Work document Design Team CSC

Proposed issues for CSC group

Black text is structure

Blue text is proposals

Green text is to-do:s and interdependencies with other DT:s

# **CSC**

## **CSC function design:**

Is the function needed?

What is the explicit mandate for CSC?

What is explicit no-go for the CSC (relation to a MRT)?

Should it be a standing body?

Degree of internal/externa lto ICANN? i.e. Own budget? Own lawyers? Etc.?

CSC representativity to what? Accountability towards whom? Should it consist of a majority of direct customers (registries?)

If Yes: How should composition of CSC be designed? (equal repr. Cc:s and g:s? Others? How many in total? Non customer representation? SSAC/RSAC Representation?

## **Performance assessment and escalation:**

What happens if CSC underperform? What happens if CSC do the wrong things?

General question: What should be the escalation steps?

Alt. 1) escalation to MRT

Alt. 2) CSC and MRT are (within) the same (organization).

Escalation path in cooperation with SLA/SLE Design team

## **An appeals process (IAP)?**

Alt.1: If Yes to IAP:

Alt.2: If No to IAP:

## **Accountability**

* Assuming no *one-size-fit-all*:

*Suggesting division within two mechanisms of accountability:*

1. Contracting Co for contracted (generic?) TLD:s?
2. New Policy (FoI WG outcome) for non-contracted (cc) TLD:s?
* Last resort Function?

Codify the nuclear option in written form.

Separability – how? (spilling individual board members, the whole board, Who triggers such spilling-the-board impulses?

Detailed process description for initiating separability (see escalation path)