The ICC BASIS selection process:

1. BASIS members were called upon by the ICC BASIS Secretariat to indicate their interest to serve on the IANA transition coordination group, taking into account a number of considerations. A deadline for feedback was given.

2. The BASIS secretariat received BASIS members' indication of interest by the specified deadline.

3. The BASIS secretariat circulated all members' indications of interest received to all BASIS members for input, asking them to voice their support or non-support for the proposed candidates.

4. BASIS members *unanimously* voiced their support for Joe Alhadeff as the ICC BASIS/business representative to serve on the IANA transition coordination group.

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