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NEW GENERIC TOP-LEVEL DOMAIN NAMES (“gTLD”) DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCEDURE

OBJECTION FORM TO BE COMPLETED BY THE OBJECTOR

- *Objections to several Applications or Objections based on more than one ground must be filed separately*
- *Form must be filed in English and submitted by email to expertise@iccwbo.org*
- *The substantive part is limited to 5000 words or 20 pages, whichever is less*

Disclaimer: *This form is the template to be used by Objectors who wish to file an Objection. Objectors must review carefully the Procedural Documents listed below. This form may not be published or used for any purpose other than the proceedings pursuant to the New GTLD Dispute Resolution Procedure from ICANN administered by the ICC International Centre for Expertise (“Centre”).*

References to use for the Procedural Documents

Name	Abbreviation
Rules for Expertise of the ICC	“Rules”
Appendix III to the ICC Expertise Rules, Schedule of expertise costs for proceedings under the new gTLD dispute resolution procedure	“Appendix III”
ICC Practice Note on the Administration of Cases	“ICC Practice Note”
Attachment to Module 3 - New gTLD Dispute Resolution Procedure	“Procedure”
Module 3 of the gTLD Applicant Guidebook	“Guidebook”

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Identification of the Parties, their Representatives and related entities

Objector

Name	
Contact person	
Address	
City, Country	
Telephone	
Email	

If there is more than one Objector, file separate Objections.

Objector's Representative(s)

Name	
Contact person	
Address	
City, Country	
Telephone	
Email	

Add separate tables for any additional representative ((for example external counsel or in-house counsel)

Objector's Contact Address

Name	
Contact person	
Address	
City, Country	
Telephone	
Email	

This address shall be used for all communication and notifications in the present proceedings. Accordingly, notification to this address shall be deemed as notification to the Objector. The Contact Address can be the Objector's address, the Objector Representative's address or any other address used for correspondence in these proceedings.

Applicant

Name	
Contact person	
Address	
City, Country	
Telephone	
Email	

If there is more than one Applicant, file separate Objections.

Other Related Entities

Name	
Contact person	
Address	
City, Country	
Telephone	
Email	

Add separate tables for any additional related entity.

Disputed gTLD

gTLD Objector objects to [.example]

Name	
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If there is more than one gTLD you wish to object to, file separate Objections.

Objection

What is the ground for the Objection (Article 3.2.1 of the Guidebook and Article 2 of the Procedure)

Limited Public Interest Objection: the applied-for gTLD string is contrary to generally accepted legal norms of morality and public order that are recognized under principles of international law.

or

Community Objection: there is substantial opposition to the gTLD application from a significant portion of the community to which the gTLD string may be explicitly or implicitly targeted.

Check one of the two boxes as appropriate. If the Objection concerns more than one ground, file a separate Objection.

Objector's Standing to object (Article 3.2.2 of the Guidebook and Article 8 of the Procedure)

(Statement of the Objector's basis for standing to object, that is, why the Objector believes it meets the requirements to object.)

Description of the basis for the Objection (Article 3.3.1 of the Guidebook and Article 8 of the Procedure) - Factual and Legal Grounds

(Description of the basis for the Objection, including: a statement giving the specific ground upon which the Objection is being filed, and a detailed explanation of the validity of the Objection and why it should be upheld.)

Remedies Requested

(Indicate the remedies requested.)

Communication (Article 6(a) of the Procedure and Article 1 of the ICC Practice Note)

A copy of this Objection is/was transmitted to the Applicant on: _____ [insert date]
by _____ [specify means of communication, for example e-mail] to the following
address: _____

A copy of this Objection is/was transmitted to ICANN on: _____ [insert date]
by _____ [specify means of communication, for example e-mail] to the following
address: _____

Filing Fee (Article 1 Appendix III to the Rules and Article 8(c) of the Procedure)

As required, Euros 5 000 were paid to ICC on _____ [insert date].

Evidence of the payment is attached for information.

Description of the Annexes filed with the Objection (Article 8(b) of the Procedure)

List and Provide description of any annex filed.

Date: _____

Signature: _____