

AoCCWG Whois Review Provision Proposal

ICANN ~~additionally~~ commits to enforcing its existing policy relating to WHOIS/Directory Services, subject to applicable laws. Such existing policy requires that ICANN implement measures to maintain timely, unrestricted and public access to accurate and complete WHOIS information, including registrant, technical, billing, and administrative contact information. ~~One year from the effective date of this document and then no less frequently than every three years thereafter, ICANN will organize a review of WHOIS policy and its implementation. The Board shall cause a periodic Review~~ to assess the extent to which WHOIS/Directory Services policy is effective and its implementation meets the legitimate needs of law enforcement and promotes consumer trust. ~~The review will be performed by volunteer community members and the review team will be constituted and published for public comment, and will include the following (or their designated nominees): the Chair of the GAC, the CEO of ICANN, representatives of the relevant Advisory Committees and Supporting Organizations, as well as experts, and representatives of the global law enforcement community, and global~~ This Review will consider the OECD guidelines regarding privacy experts. Composition of the review team will be agreed jointly by the Chair of the GAC (, as defined by the OECD in consultation with GAC members) and the CEO of ICANN. Resulting 1980 and amended in 2013. The Review Team shall assess the extent to which prior Review recommendations ~~of the reviews will be provided to the Board and posted for public comment. The Board will take action within six months of receipt of the recommendations. have been implemented. This periodic Review shall be convened no less frequently than every five years, measured from the date the previous Review was convened.~~