

Declaration of Interests and Affirmation regarding Conflicts of Interest Policy By Brian Cute for participation in the ICANN Affirmation of Commitments Second Accountability & Transparency Review Team

1. Current vocation, employer and position:

CEO, Public Interest Registry

2. Type of work performed in 1 above and declaration of relationships with entities holding a Financial (or declarable) Interest in ICANN:

Public Interest Registry is the registry operator of the .ORG Top Level Domain. Public Interest Registry is a contracting party with ICANN for the .ORG registry.

3. Identify any financial ownership or senior management/leadership interest in registries, registrars or other firms that are interested parties in ICANN policy or any entity with which ICANN has a transaction, contract, or other arrangement:

As CEO for Public Interest Registry, I hold a senior management/leadership interest in an ICANN contracted TLD registry and am a compensated employee. Public Interest Registry is a U.S. not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization. I hold no financial ownership in Public Interest Registry.

4. Are you, or a company you work for:

Currently an applicant for a new gTLD?

Yes. Public Interest Registry has applied for .NGO, .ONG and 4 IDN versions of .ORG in the newTLD round.

Providing advice to any current or future new gTLD applicants?

No. Neither I nor PIR are providing advice to any current or future new gTLD applicants.

- Otherwise involved in an application submitted for the New gTLD Program, such (as providing service in support of an applicant or having a financial interest in an (applicant? yes to any of the above, please identify the interest you have in the application submitted for the New gTLD Program. (**

If your answer

No.

5. Identify any type of commercial interest in ICANN policy development outcomes. Do you represent other parties in any PDP or other ICANN related processes? (

Other than my employment with Public Interest Registry, there are no commercial interests in PDP outcomes and I do not represent other parties in any PDP or other ICANN related processes.

6. Geographic Region associated with the nationality of volunteer (Africa, North America, Latin America/Caribbean, Asia/Australia/Pacific and Europe):

North America

7. Stakeholder Group(s) AC's or SO's in which I volunteer or currently participate within ICANN:

Registry Stakeholder Group

Except as described above, I have no (i) ownership or investment interest in any entity with which ICANN has an existing or proposed transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement; (ii) a compensation arrangement with any entity or individual with which ICANN has a transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement; and (iii) a potential ownership or investment interest in, or compensation arrangement with, any entity or individual with which ICANN is negotiating a transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement.

SIGNATURE: Brian Cute [signed]

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