposal that we put in for the implementation policy of the recommendations that have been made in the original review reports, the implementation plan that we proposed has been accepted by the board. So, we will be looking at ways in which we as at-large team, and that's the ALAC plus the RALOs and that means RALO members [inaudible] to be involved in making plans that will impact on the RALOs, that will also create efficiently and effectiveness sort of like actions that really help us to do the work they were actually, basically mandated to do, to help ICANN do its work. At the moment, one of the things that we have actually sort of like developed, because policy is very very important, and one of the things that I actually put in my

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nominee statement was that I really felt that it was important that if people were going to be involved in policy, they need to understand what the policy is about and what it is that they are contributing to. I think one of the things that really surprised me, is and we will probably discuss it later but it's the fellowship proposal that has since been discussed in at-large, and we had over 80 comments in that public comment tree, and [inaudible], but it was people who not only were fellows but people who were just ordinary ALAC members and ALS members who had something to offer to their conversation and I'm feeling appreciative of the fact that you know, we'll come up with a document that's sort of like tried to cover a lot of the things, I'm hoping all the things that were laid, in some way, into the comment that ALAC will submit back to the fellowship program. So we want ALS members, individual members to be involved in the work that we do, to help to improve the way we do things in at-large, and I think too that... so policy and the consolidated policy working group which is coordinated by Jonathan Zuck and Olivier Crepin-Leblond, they will be discussing policy and at the moment they're looking at basic principles, and even talking about what is an end user, we always say we represent the interests of end-user. So, today there was another discussion that we're starting on something about end users, so it's getting down to the nitty gritty but if we can look at the basic principles we're getting some way to getting greater understanding about what it is that we're doing. So, although we didn't sort of like... gotten down to exactly all the things that we're... an actual work plan as such, I mean I'm not going to be serving until October, so we've got a little bit of time to work on the plan so that when it comes to October, we'll be ready to go. OK, so I'll keep you posted. Thank you.

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SATISH BABU:

Thank you Maureen for that explanation and update, looking at the screen it says at-large review 2015 to 2019. That's about four or five years and considering that this is an investment for everybody concerned, the community, ICANN, external reviewers, other AC SO's, you can imagine the amount of effort and time, money, everything that has gone on into this review. This indeed something that is big and effort that Maureen mentioned, it is going to mean changes to the way we're going to work, and one of the main differences that has been mentioned would be that the primary rule of the RALO would be to facilitate participation of ALSes, ALS members and individual members in the policy foundation process in terms of responses, so we look forward to the next steps as they unfold over the next few months, on what these changes really mean to all of us. So, are there any questions for Maureen on the at-large review implementation? Not seeing any hands, please be aware that you can also raise questions later in the list. We now move onto the regular policy updates, no we have Holly and Cheryl who are in apology today, but we do have Maureen and Kaili with us, so it's over to Maureen... I think Maureen has a lot of work in this call today, it's over to Maureen for the policy update.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

[inaudible], so, I'll just go through the policy as quickly as I can. The first one is to do with the proposed unified exit model, OK. [inaudible] expedited policy development process, and first is to do with the gTLD registration data and it's a special group that has been compiled and ALAC has been invited to participate. But, it's going to look at the

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temporary specifications which have to be, we've got the GDPR came out in May, and we've got a year... ICANN has got 12 months in order to get its temporary specifications organized so that the expectation of the dot access to data is enabled in some way that also complies with the European Union rules relating to the general protection regulation which is GDPR. OK, so this unified access model is a comment that has been requested and I noticed that no one has volunteered yet to put their hand up for that, except that, just today we elected four representatives from the ALAC [inaudible] members who can participate in the EDPD, and they are Alan Greenberg and [inaudible] from Egypt... from Tunisia... Egypt... I can't remember.

SATISH BABU:

Egypt is right.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

Yeah, and then... so I mean that's quite an important one, the whole EDPD is really important, they've got 12 months, in fact less than 12 months to get this process developed and to get ICANN out of [inaudible] sort of thing. Anyway, carrying on, so those two are to do with the data issues, so they are quite high profile and you're going to hear more about that during the year. Carrying on with the ordinary things, there's the travel support guidelines which we're actually just voting on at the moment and a lot of people contributed to that public comment as well, so it's very pleasing to see, again more stuff on data, on billing, and of course, I already mentioned the new fellowship program approach which there will be, I think in the next couple of days

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if not tomorrow, the second draft, the final draft of that comment will be uploaded and that will include the comments that were made after the first draft, so that's the one that will be the... once we had that final draft up and any further comments maybe incorporated into it, and then that will go to the vote in about two weeks time. Then there is the... one of the things we [inaudible] within ICANN is that, you know for our review it's taken two years for us to get upto a stage where we are now... we can implement the review, what did they take on and how care we going to fix it up, two years. Apparently the reviews are done every three years, so that means we could be running our own EDPD to try and get everything done within a year, because in a years time according to the regular review process, we could be being reviewed again. So, one of these short term options and another one on the long term options public comments about... if you're interested in looking at what kind of reviews are coming up and like, what people are saying about those reviews and the comments that have been making, you may want to add something yourself. Then of course, you've got the initial report on the new gTLD subsequent procedures policy development process, overarching issues and worktrack 1 to 4. That has been going on for quite a while as well, since 2012 when the first round of new gTLD, sort of like hit the street, and this working group... not for that role but these work tracks have been looking at different issues relating to the... sort of like looking at the manual that is used for the new gTLD delivery sort of thing. So we're after comments but it's not due until September and I would say that this item is going to come up in Jonathan consolidated policy meeting, so if you want to know more about the policy issues I would certainly recommend that you join those meetings, they are only an hour so that would be a good way of you

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learning, essentially what is happening in the policy area for at-large. The final item here about red cross, initial report on the protection of certain red cross names and all gTLDs, just today Alan put out a email to say that he made a first draft of his comment for this report and in it he basically says that ALAC supports the protection of the name red cross. So that people can't use it in their domain name and pretend they're fundraising for red cross, which in fact they're not. So in order to have red cross in your domain name you have to be an accredited red cross association and have all the documentation to prove it before you can even apply to get a domain name that has red cross. That is the sort of thing that we're commenting on and you know, I think that... again as I mentioned, come along to the consolidated policy meetings and just listen to what... because they will be divided up into sub groups and looking at different issues and it would be good if we can have people from APRALO in those sub groups. Thank you. The rest of the subjects here are [inaudible] things that are coming up, some of those items, just looking at them now, we probably won't even make a comment on them because they're not really sort of like related to us as such, but that decision will be made later by ALAC and then put out the list that we are actually going to make comment on. Thank you.

SATISH BABU:

Thank you Maureen, Kaili, is there anything you wish to add to this?

KAILI KAN:

Yes, [inaudible]. Thank you Satish, Kaili Kan for the record. Yeah, Maureen has just given very full coverage [inaudible] so for the new

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gTLD [inaudible] which has been ongoing for say a year and a half so far and still [inaudible] and should be final within a month or two. So that is [inaudible], within the community discussion there is one thing that was quite caught my attention, that there is about we at-large ALAC were to represent end users interest, and Maureen just mentioned that we're trying to [inaudible], and also the order for at-large, ALAC [inaudible], understand what are the end users interest and how do we best represent them and relate it to the easier about the very nature of iCANN and a regulator or ICANN is how the multi-stakeholder structure, how is it supposed to represent over in that [inaudible]. So right now, officially ICANN does not have [inaudible] of that concept, so this [inaudible], lately over the last week or two there were quite some discussion about this issue, so that is something that we at APRALO and our ALSes we are [inaudible] end user and something that we might also think up, so that's all I would like to say. Thank you.

SATISH BABU:

Thank you Kaili. So, a few observations quickly, last night we had the consolidated policy working group which will take leading role in the way policy is kind of co-evolved a bit our community. So, there were quite a few discussions including the definition as Maureen mentioned, the definition of the end user and of course, what Kaili talked about the regulatory role, if ICANN is a regulator or not, there was a lot of discussion in the mailing list, again it's partly historic, there's a lot of baggage and [inaudible] people know about the whole process early and the current situation is that ICANN does not want to be and is not a regulator, for various historic and contemporary reasons. Coming back to the issue of end users, and how we in the [inaudible] community can

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participate, one of the important decisions that came up. It is not yet a decision but the decision is that for major policy projects, for example the EPDP which is unique, one of a kind process that we have not seen before, that should be at the RALO level a policy anchor or a policy champion who will coordinate within the RALO process on getting people to comment, participate in the policy process. Now, if this becomes a decision of ALAC as recommended by the CCWG, then we'll be happy to call for volunteers in each of the major policy processes. The role of this person to start off would be to stimulate participation from our community and this has been the kind of criticism against at-large in general, so one of these changes that we're trying to make this particular role of policy anchor or champion. So we are now waiting for the formal decision from CCWG and ALAC and once it comes we will get going on this. This an observation for the forthcoming public comments, there are five LGR requests [inaudible], and all these different South Asia, particularly India so if the Indian community has anyone who wants to participate in this processes they are most welcome to, you know, join the public comment process. With that, I would like to ask if there are any questions on policy by anyone or any comments, suggestions, or anything that anybody would like to ask? Not seeing any hands up, please note that we will come back to this question of engaging as [inaudible] says its a positive recommendation and we will come back to this on how best to kind of, engage our imperial community. With that, we now go on to agenda item number 6, so Shreedeeep has raised his hand, so Shreedeeep please go ahead. Shreedeeep, are you muted? We are not able to hear you.

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UNKNOWN SPEAKER: Satish, I think he lowered his hand.

SATISH BABU: That was me, unfortunately I clicked on the pop up and it went down. Shreedeeep you can raise this question a bit later when you get your audio in order. We will now move onto the next item but I will come back to you after the next item is done. The next agenda item is ICANN 62 which is the ICANN policy forum at Panama. As you will be aware, policy forum is the shortest of the ICANN meetings and the focus in general is policy, so that's a way with things like the Gala dinner and things like that, even the public comments are not there. This is a very focused meeting at aimed at policy. I would like to ask Maureen and Kaili to go first, are there any notable, you know, apart from the policy things that already have been mentioned, anything else that are notable with regard to the Panama meeting. Maureen please go ahead.

MAUREEN HILYARD: Can someone else go ahead, I am just a little bit busy at the moment.

SATISH BABU: Sure no problem. I will take it up from there, before, I will ask Kaili, do you want to add onto anything from ICANN 62?

KAILI KAN: I need to think more as well. I think as I see that, most policy issues Maureen has just covered and many of them are related with [inaudible] for ALAC, the most important issue is the election of our new

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chair as [inaudible]. I think that is what happened from my mind. Back to you.

SATISH BABU:

Thank you Kaili, I would just run quickly through the post ICANN 62 policy report that we received from David [inaudible]. I am just looking at the at-large section of it, as Kaili said, the most important for us was the election of the ALAC chair which we already announced, the second one was on the ICANN board approving the at-large review, which Maureen has announced. We had several discussions with different AC SOs including the GAC and the board, and we had a presentation by Jonathan Zuck on the... he led at-large policy discussion based on various communications, engagement, capacity building, and important policy topics, etc. We had a presentation by David Conrad on the KSK rollover process, how to restart. That process was stalled in the last meeting but they're trying to restart it and the plan was shared with us. Then the entire at-large people present at Panama went to the GNSO sessions, that was a change from... it was the first time that this happened. Alan and the whole of the ALAC leadership said that everybody should attend and be part of the process, so that is something interesting. We also discussed the ICANN proposed unified access model as already mentioned, routine joint meetings took place. We had the... the last two times we have had a joint at-large NCSG outreach sessions, now this is somewhat unique because we are in two different NCSG is a part of GNSO and we are a part of ALAC, and the [inaudible] particularly by EURALO and Olivier and [inaudible] who have taken the lead to bridge this gap between the two [inaudible]. They have written the GNSO framework and we have a more open kind of a

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framework, as targeting the civil society end users, end user interests and so on. So that event was widely participated. We had initial discussion on ATLAS 3, which is currently, not approved as yet, but currently scheduled for Montreal next year. The information that we have at this point is that there is a fairly drastic budget cut and we will... only a few people will be... Maureen I see your hand I will come back to you. We will not be able to pull in all our ALSes to the ATLAS 3 and we will have to apply some kind of a filter. This would mean tracking and monitoring the performance, participation of ALSes and individual members, and we note that the participation in ATLAS 3 is not only for ALSes but also for individual members. So, we will be treating individual members apart from ALS representatives for the collection of the... maybe we will have about 15 seats out of a total 52 or 53 ALSes plus another 8 individual members, so we will have to work this out in conjunction with at-large, ALAC, so we're looking at Maureen to give us the guidelines on how this selection can be made. Then the rest of it has already been covered in various presentations today. So, I will go to Maureen for her question. Please go ahead Maureen.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

Thank you Satish, I had an interruption and I wanted to give rid of them before I can continue on with the meeting. I just... you've covered everything, I just wanted to add one of the things that is particularly, it's included into the policy meeting is the presentation of the Ethos award and I was privileged to actually be on the selection panel with Alan and [inaudible] and a few other people who selected this years recipient who was [inaudible] who died not long before or after the Puerto Rico ICANN meeting. It was a great presentation and it was a very well

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deserved to someone who would have got it had he been alive, he would have gotten a prize. He was a wonderful man. There was... Satish also mentioned ATLAS 3 and it is very very, what he said is very important. There has been drastic cuts, last time we had an ATLAS 2 was held in London, we had over [inaudible] a representative from every one of our ALSes attended that meeting. The next meeting that will not happen. So, there are going to be criteria that has to be achieved by people who will make... will be invited to that meeting and in Montreal, so there will be more information on that. I am actually meeting that so, [inaudible] the team that I am working with, as we divide the plan you will amongst the first to hear about it. Another thing that happened in ICANN 62 was also that Cheryl, a colleague of mine may star in a little video about the at-large review. If you happen to be looking through those videos of that ICANN meeting we are there talking about the at-large review. Thank you.

SATISH BABU:

Thanks Maureen, it's... indeed it's very interesting for us in APRALO to note that the three leaders of the at-large review are all from APRALO, number one, and number two, all of them are women, which is indeed a great achievement as far as our community, our whole at-large community is concerned. That is very interesting. Also, [inaudible] I had the privilege to work with [inaudible] for two years in the NomCom while he was the associate chair and later the chair, and we had a fairly close relationship although we were from totally different cultures and when I learned that when Sebastian told us that [inaudible] passed away, I wrote to his father actually who had responded, and later on, on behalf of APRALO, also I put in... although we had no local standing in

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this, but we did support the whole multi-stakeholder ethos award for [inaudible]. He will be greatly missed by our community. So, Shreedeeep are you able to talk now? He is not able to speak, you can post your question on chat as well, and we can respond to it either way. While the questions is coming up, we will go to the next item on the agenda which is the two working groups which have asked for members and possibly RALO level chair or co-chair. The first is the social media working group, John Laprive is heading this working group, and the idea... I can see on screen is to coordinate the social media messages to the public and the communities within at-large and within ICANN. So, John Laprise has asked for APRALO level coordinator or chair, and also from members, for four members, so any of you... any of this community members who are here today and in the list, if you are interested in either coordinating or participating in the social media efforts of at-large, please let us know, let staff know with a copy to us [inaudible], and we will be then able to shortlist a group and identify a chair for the group, and then intimate the working group chair which is John Laprive and from there he will take on and support this group. So, I would recommend that over the next few days maximum a week, please let us know of your interest in participating in this activity, because with social media I am sure many of us are capable of taking it on. So, that's the first point. Are there any questions on this or comments? The next is outreach and engagement, I will ask Maureen to explain this particular announcement. Maureen over to you.

MAUREEN HILYARD:

Thank you Satish, Maureen for the record, again. I... the outreach and engagement working group is being resumed after, you know, it's sort

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of like a bit of a hiatus. We are now calling for co-chairs and members for this working group. Again, the committee has actually, it's called a working group but it's actually a sub committee of the ALAC, but call it a working group because that's what it is. They will have co-chairs who will act as the sort of the liaison between the working group and the RALO. We want to get feedback, backwards and forwards, so that we get some idea of what's happening out in the regions and it becomes back to the outreach and engagement working group and it gets formally logged by staff somewhere. The first thing we have to do is elect a co-chair and although the working group has actually recommended [inaudible] and all that kind of stuff, I think we have to leave it as Satiish has said for the social media group, we leave it for the members to select the co-chair. I will recommend, however, that the [inaudible] chair or of the RALO, or you know, someone because there is quite a lot of work. The outreach and engagement, I'll tell you know... the outreach and engagement committee is going to probably go with a higher profile, if you read the proposal, the implementation plan there was several recommendations related to outreach and engagement, that we need to work on. I assuming that this particular working group is going to coordinate a lot of those, or all of those activities in some way. So, that could need some high level kind of work done, Daniel who is the chair of the working group. So, I mean I'm leaving it up to the RALO itself to select its member, but I'm just giving you the heads up on the responsibility that's going to be involved and the level of sort of like discussion that is going to be required in this role. Thank you.

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SATISH BABU:

Thank you Maureen, Satish again for the record. So, I would request Silvia and staff to identify two action points here. We need to call for members of both these working groups, we don't have to call for the chair, because the chair we will decide once the members are in place. If you can send out a mail inviting volunteers for this, we can take up the subsequent steps as after the members are confirmed. Maybe we should give them a week for responding to both these calls. Are there any comments or questions? If not, we will move onto the NomCom update, over to you Nadira.

NADIRA AL-ARAJ:

Thank you Satish, this is Nadira speaking. First of all, before having a view about the NomCom, I want to commend the work, the efforts of everybody involved into the policy development comments and it's a lot of work. In fact I would like to recommend that because of the volunteer [inaudible] it is not easy to get into so many policy and comments, so once you are regrouping the, asking the ALSes to get engaged, it is good to have more than one champion in two different policy, because that's too much work. Like for example, I wanted to participate, I thought it was an easy one but others like my personal work and my... it's demanding and that needs a lot of time. I really appreciate who done that amazing work, you are really, Maureen and others, Satish and all Kaili, you are really hard worker. Regarding the NomCom, is that because last month I didn't have an update because we... the second stage of the process we have to is split into [inaudible] teams, because we have [inaudible] applicants, the candidates into lower number. So [inaudible] teams are splitted and we kind of divided equally of the candidate and did screening and review and reach out to

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different method of the references and asking more information and all this gathered information were discussed at ICANN Panama meeting. Also at ICANN Panama meeting we have interviewed only interviewed in person the candidates who applied for the board position, and probably most of you have read the announcement by the chair of the NomCom that the positions are already decided on and it will be officially announced at the end of August, and I would like to have like open the discussion if you need more information and more detail about certain steps that will be helpful you can reach me out. By the way, it is hard working, it is not easy to be... to attend other meeting because it is like the deliberation, the [inaudible] among the NomCom, it's amazing, it's just also a good experience for future consideration to someone who wants to be in this role and also to someone who wants to apply. It's also good to work and acquiring the qualification of that role, because we could see the way it was draft from the first screening to the second, and then we have a very tough [inaudible] this year I could see there is... like a... it's a challenging process. Another thing about this, a lot of enhancement we have during this term that every single applicant received a different process, he was dropped out or he was alternate, or he was... his candidacy under review or background check and hopefully he will be hearing by end of August and I hope the community will be satisfied of our choices. Thank you all. Back to you Satish.

SATISH BABU:

Thank you Nadira. We understand this must have been a busy time for the NomCom people as well. My colleague on the NomCom [inaudible] always seems to say that the last bit of NomCom's work, which normally happens near this meeting June/July is like the cardinals electing the

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Pope. All the cardinals are locked up in a place and until you see the white smoke coming out you know, they are kept busy. Something like that and having been on the NomCom I understand the difficulties, and right now the NomCom has even more work. They are tasked with the selecting even higher number of people because of PTI and so on. So it is actually a great deal of work and thanks Nadira for representing APRALO in the NomCom. With that, we come to the end of the formal agenda, so the floor is now open for... we have four minutes. The floor is now open for any questions or any comments by anybody who is on this call. I don't see any hands, in the meantime I would like to announce that next week we have Asia Pacific governance academy, APGA, Seoul in South Korea. It is a school of internet governance largely meant for young people, and importantly it is organized by ICANN, jointly with the Korean internet security agency KISA. That is taking place next week and I hope to be, I'll be there participating in [inaudible]. So, not seeing any other hands up. In that case please share you articles on ALS activities by 23rd for the APRALO newsletter, so thanks Amrita for driving this newsletter which has become quite popular in terms of the number of people downloading it each month. In fact, in some months I am told that it is better than the bigger at-large news. So, not seeing any other questions or comments I would like to once again, thank everybody who has taken the time off for joining this call and it's over to Yesim to formally close this call. Thank you very much.

YESIM NAZLAR:

Thank you Satish, thank you all for participating. This meeting is now adjourned. Have a lovely rest of the day. Bye-bye.

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