Public Comment Summary Report

Proposal for Japanese Script Root Zone Label Generation Rules

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Outcome:

ICANN org is grateful for the feedback from the community and appreciates the comments submitted on the Proposal for Japanese Script Root Zone Label Generation Rules.

The four comments received were in general support the proposal. These comments are being submitted to the Japanese Script Generation Panel (GP) for their consideration and incorporation as needed. As per the <u>LGR Procedure</u>, the Integration Panel will also review the input and work with the GP to address the comments following their analysis. The final version of the Japanese LGR proposal for the root zone will be posted on the Root Zone Label Generation Rules (RZ-LGR) proposals <u>page</u>.

Section 1: What We Received Input On

Root Zone Label Generation Rules (RZ-LGR) are developed to define a conservative mechanism to determine valid Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) top-level domains (TLDs) and their variant labels. The successful development of RZ-LGR depends on having community-based Generation Panels (GPs) for each script that will be used in the root zone.

The Japanese Script GP has finalized the proposal for Japanese Script RZ-LGR. The proposal was published for Public Comment before finalizing and submitting to the Integration Panel for review and possible integration into the next version of RZ-LGR.

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We have received input regarding the code point repertoire, variant code point definitions, and the rules in the proposal.

Section 2: Submissions

Organizations and Groups:

Name	Submitted by	Initials
Chinese Domain Name Consortium	Jiankang Yao	CDNC
Registries Stakeholder Group		RySG

Individuals:

Name	Affiliation (if provided)	Initials
Bill Jouris		BJ
Nai-Wen Hsu		NWH

Section 3: Summary of Submissions

ICANN org received four (4) comments on the Proposal for Japanese Script Root Zone Label Generation Rules.

The comment from Jiankang Yao on behalf of the Chinese Domain Name Consortium (CDNC) agrees with the proposal. The comment from Registries Stakeholder Group (RySG) agrees that the proposal meets its goal of defining Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) labels for the Japanese script that are suitable for the root zone.

The comment from Bill Jouris generally supports the proposal with a note for additional consideration for variant relationship across Katakana and Hiragana. The comment from Nai-Wen Hsu agrees with the proposal.

Section 4: Analysis of Submissions

The four comments received were in general support the proposal but also ask Japanese GP to consider additional relationship between Hiragana and Katakana. These comments are being submitted to the Japanese Script GP for their consideration, and incorporation as needed. As per the <u>LGR Procedure</u>, the Integration Panel will also review the input and work with the GP to address the comments following their analysis.

Section 5: Next Steps

After consideration of the comments by the Japanese script GP, and updates as needed, the final version of the Japanese LGR proposal for the root zone will be posted on the RZ-LGR proposals page for further consideration of the Integration Panel.

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