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RE: GAC Comments on the Amendments to the Base gTLD RA and RAA to Modify DNS Abuse Contract Obligations

Nicolas G. Caballero Chair, Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN)

Cc: Tripti Sinha, Chair, ICANN Board of Directors

Dear Nico,

Thank you very much for your correspondence to me and for alerting the ICANN Board Chair to the recent GAC comments submitted regarding the proposed DNS Abuse Contract Amendments. Input from governments is a valuable component of the multistakeholder model.

ICANN org staff will be reviewing all the community feedback received on this matter and will be consulting with the Contracted Party House Negotiation Team to determine if any modification to the proposed amendments is needed before the amendments are finalized and subjected to a vote of all eligible registrars and registries.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Tripti Sinha, Chair, ICANN Board of Directors