

### The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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#### RE: NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION AGREEMENT

Dear Ms. Bullock,

Please be advised that C I Host, Inc.'s ("C I Host") Registrar Accreditation Agreement ("RAA") with the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers ("ICANN") dated 4 Feb 2012 ("RAA") is terminated pursuant to Section 5.3.7 of the RAA. Consistent with RAA Section 5.3 Termination of Agreement by ICANN, this termination is effective immediately.

This termination is based on C I Host's seeming insolvency. ICANN came to this conclusion based on the following:

- 1. The contact details provided to ICANN by CI Host (telephone numbers, fax number and address) are no longer valid, in violation of RAA Section 5.11 Notices, Designations, and Specifications;
- 2. An article published by D Magazine states that another entity purchased the office space where C I Host allegedly operates. To see the article, go to: http://realpoints.dmagazine.com/2012/03/corespace-moving-headquarters-to-dall as/:
- 3. C I Host's failure to provide an interactive webpage, in violation of RAA Section 3.3 Public Access to Data on Registered Names ( www.cishost com does not resolve);
- 4. C I Host's failure to timely pay accreditation fees for several months, in violation of RAA Section 3.9 Accreditation Fees (see the attached customer statement).



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Please refer to the attachment for details regarding ICANN's communications with C I Host.

C I Host is further advised that the logo license Appendix to the RAA is revoked as of 1 March 2013. Please remove all ICANN trademarks, name and logo from C I Host's website and business materials that have been licensed to C I Host under the terms of that Appendix by 1 March 2013. In addition, please pay the outstanding accreditation fees totaling \$9,478.16 immediately. See the attached customer statement for details.

## **Domain Name Transition Process**

To protect domain name registrants, ICANN will commence the domain name transition process and will solicit bids for a qualified ICANN-accredited registrar to manage the domain names currently managed by C I Host.

ICANN will follow the De-Accredited Registrar Transition Procedure "Procedure" <a href="http://www.icann.org/en/processes/registrars/de-accredited-registrar-transition-procedure-01oct08.pdf">http://www.icann.org/en/processes/registrars/de-accredited-registrar-transition-procedure-01oct08.pdf</a> . Consistent with the Procedure, please designate a bulk transfer recipient by 6 March 2013 and inform ICANN's Registrar Liaison Team at RegTransition@icann.org.

ICANN reserves all of its rights under the RAA. Please note the rights and obligations required to have effect after the expiration of the RAA, including but not limited to, Sections 3.4 Retention of Registered Name Holder and Registration Data, 3.9 Accreditation Fees, 5.6 Resolution of Disputes Under this Agreement and 5.7 Limitations on Monetary Remedies for Violations of this Agreement.



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If you have questions or require assistance, please contact Stacy Burnette at <a href="mailto:stacy.burnette@icann.org">stacy.burnette@icann.org</a>.

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Cc: John O. Jeffrey, General Counsel and Secretary

**Enclosure: Customer Statement** 



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# **ATTACHMENT**

Date of Notice	Deadline for Response	Details
22 Feb 13	ASAP	ICANN staff attempted to contact the primary contact, Erin Bullock, via telephone at the cellular number provided by the registrar. No one answered, however ICANN staff left a detailed message regarding C I Host's suspected insolvency and requested that the primary contact respond as soon as possible. No response received.
22 Feb 13	25 Feb 13	ICANN sent C I Host an urgent notice via email at <a href="mailto:erin@constellate.com">erin@constellate.com</a> , facsimile at +1 817 704 4489 and via courier service to 7505 John Carpenter Freeway, Dallas, TX 75247 regarding C I Host's suspected insolvency. The facsimile number was invalid and the courier service returned the notice. No response was received.
1 March13	N/A	ICANN staff attempted to contact the primary contact, Erin Bullock, via telephone at +1 972 439 1885, the business number provided by the registrar. The telephone was answered by an employee of a company named Corespace. ICANN staff asked to speak with C I Host's primary contact, Erin Bullock. The employee stated that no one worked at Corespace named Erin Bullock. When asked whether Corespace is affiliated with CI Host, the employee stated that Corespace purchased some of CI Host's asset, but Corespace is not affiliated with CI Host. The number was deemed invalid.