Statement of Interests and Affirmation regarding Conflicts of Interest Policy

By Jordyn Buchanan for participation in the ICANN Competition, Consumer Trust and Consumer Choice Review Team (CCT-RT)

1. Current vocation, employer and position:

Engineering Manager, Google Inc.

2. Type of work performed in 1 above and declaration of relationships with entities holding a Financial (or declarable) Interest in ICANN:

My work is principally focused on Google’s domain name businesses. Google Inc. is an ICANN-accredited registrar and offers a retail domain name registration product called Google Domains. Google Inc. is also the parent company of Charleston Road Registry d/b/a Google Registry (“Google Registry”), which has contracted with ICANN as the registry operator for 43 gTLDs, including .SOY, .HOW and .摩.names, which are currently available to the public for registration. My primary responsibility is to manage the two engineering teams that develop and support these products.

3. Identify any financial ownership or senior management/leadership interest in registries, registrars or other firms that are interested parties in ICANN policy or any entity with which ICANN has a transaction, contract, or other arrangement:

I serve as a manager for Google Registry and Google Domains. Google Registry is contracted with ICANN to operate 43 new gTLD registries. Google Domains is an ICANN-accredited registrar operating under the 2013 ICANN Registrar Accreditation Agreement. At the time of submission, I have no ownership interest in Google or its parent company, Alphabet Inc., however a large portion of my compensation is provided in the form of Alphabet Inc. stock units, and as a result I often hold a very small ownership interest in Alphabet Inc.

I am also a member of the board of directors for the Domain Name Association, a trade association representing the domain name industry, and which has at times taken positions on ICANN policy matters.

4. Were you, or a company you work for:

• An applicant for a new gTLD?

Google Registry applied to operate 101 new gTLDs.

• Providing advice to any new gTLD applicants?

I participated in the application process for Google Registry. I did not advise any third party applicants for new gTLDs.

• Otherwise involved in an application submitted for the New gTLD Program, such as providing service in support of an applicant or having a financial interest in an applicant?

I participated in the application process for Google Registry. I did not provide application support for any other applicants.

If your answer is yes to any of the above, please identify the interest you have in the application submitted for the New gTLD Program.

Google, Inc., the parent company of Google Registry and Google Domains, pays my salary and provides me with other forms of compensation, including in the form of stock units for its parent company, Alphabet Inc. Notably, the incentive portion of my compensation is influenced by the success of Google’s gTLD efforts through its wholly owned subsidiary, Google Registry.

5. Identify any type of commercial interest in ICANN policy development outcomes. Do you represent other parties in any PDP or other ICANN related processes?
As indicated above, Google, Inc compensates me for my work relating to domain names, and the incentive portion of my compensation is influenced by the success of Google's gTLD efforts through its wholly owned subsidiary, Google Registry, and by the success of Google Domains, its ICANN-accredited Registrar.

I currently participate in PDP and ICANN-related processes on behalf of Google, Inc. and/or Google Registry. I have also represented the Domain Name Association in discussions within ICANN relating to the Universal Acceptance of domain names.

6. Geographic Region associated with the domicile of volunteer (Africa, North America, Latin America/Caribbean, Asia/Australia/Pacific and Europe):

North America

7. Stakeholder Group(s) AC’s or SO’s in which I volunteer or currently participate within ICANN:

Registries Stakeholder Group

Except as described above, I have no (i) ownership or investment interest in any entity with which ICANN has an existing or proposed transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement; (ii) a compensation arrangement with any entity or individual with which ICANN has a transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement; and (iii) a potential ownership or investment interest in, or compensation arrangement with, any entity or individual with which ICANN is negotiating a transaction, contract, dispute, or other arrangement.

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

November 11, 2015