

2020-12-02 AFRALO Monthly Teleconference

Date: Wednesday, 02 December 2020

Time: 18:30 - 20:00 UTC (For the time in various time zones [click here](#))

Meeting Number: AL.AF/CC.14 BDB 0520/1

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Action Items: [EN](#)

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Zoom Recording: [EN](#)

Zoom Chat: [EN](#)

Participants:

FR: Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong, Aziz Hilali, Olevie Kouami, Michel Tchonang Linze,

EN: Seun Ojedeji, Tijani Ben-Jemaa, Moriam Omowunmi Sulaimon, Barrack Otieno, Joan Katambi, Remmy Nweke, Chokri Ben Romdhane, Pastor Peters, Nkem Nweke, Aicha Abbad, Emmanuel Dabbie Botchway, Jacob Odame Baiden, Chokri Ben Romdhane, Adri Loubser, Franklin Owusu-Akueampo, Raymond Mamattah, Sarah Kiden, Loago Rantsetse, Abdulkarim Ayopo Oloyede, Bob Ochieng, Bram Malawi, Oreoluwa Lesi, Bram Fudzulani, Dave Kissoondoyal, Fatimata Seye Sylla, Frank Anati, Daniel Nanghaka, Bukola Oronti, Rachad Sanoussi, Lavish Mawuena Mensah, Hadia Elminiawi, Leon Sanchez, Mutegeki Cliff, Malick A, Stephen Dakyi, Alan Greenberg, Etienne Tshishimbi,

Apologies: None

Staff: Heidi Ullrich, Silvia Vivanco, Yaovi Atohou, Claudia Ruiz

FR Interpreters: Isabelle & Camila

Call Management: Claudia Ruiz

Agenda:

1. Roll call (Staff) – 2 min
2. Review of [action items](#) from previous meeting (Staff, [Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong](#)) – 3 min
3. Open [ICANN Public Comments](#) (@Seun) – 6 min

At-Large Policy Resources:

[At-Large Capacity Building Workshop - An Introduction to Policy Development at ICANN](#)
[2020 ALAC Policy Comments & Advice](#)
[At-Large Policy Summary](#)
[At-Large Executive Summary page](#)
[Multistakeholder Advice Development graphic](#)
[Consolidated Policy Working Group \(CPWG\)](#)

Recently Ratified by the ALAC (since last AFRALO Monthly Meeting)

- [IANA Naming Function Review \(IFR\) Initial Report](#)
- [DRAFT PTI and IANA FY22 Operating Plan and Budgets](#)
- [Recommendations for Early Warning for Root Zone Scaling](#)

- [Proposed Amendment 1 to the .JOBS Registry Agreement](#)

Upcoming Public Comment Proceedings

November (3)

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Second Security, Stability, and Resiliency (SSR2) Review Team Final Report

The final report of the Security, Stability and Resiliency Review (SSR2) is expected to be issued in October 2020. The final report is submitted for public comment to inform the ICANN Board actions on the SSR2 final recommendations.

December (2)

Draft ICANNFY22 Operating Plan and Budget

ICANN Organization is seeking community input and feedback on the Draft ICANN FY22 Operating Plan and Budget.

Domain Abuse Activity Reporting (DAAR) 2.0

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Public Comment for Decision

None

Current Statements (ALAC Advice, Comment or Correspondence)

Public Comment Name	Public Comment Close	Status	Assigned Working Group	Penholder (s)
Recommendations for ICANN's Root Name Service Strategy and Implementation	2020/12/08	TBC	CPWG	Drafting team member (s): Martin Hannigan
ALAC Advice to the ICANN Board on Subsequent Procedures and ALAC Minority Statement for SubPro PDP Final Report	TBC	COMMENT	CPWG	Drafting team member (s): Justine Chew Jonathan Zuck

4. Reports

- Global Stakeholder Engagement (GSE) Africa updates (Pierre , Yaovi, Bob) - 5 min
- Technical Engagement and ICANN69 updates (Yazid Akanho, Paul Muchene) - 4 min
- Recent and upcoming ALAC activities ([Sarah Kiden](#) , Dave , Abdulkarim) – 5 min
- NOMCOM Update (Hadia) - 3 min
- [Universal Acceptance \(UA\)](#) (Abdalmonem/Malick/Abdulkarim) - 4 min
- [Unaffiliated Individuals Mobilization Working Party](#) (Esther Patricia, Caleb, Sarah) - 6 min
- Recent and upcoming AFRALO/ALS activities (All) - 15 min

5. Updates/Items for discussion

- [AFRALO WG on the review of the Operating Principles 2020- Membership section](#) - ([Isaac Maposa](#) / [Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong](#)) - 5 min
- Implementation of AFRALO [FY21 Outreach and Engagement Strategic Plan](#) (Bram Fudzulani/Daniel/Fatimata/Seun) See [document to operationalize the O&E Strategic Plan](#). - 5 min

- c. Update AFRALO Newsletter (Remmy , Olivier, [Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong](#)) - 3 min See [Newsletter Archives](#)
 - d. [Call for SOs/ACs to Nominate Fellowship Program Mentors and Selection Committee Members](#) ([Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong Seun Ojedeji](#)) – 2 min
 - e. [FY21 RALO Requests for Funding to support an Outreach Activity](#) ([Seun Ojedeji](#)) - 3min
6. AFRALO Membership Matters ([Abdeldjalil Bachar Bong](#)) – 6 min

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	ALS	Member Individuel and Observers
Newly Certified (2 ALS + 2 Individuel)	<p>#318: E-Governance and Internet Governance Foundation for Africa (EGIGFA) - Accra, Ghana</p> <p>City/Country: Accra, Ghana</p> <p>[Contact persons: Raymond Mamattah, Jacob Odame-Baiden, Sarata Omane]</p> <p>http://www.egigfa.org/</p> <p># 316 Tanzania Community Networks Alliance</p> <p>City/Country: Dodoma, Tanzanie</p> <p>[Contact persons: Jabhera Matogoro and Salome Nkonoki]</p> <p>https://tzcna.or.tz/</p>	<p>- Houda Chihi, Senior Researcher, Tunisia</p> <p>- Gwanzuwang Silas Bobai, Nigeria</p>
Pending ALAC Vote (0)	None	None
Awaiting RALO Feedback (2)	<p># 311 Association des Utilisateurs des Technologies de l'Information et de la Communication , Dakar, Senegal</p> <p># 313 Women's Technology Empowerment Centre Lagos, Nigeria</p>	None
Processing Due Diligence (3)	<p># 282 Association pour le Développement des Sociétés de l'Information au Tchad Ndjamen, Chad</p> <p># 303 AgeCare Foundation , Calabar , Nigeria (Regional Advice Received)</p> <p># 305 Battery Operated Sysytems for Community Outreach Uganda , Kampala, Uganda</p>	None
On Hold (0)	<p># 270 BSDCongo Congo (Dem. Rep.)</p> <p>(AFRALO Secretariat Sarah Kiden: "BSD Congo team in Senegal...said that we should leave their application on hold for now. Looks like they are having some internal challenges. They said they will get back when they are ready.")</p>	None

7. AOB – (Seun, all) 5 min

FRENCH VERSION

Ordre du Jour (Français)

- Appel - Liste de Présence (Personnel) – 2 min
- Revue [des actions à entreprendre](#) de la réunion précédente (Personnel, Sarah) – 3 min
- Commentaires publics d' ICANN ([Seun Ojedeji](#) Seun) – 5 min

Ressources stratégiques At-Large:

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Récemment ratifié par l'ALAC (depuis la dernière réunion mensuelle d'AFRALO)

[Reference Label Generation Rulesets \(LGRs\) for the Second Level](#)

The ALAC addressed four areas of concern with regards to LGRs: 1) The ALAC believes that the particular registries whose practices were used (with regards to cross-script variants in the Root Zone) should be specified; 2) Missing code points that were not considered for possible variants need to be evaluated; 3) The definition of variants for SLDs needs to be substantially expanded - otherwise the level of potential confusion, and DNS Abuse, is simply too large; and 4) As something that is critical for security and the avoidance of DNS Abuse, blocking variant names should not be optional. The ALAC made a suggested revision to the text accordingly.

[GNSO New gTLD Subsequent Procedures Draft Final Report](#)

The At-Large Consolidated Policy Working Group (CPWG) held several single-issue teleconferences about the New gTLD Subsequent Procedures (SubPro) PDP earlier in 2020 in preparation for the Public Comment proceeding. A small team, led by ALAC Member Justine Chew, organized these sessions and gave weekly presentations to the CPWG on the topic. In September 2020, the ALAC submitted a statement on the [GNSO New gTLD Subsequent Procedures Draft Final Report](#), the culmination of months of volunteer work in developing At-Large scorecards on SubPro topics, creating a survey on geographic names, and analyzing feedback from the community of Internet end users.

Prochaines Procédures de Commentaires Publics

Octobre (4)

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ICANN's Root Name Service Strategy and Implementation

ICANN org. will seek public comments on ICANN's Root Name Service Strategy and Implementation.

Proposed Renewal of .AERO Registry Agreement

ICANN Organization is seeking input on the proposed .aero renewal agreement.

Novembre (1)

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Commentaire public pour décision

[Proposed Amendment 1 to the JOBS Registry Agreement](#) 2020/11/16

[Preliminary Issue Report on a Policy Development Process to Review the Transfer Policy](#) 2020/11/30

Déclarations actuelles (avis, commentaires ou correspondance de l'ALAC)

Nom du Commentaire Public	Commentaire Public Fermer	Statut	Groupe de Travail Assigné	Auteur(s)
Recommendations for Early Warning for Root Zone Scaling	2020/11/23	RÉDACTION	CPWG	Bénévole(s) de l'équipe de rédaction: Abdulkarim Ayopo Oloyede (T BC)

4. Rapports

- a. Dernières infos du Global Stakeholder Engagement (GSE) Afrique (Pierre, Yaovi, Bob) - 5 min
- b. Mises à jour de l'engagement technique & mise à jour ICANN69 (Yazid Akanho, Paul Muchene) - 3 min
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5. Sujets de discussion

- a. [Groupe de travail sur l'examen des principes de fonctionnement](#) (Isaac Maposa/Abdeljalil Bachar Bong) - 5 min
- b. implementation d' AFRALO [FY21 Plan Stratégique de sensibilisation et d'engagement](#) (Bram Fudzulani/Daniel/Fatimata/Seun) - 5 min
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7. Question diverses (Seun, tous) – 5 min