



The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

Steve Crocker, Chairman of the Board, ICANN

Akram Attalah, Interim CEO, ICANN

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Dear Steve, Dear Akram,

At its June 23, 2012 meeting, the Board passed a resolution on the WHOIS Policy Review Team Final Report

<http://www.icann.org/en/groups/board/documents/resolutions-23jun12-en.htm#5>).

That resolution included resolved clause #2012.06.23.26 which read: *the Board encourages public input on the Final Report and Recommendations, and requests that the ASO, ccNSO, GNSO, ALAC, GAC, and SSAC provide input to the Board by 31 August 2012.*

I write to inform you that although the GNSO Council has undertaken work on this item, we will not be able to finalise that work by tomorrow's deadline.

However, the Council is continuing its work on this issue and, our next teleconference meeting being on September 13, 2012, remains hopeful that it can provide input to the Board as requested shortly after that meeting.

Yours Sincerely,

Stéphane Van Gelder

Chair, GNSO Council

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