Issue Brief: CCT Report

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What Issues are raised by this Final Report (noting ALAC has already provided comments on the initial and amended drafts) (Assessment of the first round of new GTLDs)

• Issue One: Competition

Issue two: Consumer Trust

• Issue Three: Consumer Choice

• Issue Four: Safeguards

What's at stake for End Users – (if/when more gTLDs opened up)

- Implication One: Choice available and what that means for end users
- Implication Two: consumer "trust' in new gTLDs
- Implication Three: Other issues, including clarification on community applications, dealing with confusing similarity of names and assistance to the global south in applications for new gTLDs

How are parties aligned?

- Contracted Parties (might not be unified) more interested in competition issues
- Business (might not be unified) ??
- NCSG ??
- GAC- were particularly concerned with geo names and closed generics
- SSAC

Proposed At-large Positioning (supporting previous ALAC positions)

- Position 1: Support recommendations on consumer trust/consumer choice
- Position 2: support recommendations on consumer safeguards
- Position 3: support clarification on community based applications, on confusing strings and support measures for global south

Discussion