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3 March 2018

Mr. John O. Jeffrey  
General Counsel and Secretary  
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**RE: Rejection Process Termination Notice**

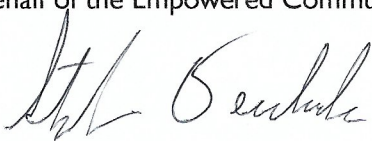
Dear Mr. Jeffrey:

Pursuant to Section 2.2(c)(ii) of Annex D of the ICANN Bylaws, the Empowered Community Administration hereby certifies that the Rejection Process relating to the Empowered Community's consideration of the IANA FY2019 Budget and Operating Plan has been terminated. The relevant Secretary's Notice had been sent to the Empowered Community and this Empowered Community Administration on 8 February 2018 (see <https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/bm/secretarys-notice-redacted-08feb18-en.pdf>).

The Rejection Process was terminated as no petitions were submitted to any Decisional Participant in the Empowered Community within the prescribed Rejection Action Petition Period that expired at 06.59 UTC on 2 March 2018.

Please be so kind as to post this Rejection Process Termination Notice on the ICANN website, as further required by Annex D.

On behalf of the Empowered Community Administration,



Cc:  
Mr. Cherine Chalaby, Chair, ICANN Board of Directors  
Mr. Goran Marby, CEO, ICANN  
Mr. Aftab Siddiqui, Chair, Address Council of the Address Supporting Organization (ASO)  
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