



# IDN ccTLD Fast Track

*1<sup>st</sup> Annual Review*



# Fast Track Status

.الجزائر	.中国
.مصر	.中國
.بھارت	.香港
.ایران	.भारत
.الأردن	.भारत
.المغرب	.ভারত
.عمان	.இந்தியா
.فلسطين	.ভারত
.قطر	.한국
.السعودية	.рф
.سورية	.cpb
.تونس	..新加坡
.امارات	.சிங்கப்பூர்
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	.இலங்கை
	.台灣
	.台灣
	.ไทย

- 16 November 2009 Launch
- 35 requests total
- 22 countries/territories passed SE
- 15 string in the DNS root zone
- 22 languages represented
- 31 requests/50 strings/15 languages expected

# Review: Transparency



- request information is published after successfully String Evaluation
- + confidential
- + not valid requests, no concerns
- communication w/end-users and interested parties

# Review: Community Support



- demonstration of community support for string/manager
- + different approach in geographic locations
- ? not necessary w/ government support
- ? community support for string vs manager

- 1) *What kind of dialogue, outreach, survey or other types of events has taken place to select the string requested?*
- 2) *What alternative strings were considered and why were they rejected?*
- 3) *Was any opposition to the requested string received?*

# Review: Meaningfulness



- string must be meaningful representations of country or territory name
  - + auto fulfilled if on UNGEGN list
  - + require linguist doc if not on list
  - ? other ways to auto fulfill



# Review: IDN tables



- content of tables are not evaluated or approved
- + limited staff review and feedback in cases of errors or security issues
- some users send existing tables not matching community need
- ? should additional requirements be in place to ensure best possible end-user protection

# Review: Disputes



- no controversial strings have been received
- + no disputes between different territories and countries
- + disputes within country or territory decide locally how to proceed
- ? one part of a government provides support another part of same government states an opinion which could be considered opposite

# Review: Confusingly similarity



- requested strings confusingly similar to existing strings or requested-strings are declined
- + DNS Stability Panel working guidelines are adequate for careful/limited approach
- ? feedback suggested due to a couple of instances of disagreement in decision
- ? need for objection or re-evaluation process



# Review: Other Topics



- Open microphone for any additional topics to be raised in the Fast Track Review....

# Review: Next steps



- Public Comment Forum through 17Dec10
  - <http://www.icann.org/en/announcements/announcement-2-22oct10-en.htm>
- Staff summarize any proposed changes
  - publicly available
  - input to ccNSO IDN ccTLD PDP
  - provide to ICANN Board for consideration
- Ongoing annual reviews
  - until ccNSO IDN ccTLD PDP is completed and implemented



Thank You

