

Report on ICANN Activity for November 2015

At-Large Ad-Hoc WG on the Transition of US Government Stewardship of the IANA Function

During this month, the proposal from the Cross-Community Working Group on Enhancing ICANN Accountability ("CCWG") produced a Second Draft of the Accountability Proposal. There are still two major issues that are "a work in progress". Certain other issues will be left until after IANA's transition, to be dealt with in "Work Stream 2".

Along with the rather long "formal" proposal, an overview document has been made available for review. This document – much shorter than the proposal and written in (relatively) plain language, is available at:

<https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/cwg-draft-2-proposal-work-stream-1-recs-15nov15-en.pdf>

Work on drafting of the new bylaws continues.

North American At Large Organization (NARALO)

No significant activity.

Technology Task Force

The session on "tor" that was predicted in the last report took place. The presenter was David Goulet of Torproject, whose slides are available at:

<https://people.torproject.org/~dgoulet/volatile/icann.pdf>

There were several points in David's presentation that supported my recommendation that ICANN should not be in the position of publicly advocating its use.

Registration Issues:

No significant activity.