NOTE: In relation to the definitions of a Privacy Service and a Proxy Service, the WG makes the following additional recommendation:

Registrars are not to knowingly accept registrations from privacy or proxy service providers who are not accredited through the process developed by ICANN.[[1]](#footnote-2) For non-accredited entities registering names on behalf of third parties, the WG notes that the obligations for Registered Name Holders as outlined in section 3.7.7 of the 2013 RAA would apply[[2]](#footnote-3).

1. “Knowingly” refers to actual knowledge in this context. As implementation guidance, this knowledge would normally be obtained through a report to the registrar from ICANN or a third party. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. Section 3.7.7.3 of the 2013 RAA reads as follows: “Any Registered Name Holder that intends to license use of a domain name to a third party is nonetheless the Registered Name Holder of record and is responsible for providing its own full contact information and for providing and updating accurate technical and administrative contact information adequate to facilitate timely resolution of any problems that arise in connection with the Registered Name.” [↑](#footnote-ref-3)