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| **Ranking of Use Cases** |

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\*1. Name

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\*2. Filling out on behalf of (name of group):

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3. Please rank in order of priority (with 1 being the highest priority) the use cases that the EPDP Team should review first. Note this does not include the use cases that the EPDP Team is already working on. For further information about each use case, please see <https://community.icann.org/x/-KCjBg>.

Investigation of criminal activity against a victim in the jurisdiction of the investigating EU LEA requesting data from a local data controller.

Investigation of criminal activity against a victim in the jurisdiction of the investigating LEA requesting data from either a local or non-local data controller.

Investigation of criminal activity in the jurisdiction of the investigating LEA requesting data from either a local a non-local data controller.

Initial investigation of criminal activity against a victim and/or secondary victim where domain names are used in the commission of the crime

Identify owner of abusive domains and other related domains involved in civil legal claims related to phishing, malware, botnets, and other fraudulent activities

The establishment, exercise or defense of a legal claim involving a registrant of a domain name

Search Engines, Messaging Services & Social Media Platforms seeking to confirm the authenticity of businesses advertising or Posting News on its Platform

When a network is undergoing an attack involving a domain name, and the operator(s) of that network need to contact the domain owner to remediate the security issue (DDOS, Botnet, etc.)

Determine “Reputation” of domain name and/or elements associated with domain name registrations.

Investigation of criminal activity where domain names are used. Typical specific example: phishing attack.

Online buyers identifying and validating the source of goods or services/ Internet users validating the legitimacy of an email or a website to protect themselves.

Consumer protection organizations.

Trademark owners requesting data in the establishment, exercise or defense of legal claims for trademark infringement.

Copyright owners requesting data in the establishment, exercise or defense of legal claims for copyright infringement.

Providers requesting access required to facilitate due process in the UDRP and URS.

M&A name portfolio due diligence or purchase of domain name from bankrupt entity or other seller.

Help a certification authority determine and validate the identity of the entity associated with a domain name that will be bound to an SSL/TLS certificate.

Contacting the Registrant to resolve a Technical or Operational Issue with a Domain Name.

Maintaining the domain name registration by the Registered Name Holder.

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4. Please indicate which, if any, use cases should be combined into a single use case.

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