

ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY REVIEW

CONFERENCE CALL – 16 August 2010 – 04:00 UTC

CHAT TRANSCRIPT

James Bladel:Is there a speakerphone on the line? Echo...

Chris:The IANA contract is outside of the scope of the ATRT

Jim Fleming:"As long as the Roots are not severed... all is well. And all will be well... in the garden" - Chauncey (the) Gardner

Jim Fleming:IANA update on <http://TheBigLieSociety.com> 2010

Fabio Colasanti:I agree with Chris, the IANA issue is very important, but it is outside the remit of our work

Erick Iriarte:agree with fabio and chris

Jim Fleming:What is the purpose of ICANN circa 2010...going forward ?

Kieren McCarthy:The Security, Stability and Resiliency review *might* look at IANA but it has nothing to do with the ATRT

Jim Fleming:If ICANN has served the purpose it was created for and now has no mission why not dissolve ICANN in an orderly manner. <spoken with clear NZ accent

Peter Dengate thrush:Its not the IANA contract that is the issue; its the claim that its existence means ICANN can never be transparent. That seems to be something to be easily looked at by Team

Jim Fleming:why not dissolve ICANN in an orderly manner? <forgot ? mark

CLO:The transcripts ARE available in text (PDF) here <http://www.icann.org/en/reviews/affirmation/activities-1-en.htm> WG#3 concern is 'how' we best cross check capture / analyse this data into our work as this is a resource heavy process

Jim Fleming:It appears ICANN is a beached whale...there is no hope it can be pushed back into the ocean...

CLO:We were also concerned about identified 'missing bits' on input e.g. the ALAC statement sent 21 June for forwarding to the ATRT

Jim Fleming:ICANN does not exist to provide "career social savants" a stage to talk and talk and talk

Kieren McCarthy:Is the work of the working groups going to be accessible / transparent?

Chris:Yes Kieren, I believe that it is

James Bladel:Alice: Resent the Evaluation matrix spreadsheet. Can you distribute to the ATRT list?

Jim Fleming:Does anyone comment in ICANN's numerous forums ?

Jim Fleming:Are there any ICANN senior staff left (with a clue) ?

Jim Fleming:A bit of history: an attorney told me he once went to an Annual Shareholder's Meeting and HE was the only one in the room.

James Bladel:Is this timeline on the list?

Jim Fleming:The timeline to Dissolve ICANN ?

James Bladel:No. The berkman timeline

Alice Jansen:yes James, will send it to you

James Bladel:Thank you

Jim Fleming:Berkman may have an attorney or two that knows how to dissolve a corporation in an orderly manner.

Kieren McCarthy:Has anyone else noticed that Jim Fleming is being provocative - or is it my imagination. I'll be sure to flag up if he makes any sense

Jim Fleming:Is Kieren McCarthy still employed by ICANN or on contract ?

Chris:one man's provocation is another man's poison
Jim Fleming:Are there any ICANN time-sheets that show who still goes to ICANN and what they do ?
Jim Fleming:Does the ICANN Board know what ****each**** ICANN employee does ?
Jim Fleming:If there are no employees at ICANN (doing anything) and the Board has no clue, then why prolong the obvious?
Jim Fleming:Again, ICANN does not exist to provide a podium for "social sauvants".
Jim Fleming:Backing up...correction... ICANN could certainly Re-Charter as some sort of ToastMasters Club where people talk in circles to learn to talk in circles.
Jim Fleming:Opinion: A very expensive ToastMaster's Club
Kieren McCarthy:Does you need an audience for this stuff, Jim, or do you sit at home muttering to yourself?
Jim Fleming:Time to write letters... Good luck
Peter Dengate thrush:Alice/James; the new version of the Grp 4 matrix now works - thanks!
James Bladel:Good to hear. Sorry about the previous copy. Not sure what happened there...?
Chris:well i may still be asleep at 08.30 but i'll be in beijing;-)
Chris:or even Beijing
Peter Dengate thrush:Chris.. thats 10.30 am melbourne time.....:-)
Chris:indeed it is Peter... morning nap time;-)
Fabio Colasanti:The full ftf meetings of the RT will take place between the morning of the 5th and the 6th?
Fabio Colasanti:Will we book our rooms via Alice?
Chris:Fabio, a) the team will meet with Board on Sunday
Chris:b) ICANN will organise rooms...Alice will liaise and confirm
Chris:c) I guess there will FtoF meeting certainly after meeting with Board and possibly before as well
Alice Jansen:Fabio, yes happy to handle this - meeting staff has already been informed of the ATRT needs - they are in Cartagena now - I should be able to provide you with their hotel recommendation by the end of the week, all being well
Peter Dengate thrush:Agree with Chris; we agreed did not want to re-litigate the previous Hearing
Chris:i think the intention was that you could pre 2006 if necessary to deal with something after 2006
Fabio Colasanti:Good bye to everyone. I apologize for the echo on my Buenos Aires line.
Peter Dengate thrush:Great to start and finish on time; well done Mr Chair!
Peter Dengate thrush:Bye al
Brian Cute:First time for everything...
James Bladel:Thanks everyone....
Brian Cute:See you all in Beijing!