

# Framework for .JP Administration

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# 1. JPRS – Overview

- **Independent, private, for-profit company established in 2000**
- **Contract with ICANN**
- **Endorsed by the government of Japan as .JP registry**
  - Letter of endorsement (issued in 2002)
    - Government submitted it to ICANN
      - It is attached to .jp Sponsorship Agreement
  - JPRS respects the endorsement on its own motive
- **Overseen by Japan Network Information Center (JPNIC) and the government based on ICANN contract**

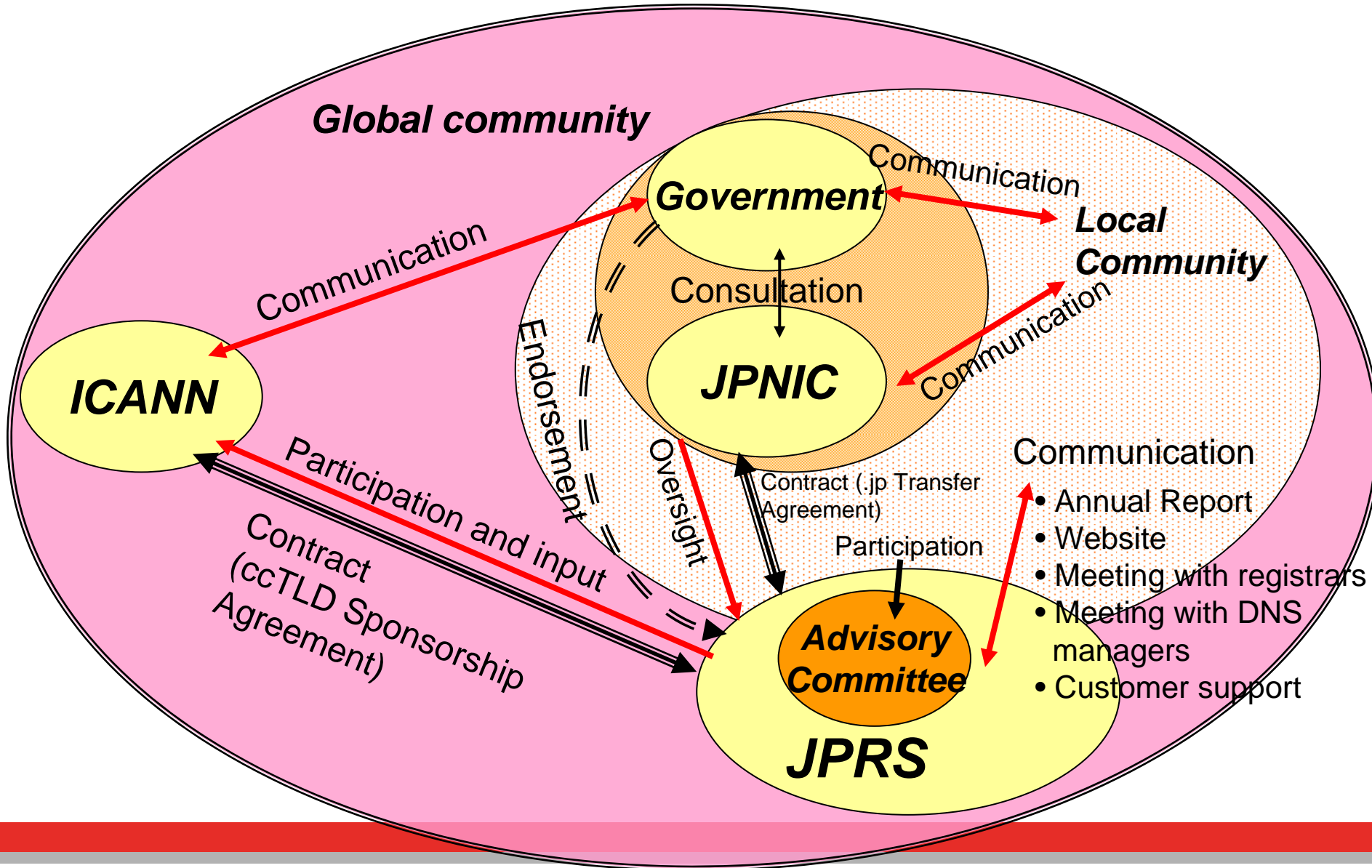
## **2. History of .JP Administration**

<b>1986</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>.JP delegated to Prof. Jun Murai</b>
<b>1993</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>JPNIC was established (Prof. Murai as President)</b>
<b>2000</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>JPNIC decided to establish a new company JPRS established</b>
<b>2002</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Government endorsed JPRS as the manager for .JP TLD  JPRS and JPNIC signed agreement for transfer of management</b>
	<b>Feb</b>	<b>ICANN and JPRS signed ccTLD Sponsorship Agreement for .JP</b>
	<b>Apr</b>	<b>Transfer of management responsibility to JPRS was completed</b>

### 3. Role of JPRS and JPNIC

	JPRS	JPNIC
JP Domain Name	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administers <u>.JP domain names</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Develops name registration policy and registry systems</li> <li>- Manages registry database</li> <li>- Manages JP DNS</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oversees administration of .JP conducted by JPRS</li> <li>• Maintains JP-DRP (JP domain name dispute resolution policy)</li> </ul>
IP Address		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allocates <u>IP addresses</u></li> </ul>

# 4. Framework of .JP Administration



## ***5. Relationship with the Government***

- Voluntary dialogue
- “Bottom-up, private-sector-led Internet”
  - Consensus established among community members including JPRS and government over the years
  - Always seeking proper balance between regulation and private self-governance
    - That is why we need frequent communication
- Primary concern is the .jp community as a whole
  - Government is one of the community members (government realizes that)
  - JPRS should communicate with the other community members thru different channels in parallel
    - Advisory Committee, registrar meetings, public comment forum, etc.

**Thank you!**