

## Latin Generation Panel (GP) Meeting Notes from the meeting on 5 September 2019

Meeting Attendees (in alphabetical order)

GP members:

1. Bill Jouris
2. Dennis Tan
3. Hazem Hezzah
4. Meikal Mumin
5. Mirjana Tasić

Staff:

6. Pitinan Kooarmornpatana

### Meeting Notes

1. The GP planned for ICANN66 Montreal and agreed to have a public session for Latin GP meeting with Integration Panel.
  - a. The objective of the session is to present the progress of the LGR proposal. It will give a chance for GP to explain some of the topics in details and also receive feedback from Integration Panel as well as from the community. It will be an exchanging of information session.
  - b. The GP requested to have the session in the morning so online participants from Europe can join the meeting during their daytime.
  - c. Bill, Dennis, Hazzem, and Mirjana plan to attend ICANN66 meeting in person.
2. The GP continued discussing the “Sharp S (00DF) vs SS” regarding the disposition of SS → ß Discussion.
  - a. Meikal shared that the larger part of Sharp S users do not expect that SS is equivalent to Sharp S. There are three main Sharp S user communities: the Swiss, the German, and the Austrian. The Swiss uses SS. The German uses Sharp S, if it is available, as it is a default way of spelling. However, the German accepts the replacement by SS as its orthographic mechanism. He was not sure about the Austrian’s usage.
  - b. German language user community in Germany is larger than other two countries. The GP discussed if this fact creates any disadvantage for the smaller German language communities and concluded that the affect is minimal. Also, this is the general first come - first serve mechanism which applies across all domain names.
  - c. The GP agreed to continue discussing the disposition of SS → ß on the mailing list and in the next call.
3. Next meeting is 12 September 2019 at 16:00 UTC

### Action Items

S. No.	Action Items	Owner
1	<i>Organize the Latin GP meeting with IP session during ICANN66 as discussed by the GP.</i>	PK
2	<i>Continue discussing the disposition of SS → ß on the mailing list</i>	ALL