

Subject: Request #2008010, .BIZ 1 & 2 Character Marketing Proposal

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Re: Proposal #2008010, .BIZ 1 & 2 Character Marketing Proposal

Dear Jeff,

This letter is to inform you that ICANN has made a preliminary determination on NeuStar's proposed new registry service.

ICANN's preliminary determination has not identified any significant security, stability or competition issues. As noted in your proposal, because implementation would require an amendment to the .BIZ Registry Agreement, dated 8 December 2006, the proposed contract amendments must be published for public comment and referred to the ICANN Board for consideration.

We look forward to continued discussions to resolve these issues in the near future.

Patrick

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