PURPOSE 4

Provide mechanisms for safeguarding Registered Name Holders' Registration Data in the event of a business or technical failure, or other unavailability of a Registrar or Registry Operator

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Noted Concerns

Concern	Corresponding PCRT Comment #	Further Discussion Required?
Or other unavailability should be removed from the purpose as it is too broad	9, 10, 11, 13 (Blacknight, GoDaddy, Key-Systems, RrSG, i2coalition)	Yes/No
Adding "past and present" before "registered name holders'" and also before "registration data" is important, to ensure that it's not just a current snapshot of current data that is being retained, but an entire history of both current and past registrants' data, in escrow. If only a current snapshot is maintained, critical data would be lost in the event of a business or technical failure, etc.	14 (Leap of Faith Financial Services)	Yes/No
This purpose is unnecessary if Purpose 1 is reworded to, "AS SUBJECT TOREGISTRY AND REGISTRAR TERMS, CONDITIONS AND POLICIES, AND ICANNCONSENSUS POLICIES: TO RECORD AND MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THE NAMES AND CONTACT INFORMATION OF DOMAIN NAME REGISTRANTS".	16 (John Poole)	Yes/No