

Dear Sirs,

I am applying for the position of Independent Expert.

My motivation is to assist in the continued growth of the functionality of the DNS which I believe requires attention to:

- Development and deployment of technical tool such as DNSSEC which enable the global distribution of authenticated data
- Policies and procedures for the registrars, registries, and ISPs that process and convey DNS data
- User tools and education that provide security models that are understood by any Internet user
- Focused study and oversight of the technical aspects and conversation with all DNS stakeholders

My experience includes the following:

- Authorship of several important DNS RFCs
- Experience with providing DNS service to over 150 million broadband users served by Nominum
- Participation in numerous government, corporate, and academic review processes
- Leadership for Internet as IETF chair, and chair of several working groups
- Past consulting for multiple registries

Please see the attached resume

Sincerely,

Paul V Mockapetris