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RE: JPRS LETTER OF 16 JUNE 2017

Mr. Koki Higashida President Japan Registry Services Co., Ltd. (JPRS)

Dear Mr. Koki Higashida,

Thank you and the JPRS for providing a detailed analysis of the public comments received regarding IDN Reference Label Generation Rules for the Second Level and for sharing the additional feedback on the Reference Japanese Label Generation Rules for the Second Level. Your comments have been posted to

https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/correspondence/higashida-to-marby-16jun17-en.pdf.

We acknowledge JPRS's extensive experience with the use of Japanese IDNs and value your feedback in augmenting the public comments received on this subject available at https://www.icann.org/public-comments/japanese-lgr-second-level-2017-01-27-en.

ICANN organization will share your comments and feedback with other commenters; Google Registry and the gTLD Registries Stakeholder Group. We will follow up by inviting JPRS and the other stakeholders to discuss the current issues and to finalize the Reference Japanese LGR for the Second Level.

Thank you for your participation in the ICANN multi-stakeholder process and I look forward to your continued engagement in achieving a mutually satisfactory resolution.

Sincerely,

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