Organisational Framework and Registration Policy

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Scope

• Organisation Framework
• Registration Policies
Organisation Framework

• SGNIC is a Private Limited Company
• Wholly owned subsidiary of Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (IDA)
Registry-Registrar Model (II)
Registration Policy (I)

- 7 categories of .SG Domain Names

  - .sg
    - Open to all with local admin contact
  - com.sg
    - Companies, Businesses and Professional Bodies
  - net.sg
    - Singapore Telecom Operators, Datacentres
  - org.sg
    - Organisations and Societies
  - edu.sg
    - Educational Institutions
  - gov.sg
    - Government Agencies
  - per.sg
    - Singapore Citizens and PR
Registration Policy (II)

- Register in the eligible categories only

- Registrant shall ensure all information in the registration record is up-to-date, complete and accurate

- Names in the Reserved List shall not be registered unless approved by SGNIC. e.g. porn, erotic, religious-sensitive names

- No selling of domain names

- Don’t use the name in undesirable manners (no malware, phishing, scam, spam, pornography, fake medical products, copyright infringements)
## Domain Name Abuses

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### Counter-measures
- Seek direction from govt. agency (Media)
- Seek direction from govt. agency (Health)
- Advise victim to seek own legal recourse
Domain Name Abuses

Studying a 3 pronged approach:

1. Effective Detection + Tracking + Enforcement
   - Domain Name Abuse Management System (AMS) - semi-automated checking and tracking of registration abuses and malware distribution/phishing
   - Enforcement

2. Effective Verification of Identity
   - “VerifiedID@SG” scheme
   - Leveraging on National online personal ID authentication (SingPass)

3. More involvement in anti-malware/phishing activities
   - Formalise collaboration with SingCERT with agreed procedures
   - Spread the word to all involved parties (ISP, website hosting provider, registrant, admin and tech contact)
   - Last straw: suspend - drawing powers from agreement
Thank you and
Wish us good luck