

20 August 2018

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## RE: NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION AGREEMENT

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Dear Tian Lei Zhang,

Please be advised that as of 20 August 2018, Tong Ji Ming Lian (Beijing) Technology Corporation Ltd. (Trename)'s ("Trename") 2013 Registrar Accreditation Agreement with the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers ("ICANN") dated 10 August 2015 ("RAA") is terminated pursuant to Section 5.5.4 of the RAA. The termination shall become effective 19 September 2018, 30 calendar days from the date of this notice.

The termination is due to Trename's failure to timely cure the breaches by 17 August 2018 as set forth in ICANN's notice of breach of RAA dated 27 July 2018. As of 20 August 2018, the following breaches remain:

- 1. Trename's failure to escrow gTLD registration data, as required by Section 3.6 of the RAA;
- 2. Trename's failure to display the correct ICANN logo on Trename's website, as required by the Logo License Specification of the RAA; and
- 3. Trename's failure to timely pay past due accreditation fees, as required by Section 3.9 of the RAA.

Additionally, Trename has failed to provide ICANN with the corrective and preventative action(s) that Trename will take, with implementation date(s), to ensure: (a) timely and complete response to ICANN Contractual Compliance matters; and (b) timely payment of fees to ICANN.

Please see the chronology below for additional details.

Trename is further advised that the logo license granted in the Logo License Specification to the RAA is revoked as of 19 September 2018. Please remove all ICANN trademarks, name and



logo from Trename's website and business materials that have been licensed to Trename under the terms of that Specification by 19 September 2018.

## **Domain Name Transition Process**

To protect domain name registrants, ICANN will commence the domain name transition process and will solicit bids for a qualified ICANN-accredited registrar to manage the domain names currently managed by Trename.

ICANN will follow the <u>De-Accredited Registrar Transition Procedure</u> ("Procedure"). Consistent with the Procedure, please designate a bulk transfer recipient by 27 August 2018 and inform ICANN's Registrar Liaison Team at RegTransition@icann.org.

ICANN reserves all its rights under the RAA. Please note the rights and obligations required to have effect after the expiration of the RAA, including but not limited to Sections 3.4 Retention of Registered Name Holder and Registration Data, 3.9 Accreditation Fees, 5.8 Resolution of Disputes Under this Agreement, and 5.9 Limitations on Monetary Remedies for Violations of this Agreement.

Trename has current and past due accreditation fees. These fees are required to be paid to ICANN by Section 3.9 of the RAA. Please immediately submit payment to ICANN accounting.

If you have questions or require assistance, please contact Jennifer Scott at jennifer.scott@icann.org.

Sincerely,

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Contractual Compliance

Cc: John O. Jeffrey, General Counsel and Secretary



## **Chronology:**

Date of Notice	Deadline for Response	Details
28-Jun-2018	5-Jul-2018	ICANN sent 1st compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:zhangtianlei@telchina.org">zhangtianlei@telchina.org</a> . No response received from Registrar.
9-Jul-2018	16-Jul-2018	ICANN sent 2nd compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:zhangtianlei@telchina.org">zhangtianlei@telchina.org</a> . No response received from Registrar.
11-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN called Primary Contact at mobile number [NUMBER REDACTED] and provided Primary Contact with complaint details.
18-Jul-2018	25-Jul-2018	ICANN sent 3rd compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:zhangtianlei@telchina.org">zhangtianlei@telchina.org</a> . No response received from Registrar.
18-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN sent 3rd compliance notice via fax to +86 1085878687. Fax unsuccessful.
20-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN called Primary Contact at mobile number [NUMBER REDACTED]. No answer and no ability to leave a voicemail. ICANN called Primary Contact at +86 1085878687 and provided Registrar Representative with complaint details.
26-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN conducted compliance check to determine other areas of noncompliance.
27-Jul-2018	17-Aug-2018	ICANN issues Notice of Breach to Registrar. No response received from Registrar.
27-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN sent Notice of Breach via fax to +86 1085878687 and +86 1085997181. Faxes unsuccessful.
27-Jul-2018	N/A	ICANN sent Notice of Breach via courier to Registrar Primary Contact postal address. Delivery confirmed.
10-Aug-2018	17-Aug-2018	ICANN sent reminder notice via email to <a href="mailto:zhangtianlei@telchina.org">zhangtianlei@telchina.org</a> . No response received from Registrar.
20-Aug-2018	N/A	To date, the Registrar has not responded to ICANN with the requested information and documentation and the issue remains unresolved.