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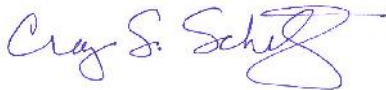
September 25, 2013

Ms. Christine Willett  
Vice President, gTLD Operations  
ICANN  
12025 Waterfront Drive, Suite 300  
Los Angeles, CA 90094

Dear Christine,

We have taken note of the barrage of communications from some standard applicants condemning community applications and publicly ridiculing the International Chamber of Commerce's handling of the Community Objections process. The members of CTAG accepted the challenge from ICANN to work with and engage their respective stakeholders to establish gTLDs to serve and protect their communities. As stewards for these community applications we remain committed to furthering and supporting both our own communities and ICANN's processes for serving communities in its role as a Public Benefit Corporation.

Sincerely,



Craig S. Schwartz  
CTAG Coordinator

cc: Mr. Fadi Chehadé, President and CEO, ICANN  
Mr. Akram Atallah, President, Generic Domains Division, ICANN  
Mr. Cherine Chalaby, Board Chair, New gTLD Program, ICANN  
Ms. Heather Dryden, Chair, GAC, ICANN

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