Consensus Policy Updates: IRTP and AWIP

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Agenda

- Consensus Policy Update Timeline

- Updates to Inter-Registrar Transfer Policy

- Overview of Changes to RDDS (Whois) Output with Additional Whois Information Policy

- Example of Output

- Q&A (Please submit questions through the Q&A Pod)

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Consensus Policy Update Timeline

Recent Consensus Policy Update Timeline

- Announcement Posted 2 July 2014

- Announcement covers IRTP and AWIP

- https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2014-07-02-en

- Required to comply with IRTP no later than 31 January 2015

- Required to comply with AWIP no later than 15 February 2015

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Updates to Inter-Registrar Transfer Policy (IRTP)

IRTP Updates

- GNSO recommendations

- Changes to Section 5 of the IRTP

- Redline version:
  https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/policy-transfers-redline-18sep14-en.pdf

- Registrars may only impose a "ClientTransferProhibited" if it includes terms and conditions in the registration agreement and obtains express consent from the RNH

- Registrars must remove the "ClientTransferProhibited" status within five (5) calendar days of the RNH's initial request, if the Registrar does not provide mechanism for RNH

IRTP Updates Cont'd

- Removal of "ClientTransferProhibited" status cannot be more restrictive to the RNH than mechanisms for changing any aspect of the RNH's contact or name server information.

- The Registrar of Record (losing registrar) must not refuse to remove the "ClientTransferProhibited" status or release an "AuthInfo Code" to the Registered Name Holder solely because there is a dispute between the RNH and the LR over payment.

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Additional Whois Information Policy (AWIP)

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AWIP

— Link to Policy:
https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/policy-awip-2014-07-02-en

— Link to example of Output:
http://whois.icann.org/sites/default/files/files/example-registrar-whois-awip-17sep14-en.pdf

— Link to AWIP URLS:

— https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/epp-status-codes-list-2014-06-18-en

Thank You

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Questions