Dear Registry Operator,

In an effort to consolidate registry communications, we’ve included information on the 2017 Global Amendment which applies to all new generic top level domains and legacy top level domains including .JOBS, .CAT, .PRO, .TEL, .TRAVEL, and .MOBI; and information on the Consistent Labeling and Display Policy implementation which applies to all new generic and legacy top level domains.

**Effective Date of the Approved Amendment to the Base New gTLD Registry Agreement**

This is a reminder of the **31 July 2017 effective date** for the 2017 Global Amendment (“Global Amendment”) to the base New gTLD Registry Agreement (“Registry Agreement”). The effective date follows ICANN’s 60-day notice to registry operators sent on 1 June 2017.

Please refer to the reference materials provided on ICANN’s [Global Amendment webpage](https://www.icann.org/en/topics/amendments/global-amendments) to review the changes to the Registry Agreement, determine necessary implementation measures, and to track updates from ICANN.

If you have any questions, please reach out to us through ICANN’s [Global Domains Division Portal](https://www.icann.org/en/topics/amendments/global-amendments) or email globalsupport@icann.org.

**Template for additional fields for Consistent Labeling and Display Policy Implementation**

The **1 August 2017 effective date** for the Consensus Policy for Registry Registration
Data Directory Services Consistent Labeling and Display ("Policy") is approaching in the next weeks.

ICANN has published a new Consensus Policy implementation concerning the consistent labeling and display of registration data on 1 February 2017, which is available here [https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/rrds-labeling-policy-2017-02-01-en](https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/rrds-labeling-policy-2017-02-01-en).

As outlined in Section 12 of the Policy, Registry Operators may use additional fields on their display without further approval from ICANN. However, Registry Operator shall submit the suggested field to ICANN prior to implementation to ensure compliance with the implementation requirements. The template to submit your data request to ICANN can be found here: [https://community.icann.org/display/TWCPI/Documentation](https://community.icann.org/display/TWCPI/Documentation) Template instructions are included within the template.

For frequently asked questions, please refer to the Thick WHOIS CL&D FAQs page: [https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=64946713](https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=64946713)

Please contact globalsupport@icann.org for any further questions or information regarding this policy or the use of the template.

Sincerely,

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