

2016-08-18 APRALO Monthly Call

Date: Thursday, 18 August 2016

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Participants:

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ZH: Kaili Kan

Apologies: Holly Raiche, Gunela Astbrink, Kelvin Wong (staff)

Staff: Silvia Vivanco, Gisella Gruber, Adam Peake, Jia-Rong Low, Yeim Nazlar

Call Management: Yeim Nazlar

ZH Interpreter: Jessie and YIYI

Agenda:

1. Roll call - Staff (2 min).

2. ALAC current development - Maureen (10 min)

- **See:** [Policy Advice Page on New At-Large Website](#)
- **See:** [Policy Advice Development Page](#)
- **See:** [ICANN Public Comment page](#)
- a. **Statements approved by the ALAC**
 - [Proposed Amendments to Base New gTLD Registry Agreement](#)
 - [ICANN Fellowship Program Application Process Review](#)
- b. **Statements in process: being drafted, in comment or in vote:**
 - [Creating a Consumer Agenda at ICANN](#) - At-Large Community commenting on a draft proposal (not a public comment)
 - [Input requested: SO/AC/SG/C Outreach - New gTLD Subsequent Procedures](#) (closes 01 Aug 2016) - [Holly Raiche](#) and [Alan Greenberg](#) drafting a Statement
 - [Proposed Measures for Letter/Letter Two-Character ASCII Labels to Avoid Confusion with Corresponding Country Codes](#) (closes 17 Aug 2016) - [Garth Bruen](#) and [Jimmy Schulz](#) reviewing the public comment and will report back to the ALAC whether a Statement is necessary
 - [Proposed Guidelines for the Second String Similarity Review Process](#) (closes 31 Aug 2016) - At-Large Community commenting on a draft Statement
 - [Independent Review of Trademark Clearinghouse Services Draft Report](#) (closes 03 Sep 2016) - [Leon Sanchez](#) and [Alan Greenberg](#) drafting a Statement
- c. **Statements that seem to be stalled:**
 - None
- d. **Public Comment requests to which the ALAC decided not to submit Statements:**
 - [Release of Country and Territory Names within the .SOFTBANK, .ART and .CARAVAN TLDs](#) (closes 31 Aug 2016)
 - [Draft PTI Bylaws](#) (closes 11 Aug 2016)
- e. **New Public Comment requests requiring decision:**

- [Proposed Amendment to .COM Registry Agreement](#) (closes 12 Aug 2016)
- [gTLD Marketplace Health Index \(Beta\)](#) (closes 06 Sep 2016)
- [IANA Naming Function Agreement](#) (closes 09 Sep 2016)
- [Proposed Renewal of .TEL Registry Agreement](#) (closes 13 Sep 2016)

3. [APRALO Mentorship Program](#) - updates, Ali, 5 min.

4. Planning for Hyderabad - Satish, all (15 min)

See: [ICANN 57 - Hyderabad Meeting - November 2016](#)

5. APRALO participation at [APrIGF 2016](#) and [APIGA 2016](#) - Satish Babu (10 minutes)

6. Call for Nominations on [BCEC](#) and [BMSPC](#) Committee Membership - Siranush (2 minutes)

7. Chair's Announcement - Siranush (3 min).

8. AOB (3 min)