The GNSO Council would like to thank the Board and the GAC for the interest in this critical issue and the hard work that has been done during the recent and ongoing consultations. The GNSO Council appreciates these efforts and also appreciates the effort to bring to a close the implementation of the Policy Development Process.

The GNSO Council is ready to help the Board and the GAC work on the issues that are currently before them and to provide any detail or context that may be needed during your discussions.

In light of the importance of the bottom-up multi-stakeholder approach, we recognise that any result from the Board/GAC consultations should also take into consideration input by both the GAC and the GNSO community.

The Board/GAC consultations will result in new elements with regards to the new gTLD program, so we ask that any resulting modifications to the guidebook be finalized in a timely manner and published as soon as possible.

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