

## Report of Public Comments

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<b>Section I: General Overview and Next Steps</b>		
Comments received on the WHOIS Review Team Final Report will be factored into subsequent Board consideration and action.		
<b>Section II: Contributors</b>		
<p><i>At the time this report was prepared, a total of sixteen community submissions had been posted to the Forum. The contributions came from thirteen organizations/groups and three individuals, listed below in chronological order by posting date with initials noted. To the extent that quotations are used in the narrative (Section III), such quotations will reference the contributor's initials.</i></p>		
<b>Organizations and Groups:</b>		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Submitted by</b>	<b>Initials</b>
Non-Commercial Stakeholders Group	Wendy Seltzer	NCSG
Messaging, Malware and Mobile Anti-Abuse Working Group	Jerry Upton	M3AWWG
HELP.ORG	HELP.ORG	HELP
Dynamic Network Services, Inc.	Andrew Sullivan	Dyn
InterContinental Hotels Group	Andrea Whetzel	IHG
Internet Committee of the International Trademark Association	Claudio DiGangi	INTA
ICANN Internet Service Provider and Connectivity Providers Constituency	Tony Holmes	ISPCP
GNSO gTLD Registries Stakeholder Group	David Maher	gTLD RySG
Business Constituency	Elisa Cooper	BC
KnjOn	Garth Bruen	Knj
TLDH / Minds + Machines	Antony Van Covering	TLDH/M+M
Asia Pacific Top Level Domain Association	Jian Zhang	APTLD
At-Large Advisory Committee	ICANN Policy Staff in support of ALAC	ALAC

**Individuals:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation (if provided)</b>	<b>Initials</b>
Carel	Spamhaus	C-S
JC Gonzalez	Netlinks	JCG
Sean White	/	SW

**Section III: Summary of Comments**

*General Disclaimer: This section is intended to broadly and comprehensively summarize the comments submitted to this Forum, but not to address every specific position stated by each contributor. Staff recommends that readers interested in specific aspects of any of the summarized comments, or the full context of others, refer directly to the specific contributions at the link referenced above (View Comments Submitted).*

Please go to: <http://www.icann.org/en/news/public-comment/summary-comments-whois-rt-final-report-11jul12-en.pdf> [PDF, 247 KB]