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To: ICANN Complaints Office
Subject: ICANN the company and/or a department within ICANN

I have filed a complaint to the ICANN Fellowship team, but I want to make sure this issue is dealt with properly and by the right correspondent team.

During the Fellowship application process, when the applicants have to fill in their personal information, they will find (as well as I did) that Taiwan in the country list was attached by a mysterious suffix: 'Province of China'.

First of all, I am pretty sure there is already a state/province field. (And I was certainly not seeing 'California,State of U.S.A' in the country list.)

Secondly, the suffix is not only deceptive but also demeaning since Taiwan is definitely not a province of China.

Finally, when I was registering for ICANN65 Marrakesh, I had no problem selecting my country as "Taiwan" without any unnecessary/unreal suffix. I don't see why it could not be the same for the Fellowship application.

When I wrote and pointed out this issue last August, I was promised that this would be fixed after the ICANN64 Fellowship application round has ended. Sadly this wasn't the case.

I plead that you modify the list and give Taiwan back the name she deserves: "Taiwan". As simple as it should be, without any weird and erroneous suffix.

Thank you very much.