

Affirmation of Commitments Review Team  
Additional GNSO Requirements

A person seeking GNSO endorsement must include the following information in the application:

- The applicant's full name, title, contact information and employer;

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- The ICANN Geographic Region(s) in which the applicant is a citizen and a resident;

North America

- Identification of the GSNO stakeholder group, if any, to which the applicant feels most closely affiliated;

Registrar Stakeholder Group

- An attestation that the applicant is able and willing to commit an estimated average of about ten hours per week during the review period, in addition to participating in face to face review team meetings;

Attested.

- Identification of any financial ownership or senior management/leadership interest of the applicant in registries, registrars or other entities that are stakeholders or interested parties in ICANN or any entity with which ICANN has a transaction, contract, or other arrangement;

As a member of senior management of Network Solutions, LLC, I have a long-term incentive plan in an ICANN-accredited registrar.

- Indication of whether the applicant would be representing any other party or person on the review team and, if so, identification of that party or person;

I would not be representing any other party or person on the review team.

- A two to three paragraph statement about the applicant's knowledge of the GNSO community's structures and operations and any participation therein;

I am very familiar with the GNSO's structures and operations via my participation in the RrSG with my current employer, as my participation in the RySG for my previous employer (NeuStar). My participation is generally directed towards items that have technical impacts, as distinct from those that are more oriented toward policy.

- A one to two paragraph statement about the applicant's specialized technical or other expertise of direct relevance to the responsibilities of the review team in question.

As described in my CV, I have 10 years of experience in DNS at both a TLD registry and a registrar (where we manage the DNS for many of our domain name registrants). At my previous employer, we built a global "green field" DNS infrastructure for .BIZ and subsequently expanded its size and scope. I am a long-term ICANN participant and am therefore accustomed to its processes and am also currently an active member of the ICANN SSAC.