Statement of Interests and Affirmation regarding Conflicts of Interest Policy

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

1. Current vocation, employer and position:

I am currently an independent consultant working in the areas of ICT and its applications including Internet, Cloud Computing, e-Governance and e-Health, among others. I serve public (government and government affiliated) and private sector clients.

I serve as Member of Model Projects Committee of National Knowledge Network (NKN - India’s gigabit network serving academic, research and government organizations and providing them very high speed internet access), Board Member of CCICI (Cloud Computing Innovation Council of India), Advisory Committee Member in ICFOSS (International Centre for Free and Open Source Software), Adviser of National Institute for Smart Government (NISG), Advisor to Ministry of Health & Family Welfare etc. and has recently served as Member of Project Review and Steering Committee of DeitY projects, Review Member of Project proposals for Venture funding in Technology Development Board of Department of Science and technology (DST), Selection Committee Chairman of State level e-Governance Team members. I also mentor start-ups.

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

Nature of work involves technology, management, planning, innovation and commercialization consultancies. I also play advisory role to government, professional and not-for-profit organizations, including assistance in board, governance and consumers’/members’ matters.

I do not have any relationship with entities holding Financial (or declarable) interest in ICANN.

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:

None.

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

• An applicant for a new gTLD?

• Providing advice to any new gTLD applicants?

• 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?

No.

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.
Not applicable.

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?
None.

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

7. Stakeholder Group(s) AC's or SO's in which I volunteer or currently participate within ICANN:
I wish to serve as Independent Expert, Representative of AC or Representative of SO in that order in CCT-RT.

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: 13th November, 2015