

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No. **16-CV-00862 RGK (JCx)** Date September 22, 2016

Title ***DotConnectAfrica Trust v. Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers***

Present: The Honorable R. GARY KLAUSNER, U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

Sharon L. Williams (Not Present) Deputy Clerk	Not Reported Court Reporter / Recorder	N/A Tape No.
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Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:  
Not Present

Attorneys Present for Defendants:  
Not Present

**Proceedings: (IN CHAMBERS) Order re: Further Briefing**

By way of its Motion to Intervene, ZACR seeks intervention as to the Ninth and Tenth Claims for Declaratory Relief. As to the Tenth Claim, Plaintiff seeks declaration that the Registry Agreement between ZACR and ICANN is null and void. To the extent the Registry Agreement is, in fact, a contract between ZACR and ICANN, it appears that ZACR may be an indispensable party to this claim.

The Court orders the parties and ZACR to file additional briefing on this discrete issue only (i.e., whether ZACR is an indispensable party to Plaintiff's Tenth Claim for Declaratory Relief). All additional briefings are limited to five (5) pages in length, and shall be filed no later than September 27, 2017.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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