## AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dot Registry, LLC,

Claimant,

vs.

CASE NO. 01-14-0001-5004

Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

Respondent.

## PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1

Pursuant to the International Arbitration Rules ("the Rules") of the International Center for Dispute Resolution ("ICDR"), a telephonic preliminary hearing was held on November 25, 2014 before Emergency Arbitrator Mark C. Morril. Appearing on behalf of the Claimant Dot Registry, LLC were Arif H. Ali, Erin Yates and Meredith Craven of Weil Gotshal & Manges LLP. Appearing on behalf of Respondent Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Number was Jeffrey LeVee of Jones Day. Also present was Tess Pattison-Wade, an employee of the Claimant.

By Agreement of the parties and order of the Emergency Arbitrator, the following is now in effect:

1. The parties have accepted the appointment of Mark C. Morril as Emergency Arbitrator pursuant to Article 6 of the Rules. The parties agree that Claimant's Request for Emergency Arbitrator and Interim Measures of Protection ("Request") is governed by Article 6 of the Rules; Article IV, Section 3 of the ICANN Bylaws and the ICDR Supplementary Procedures for Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) Independent Review Process. 2. ICANN will submit its response to Dot Registry's Request on December 8, 2014 in the form of a written statement accompanied by documents to support its claim.

3. ICANN has confirmed that Dot Registry will not be required to pay any deposits associated with the auctions for the gTLD strings that are the subject of this dispute until sometime after January 2, 2015 and that no auction will be conducted for the gTLD strings prior thereto.

4. The Emergency Arbitrator will conduct a telephonic hearing on December 16, 2014, beginning at 1:00 PM Eastern Standard Time.

5. The Emergency Arbitrator shall provide a reasoned order or award.

6. All submissions shall be made electronically by email directly to the Emergency Arbitrator, provided that counsel for the opposing counsel is copied and a copy is provided to the Case Counsel. All submissions, including documents submitted with the parties' written statements and the authorities cited in such submissions also shall be furnished to the Emergency Arbitrator in hard copy form by hand-delivery or overnight mail.

7. A pre-hearing telephonic status conference will be held on December 11, 2014 at 2:00 PM Eastern Standard Time.

So Ordered:

Mark C. Morril, Emergency Arbitrator

Dated: November 26, 2014