**Success Criteria for the GAC-GNSO CG Recommendations concerning Early Engagement of the GAC in the GNSO Policy Development Process – Issue Scoping Phase**

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| Preliminary Recommendation (PR) and associated action | Group concerned with the action: GAC or GNSO | Criteria to be considered in measuring the success of carrying out the recommendation |
| PR#1: GNSO successfully identifies standing GAC Advice on new PDPs within the pilot period. | GNSO | 1. Has this been incorporated in the preliminary issues report by day 45? 2. Has this been communicated to the GAC? |
| PR#2: GAC QLMC created consisting of the GAC Chair and Vice Chairs. | GAC | 1. Will the membership of the QLMC be expanded, or a new QLMC created? 2. Have GAC members indicated willingness and availability to participate in a QLMC? 3. Will active participation in the QLMC be measured? 4. How well is membership in the QLMC maintained? How often do members drop out of the committee? |
| PR#3: GNSO Council liaison to the GAC and/or GNSO secretariat communicates the existence of a request for an issues report to the GAC. | GNSO | 1. Has this been done within the day 0-5 period? 2. Has the topic information been communicated thoroughly to the GAC? 3. Has the publication of a preliminary issues report been communicated to the GAC by day 45? |
| PR#4: GAC QLMC convenes and deliberates on the content of a preliminary issues report. | GAC | 1. Were emails and/or conference calls sufficient for the QLMC to develop recommendations for the GAC? 2. Have recommendations developed by the QLMC been finalized and communicated to the GAC by day 60? |
| PR#5: GAC reviews the QLMC recommended response to a preliminary issues report. | GAC | 1. How responsive are GAC members to a consensus-call regarding QLMC recommendations?  * Is a consensus call via email sufficient? * Are conference calls required to achieve consensus? Are they easy to schedule? * Is a face-to-face meeting required to achieve consensus?  1. Does the GAC approve the QLMC recommendations? 2. Does the GAC refer the recommendations back to the QLMC for further deliberation and amendments? 3. Does the GAC, in its entirety, decide to deliberate on a preliminary issues report following the recommendations of a QLMC?  * If the answer is “yes”, have the previous deliberations conducted by the QLMC been helpful to the GAC in continuing the discussion?  1. Can the GAC achieve consensus on feedback to a preliminary issues report by day 80? |
| PR#6: GAC Secretariat communicates GAC response to the preliminary issues report to the GNSO Council liaison to the GAC. | GAC | Has this been done by day 85? |
| PR#7: Final issues report published on day 100. | GNSO | In the event that the GAC input was that the issues report involves public policy implications, was this included? |
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