Mr. Christian Tecar  
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Wilmington, DE 19809  

RE: NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION AGREEMENT AND NON-RENEWAL OF ACCREDITATION  

Dear Mr. Tecar:  

Please be advised that as of 23 February 2011, Globe Hosting, Inc. (Globe Hosting) remains in breach of its Registrar Accreditation Agreement (RAA) between the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers ("ICANN") and Globe Hosting. These breaches result from Globe Hosting’s failure to: (1) pay accreditation fees, pursuant to Section 3.9 of the RAA, (2) provide public access to data on registered names, pursuant to Section 3.3 of the RAA and (3) post its deletion and auto-renewal policies, pursuant to Section 3.7.5.5 of the RAA.  

Section 5.4 of the RAA provides that upon the expiration of the Globe Hosting RAA, Globe Hosting may apply for and shall be entitled to renewed accreditation, if Globe Hosting is in compliance with its obligations under the RAA. Based on Globe Hosting’s failure to comply with Sections 3.9 and 3.3 of the RAA, ICANN does not intend to renew Globe Hosting’s accreditation upon the expiration of its RAA on 22 March 2011.  

Failure to Pay Accreditation Fees Pursuant to Section 3.9 of the RAA  

Section 3.9 of the RAA requires registrars to timely pay accreditation fees to ICANN, consisting of yearly and variable fees. Globe Hosting currently owes ICANN $27,057.07 in past due and current accreditation fees.
On 6 October 2010, ICANN sent Globe Hosting a notice of breach of its RAA based on Globe Hosting’s failure to pay past due accreditation fees. Globe Hosting failed to cure this breach in the time period allowed by the RAA.

**Failure to Provide Public Access to Data on Registered Names Pursuant to Section 3.3**

Section 3.3 of the RAA requires Globe Hosting to provide an interactive web page and a port 43 Whois service providing free public query-based access to up-to-date (i.e., updated at least daily) data concerning all active registered names sponsored by Globe Hosting for each TLD in which it is accredited.

ICANN provided notice to Globe Hosting on 12 October 2010 and 24 January 2011 of the unavailability of public access to data on registered names. Globe Hosting’s failure to provide a web-based port 43 Whois services constitutes a breach of Section 3.3 of the RAA.

**Failure to Post Deletion and Auto-Renewal Policies Pursuant to Section 3.7.5.5**

On 24 January 2011, ICANN staff reviewed Globe Hosting’s website to determine whether it was in compliance with Section 3.7.5.5 of the RAA, which requires Globe Hosting to post its deletion and auto-renewal policies on its website. At that time, ICANN staff was unable to locate these policies and we asked you to provide the Uniform Resource Locator (URL) that ICANN staff could use to verify that Globe Hosting’s website includes the required policies. Globe Hosting never responded to ICANN’s request.

As of the date of this letter, ICANN staff is unable to find the required deletion and auto-renewal policies. Globe Hosting’s failure to post its deletion and auto-renewal policies on its website constitutes a breach of Section 3.7.5.5 of the RAA.

**Conclusion**

Based on Globe Hosting’s failure to cure the breach set forth in ICANN’s notice of breach dated 6 October 2010 and failure to comply with Sections 3.3 and 3.7.5.5 of the RAA, Globe Hosting is ineligible to renew its accreditation. Accordingly, Globe Hosting’s RAA will expire on 22 March 2011.

In the interest of protecting domain name registrants, ICANN must immediately commence the domain name transition process and solicit bids for a qualified ICANN-accredited registrar to manage the domain names currently managed by Globe Hosting.
To facilitate the transition of the domain names currently managed by Globe Hosting, ICANN will follow its De-Accredited Registrar Transition Procedure (Procedure) http://www.icann.org/en/processes/registra\-rs/de-acc\-red-registrar-transition-procedure-01oct08.pdf to transition any names managed by Globe Hosting to another ICANN-accredited registrar. We encourage you to read the Procedure in its entirety. Consistent with the Procedure, we are requesting that Globe Hosting designate a bulk transfer recipient by 1 March 2011. Please contact ICANN’s Registrar Liaison Team at RegTransition@icann.org to designate a bulk transfer recipient. We anticipate the full cooperation of Globe Hosting during the transition process.

Kindly note, however, that your designation of a bulk transfer recipient does not prejudice ICANN’s right to the Registration Data Escrow data and other rights under the RAA, as well as ICANN’s right to transfer names to a registrar of our choosing, selected pursuant to the Procedure.

Be advised that termination of Globe Hosting’s RAA does not relieve Globe Hosting of the obligation to pay accreditation fees thereunder, which should be paid immediately. ICANN reserves the right to pursue all means available to collect all accreditation fees owed by Globe Hosting, including recently assessed fees, totaling $27,057.07 (see attached Customer Statement for details).

It is ICANN’s goal to protect registrants from unnecessary harm and we look forward to amicably resolving any domain name transition issues that may arise from this termination.

Should you have questions or require assistance, please feel free to contact me at stacy.burnette@icann.org.

Very truly yours,

Stacy Burnette
Director,
Contractual Compliance

Enclosure: Customer Statement