ccNSO Update

APTLD Meeting

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ccNSO Membership (according to ICANN regions)

- 149 members (March 2014)
- Latest member: .id (Indonesia)

Observers: AfTLD, APTLD, CENTR, LACTLD
ccNSO Council

- Annual Council Workshop
  - Two-year work plan
  - Roles and responsibilities of Councilors
  - Increase active participation of membership
- Newly appointed Council members
  - African Region: Souleymane Oumtanaga, .ci (re-elected)
  - Asia-Pacific Region: Hiro Hotta, .jp (re-elected)
  - European Region: Nigel Roberts, .JE & GG (new)
  - Latin American and Caribbean Region: Victor Abboud, .ec (re-elected)
  - North American Region: Dotty Sparks de Blanc, .vi (re-elected)
ccNSO activities

- IDN ccTLDs
  - IDN ccPDP status update
- Framework of Interpretation WG
- Financial contributions
- Internet Governance
- Other Topics
Current status IDN ccPDP

• ccNSO Council adopted Final Report (April 2013)
• Members adopted recommendations
  – 71 votes, 65 in favor
• Board Report conveyed to ICANN Board (October 2013)

Next steps:
• Review of second panel experiences
• Board vote
• Work on policy aspects IDN Variants ccTLD
Framework of Interpretation
Purpose and scope

– No new Policy, but interpretation of existing policy
  • Basic policy document: RFC 1591, 1994
– No ccPDP -> ccNSO WG structure
– ccNSO and GAC have to support recommendations
– Topics:
  • obtaining and documenting consent
  • obtaining and documenting support from Significantly Interested Parties (Local Internet Community or LIC)
  • revocation and un-consented re-delegations
  • IANA reporting on delegation and re-delegation.
  • Glossary of Terms
Progress FoI WG

- WG full consensus on recommendations around revocation/un-consented re-delegations, Significantly Interested Parties and Consent
  - Major substantive topics
  - Recommendations to be included in Final report
- Glossary of terms full Consensus WG
- Final Report, including all recommendations to be presented in London
- Final Report to be submitted to ccNSO and GAC for support (London meeting)
ccTLD Financial contributions

• ccTLD Financial Contribution to ICANN
  – NO Fee for ccNSO membership

• ccNSO Finance WG Closed in BA

• Mandate
  – Model and mechanism for Allocation of ccTLD’s related Expenses
  – Distribution model

• Goal: voluntary, agreed, predictable and sustainable model for contribution
Value Based Approach

Specific
- Easily Identifiable
- Direct support of the ccTLD’s
- Benefit exclusively the ccTLD’s

Shared
- Shared resources for shared benefit
- Not directly accountable to ccTLD’s
- Tangible matters

Global
- Support of the Internet eco-System
- Support of the global infrastructure
- Subjective matters
ccTLD Financial contributions

Total voluntary contribution ccTLDs

USD 3.5 million

Council adopted new Guideline
Voluntary contribution
Banded Model

ICANN to Approach ccTLDs
(no further role ccNSO)
ccNSO IANA Stewardship Transition

• NTIA Announcement March 2014
• ICANN initiated process during Singapore

• Perspectives on Transition Oversight Function: by its very nature impact on all ccTLDs

All ccTLDs invited to participate
(members and non-members ccNSO)
(members and non-members APTLD or other Regional ccTLD organisation)
IANA Oversight Transition Process

• ccNSO Council IANA Transition Coordination Committee: role coordinate efforts
• ccNSO Council submission to ICANN Process:
  – Include process and procedures for development requirement root zone management functions and accountability of IAAN Functions operator
  – (cc)TLDs operators are affected parties
  – Principles, Mechanisms and Processes for Transitional Proposal Development
Internet Governance

• Major area for discussion ICANN community

• Several Panels and other overlapping initiatives
  – 3 related ICANN appointed Strategy Panels
  – High Level Panel in Internet Governance
    • Final Report expected soon
  – 1Net
  – ccWG on Internet Governance

• ccNSO Council created group to inform community on developments
Other Activities
ccNSO WGs

• Strategic and Operational WG
  – Input on draft ICANNs Strategic Plan 2016-2020
  – Input on draft ICANN FY 2015 Operational Plan and Budget

• Technical Working Group
  – Prepare agenda and meeting ccNSO Tech day
  – Every Monday at ICANN meetings
  – Focus Operational and Technical aspects ccTLDs
ccNSO Council Committees

• Committee review Election Guidelines
  – Issues voting tool
  – Issues election method
  – Discussion on implementation Quorum Rule

• ccNSO Council Triage Committee
  – Advise Council on requests for actions
  – http://ccnso.icann.org/about/council/decisions.htm
Joint WGs (cross community WGs)

• Joint ccNSO-GNSO IDN WG
  – Closed, ccNSO and GNSO monitor progress Universal Acceptance Initiative

• Joint WG on use of Country & Territory names as TLDs
  – Established at Singapore meeting
  – Volunteers appointment

• ccWG on Framework of Principles for ccWG
  – WG to develop principles how to establish, participate in and, manage ccWGs
  – Some internal working methods
  – Established and volunteers appointed
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