.nz Registration Policy

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The .nz Domain Name Space

- No legislation covering the .nz domain name space (MOU with Government)
- .nz domain name space operates as a Shared Registry System (SRS)
- Authorised registrars have access to the register and full responsibility for their domain names
- The SRS is governed by a series of .nz policies and procedures and formal agreements
Registration rules

- Register at the second or third level (internetnz.nz / internetnz.net.nz)
- There are no registration restrictions for any of the ‘open’ second level domains (2LDs)
  - .co.nz, .net.nz, .org.nz, .geek.nz, .kiwi.nz, .māori.nz, .gen.nz, .school.nz and .ac.nz
- Registrants must be properly constituted organisations or individuals over the age of 18 years
- No geographic restrictions on registrants
- All details must be current and correct
- Complaints to registrars, escalated to DNCL
- Domain Names can be cancelled by DNCL if details not corrected
Policy Compliance

- Technical validation checks by registry
- Regular Compliance checks on both registrar and registrants
- Incorrect Registration details follow up
- Unauthorised change of registrant investigations
- General domain name related advice and guidance
http://dnc.org.nz