

## Invitation to Provide Input – ICANN Community

On behalf of the Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO) Council, we are writing to provide you with an update and seek your feedback on the proposed implementation documents for PDP 3.0, a GNSO Council initiative aimed to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of GNSO policy development processes. The [GNSO Council response](#) to the “Next Steps to Improve the Effectiveness of ICANN’s Multistakeholder Model” public comment contains background of the PDP 3.0 initiative and details of our implementation process.

As of today, the GNSO Council has received the implementation documents for ten (10) out of the fourteen (14) PDP 3.0 improvements. We expect to receive the proposed implementation for the remaining four (4) improvements sometime before the GNSO Council Strategic Planning Session in January 2020. You are welcome to check this [wiki page](#) for details and future updates.

As the GNSO Council is in the process of reviewing these proposed implementation documents, we invite your members to provide feedback and input for the selected improvements in the table attached. We believe these improvements may affect the participation of members in the wider ICANN community in GNSO PDP working groups, while the other improvements are internal to the procedure within the GNSO.

The GNSO Council appreciate your comments and will take them into consideration when finalizing the proposed implementation. If possible, please forward your comments and input to the GNSO Council via your GNSO Council liaison (if any) or by emailing [gnso-secs@icann.org](mailto:gnso-secs@icann.org) by **22 November 2019** so that we may fully consider them in our further deliberation.

Yours sincerely,

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Improvement	Implementation Document	Short Description
#1 Terms of participation for working group members	<a href="#">Statement of participation</a>	A document that seeks affirmative commitment from working group members before they can participate in a working group
#2 Consider alternatives to open working group model	<a href="#">A comparison table of working group models</a>	A document that identifies three policy working group models, notes aspects for consideration during working group formation, and lists elements of different models that can be mixed and matched
#3 Criteria for joining of new members after a PDP working group is formed or rechartered	<a href="#">Criteria for joining of new members</a>	A document that provides additional clarifications for the GNSO Working Group Guidelines and outlines factors that a working group should consider in determining whether to accept new members after the start of the effort
	<a href="#">Working group member skills guide</a>	A document that lists resources, tips, and suggestions that help ensure new members are sufficiently prepared for full participation in a working group