

The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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Mao Wei Chairman of the Board KNET Co., Ltd. People's Republic of China

Dear Mr. Mao,

Thank you for hosting me at your facility during my visit to Beijing. I was impressed by your group's remarkable achievements in the new gTLD and enterprise DNS services, and am grateful for your team's active participation in ICANN, such as Wesley Wang's participation as a Co-Chair of the Chinese Generation Panel. Your continued engagement and participation is critical to the success of the multistakeholder model in ICANN.

I have noted your suggestions. I hope that you will continue to work with my team on the area of the IDN Program. As for speeding up the next new gTLD "round", the community process must run its course and requires your continued support. Lastly, on paying more attention to the APAC Region, my team in the Asia Pacific Hub and Beijing Engagement Centre are key resources, and I hope that they can work closely with you.

Thank you and I hope to meet with you and your colleagues soon at our ICANN meetings.

Yours sincerely,

Göran Marby

President & CEO ICANN