Thick Whois Policy Implementation

Project Status

On 1 February 2017, both CL&D and Transition Policies were published and the GDD team is working with the IRT to implement the policy till effective dates.

- Registry Registration Data Directory Services Consistent Labeling and Display Policy - effective on 1 August 2017, adopted by ICANN Board 7 February 2014
- Thick RDDS (Whois) Transition Policy for .COM, .NET and .JOBS - effective on 1 May 2018 and 1 February 2019, adopted by ICANN Board 7 February 2014

For the Transition Policy please see the news update on the icann.org for the contractual compliance enforcement dates

Introduction

As resolved by the GNSO Council at its meeting on 31 October 'the GNSO Council shall convene a Thick Whois Implementation Review Team to assist ICANN Staff in developing the implementation details for the new policy should it be approved by the ICANN Board. The Implementation Review Team will be tasked with evaluating the proposed implementation of the policy recommendations as approved by the Board and is expected to work with ICANN Staff to ensure that the resultant implementation fulfills the intentions of the approved policy recommendations'. The ICANN Board approved the recommendations at its meeting on 7 February 2014 .

Tasks of the Implementation Review Team

The Implementation Review Team will be tasked with evaluating the proposed implementation of the policy recommendations as approved by the Board and is expected to work with ICANN Staff to ensure that the resultant implementation fulfills the intentions of the approved policy recommendations. If the Implementation Review Team identifies any potential modifications to the policy recommendations or need for new policy recommendations, the Implementation Review Team shall refer these to the GNSO Council for its consideration and follow-up, as appropriate.

Volunteers

If you are interested to participate, please send an email to the GNSO Secretariat (gnso.secretariat@gnso.icann.org).

Implementation Review Team: (as of 16 September 2016)

- Alan Greenberg (ALAC)
- April Forsyth (Registrar)
- Alexander Schwertner
- Brent Lee, Intracomme.com
- Carlton Samuels (LACRALO)
- Chris Pelling, NetEarth One, inc.
- Christopher E George (Commercial – IPC)
- Chris Klein
- Yuliya Morenets
- Dan Rodgers, Domains Manager, Paragon
- David Cake
- Don Blumenthal (Registry)
- Ding Yang, Technical Director, BizCN
- Frédéric Guillemaut (Registrar)
- Theo Geurts (Registrar)
- Jody Kolker, Senior Registration Architect, Go Daddy
- Joyce Lin, 007Names.com
- John McFadden, Director Domain Products, Mark Monitor
- Jonathan Robinson
- Joe Waldron (Registry)
- Marc Anderson (Registry)
- Steve Metalitz (IPC)
- Pat Kane (Registry)
- Pat Moroney
- Ray Fassett (Registry .jobs)
- Roy Balleste (NCUC)
- Roger Carney, Sr Director Software Engineering, Go Daddy
- Rick Wesson, CEO, Support Intelligence, Inc
- Rob Golding, Astutium Ltd
- Tobias Sattler (Registrar)
- Sara Bockey, Intellectual Property Enforcement Manager, Go Daddy
- Susan Prosser (Registrar)
- Susan Kawaguchi (BC)
- Volker Greimann, Registrar

GNSO Council Liaison: Susan Kawaguchi (BC)

Volunteer Experts from affected parties (registrars) to workout implementation details of transition from thin to thick WHOIS (as of 3 Dec) :

- Chris Pelling, NetEarth One, inc.
- Rob Golding, Astutium Ltd

- Dan Rodgers, Domains Manager, Paragon
- Ding Yang, Technical Director, BizCN
- Rick Wesson, CEO, Support Intelligence, Inc
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Staff Implementation Project's Leadership: GDD Registry Services

Staff Project Team Members:

- Jennifer Gore (Registrar Services)
- Francisco Arias (Technical Services)
- Gustavo Lozano (Technical Services)
- Erika Randall (Legal)
- Marika Konings (Policy)
- Berry Cobb (Policy)
- Steve Chan (Policy)
- Jonathan Denison (Contract Compliance)
- Antonietta Mangiacotti (Policy Research)
- Dennis Chang (Registry Services) - Project Lead