

# Update at APTLD Meeting



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# Overview

- IANA update
- Some ongoing work at ICANN
- Participation

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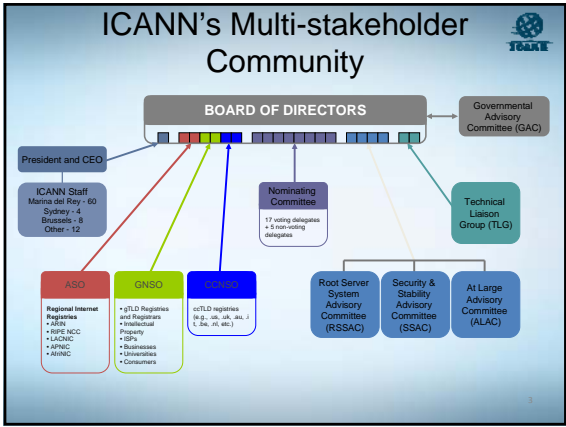
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### IDN ccTLD's

- 31 requests received
  - Representing 19 languages
- 4 delegated first
  - Egypt, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates
- 3 approved for delegation at ICANN Board meeting, Brussels (25 June 2010)
  - China, Hong Kong, Taiwan
- More to come...

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### What is IANA doing

- Processing many more delegation requests due to Fast Track
- Week before Brussels meeting: 46 active root zone change requests - a record!
- Continuing to pursue publication of more documentation
- Encourage prospective applicants to liaise with ICANN IANA staff prior to submission, to avoid incorrect assumptions
- Looking at staffing as we see more applications, and foresee new gTLDs coming along

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### New IANA Whois

- Accepts any domain including IDNs
- And Number Resources
  - IPv4 allocations
  - IPv6 allocations
  - AS numbers
  - specific numbers and range support
  - converts 6to4, TEREDO, GLOP etc. addresses
  - referrals to RIR WHOIS servers
  - references to RFCs for special allocations

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### Signing the Root

- Where we are at:
  - Now accepting DS records
  - Key Signing Key generated at a “Key Ceremony”
  - Root Zone signed, published as “deliberately unvalidatable” prior to full launch

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## What now



- TLDs using DNSSEC can submit their DS records at any time
  - Expanded template on [www.iana.org](http://www.iana.org)
  - Process the same as other root zone changes
- Removal of the “DURZ” estimated for 15 July

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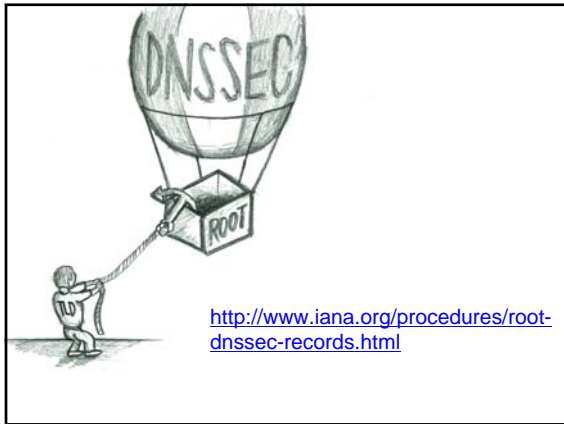
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**New gTLD Program** 

- Published Applicant Guidebook draft version 4
  - Redlined to show changes from v3
  - Public comment period to close 21 July
- Board to use its 24-25 Sep retreat for the consideration of all the outstanding issues relating to the implementation of the New gTLD program

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**Other topical areas** 

- DNSSEC rollout
  - Support from community for wider deployment
- Global DNS-CERT
  - Continuing community consultation
- WHOIS studies
- Board adopted Fiscal Year 2011 budget
- Internet Governance Forum
  - Continuation of this useful forum to be supported and ensure Governments are properly briefed of the issues

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## Get involved, contribute

- Participation in ICANN is open to all who have an interest in ICANN's mission
- Post public comments online:
  - <http://www.icann.org/en/public-comment/>
- Public meetings held three times a year
  - Next ICANN 39 Meeting, Cartagena, Colombia – December 2010
  - Remote participation features available
  - Submit fellowship application to attend future meetings
    - <http://www.icann.org/en/fellowships/>
- An invitation to formalize relationship with ICANN
  - Join the ccNSO (It's your community!)
  - Exchange of Letters or Accountability Framework agreement

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## Thank You!

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