RZERC Update

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What it is

https://www.icann.org/rzerc

Root Zone Evolution Review Committee (RZERC)

The RZERC reviews proposed architectural changes to the content of the DNS root zone, the systems including both hardware and software components used in executing changes to the DNS root zone, and the mechanisms used for distribution of the DNS root zone. The RZERC was formed as a result of the IANA Stewardship Transition.

Overview

In the ICG proposal, the domain names community required that a standing committee be put into place that will provide recommendations to the ICANN Board regarding the advisability of moving forward with all major architectural changes to the DNS root. ICANN named this committee the Root Zone Evolution Review Committee (RZERC). The RZERC will consider issues raised by any of its members, PTI, or by the CSC.

While the RZERC will not necessarily be the group that considers the details of the issues under consideration, it will be responsible for ensuring that those involved in the decision include all relevant bodies and have access to necessary expertise. As such, the RZERC will coordinate with relevant organizations and communities, and if appropriate, external experts, to confirm that all affected parties are involved in discussions and recommendations regarding architectural changes to the root zone.
Who we are

RZERC

ccNSO

GNSO RySG

ASO

IETF

ICANN Board

SSAC

RSSAC

RZM

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PTI
Where we are

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<td>Duane Wessels selected as the Chair of RZERC. Duane represents the Root Zone Maintainer. His term starts in March 2017.</td>
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<td>RZERC Website LIVE! Comments please send to <a href="mailto:mario.aleman@icann.org">mario.aleman@icann.org</a>.</td>
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What we will do

• Exercise openness
• Reach out to our constituencies
• Explain committee’s purpose
• Listen to the community
• Wait for issues to consider
  – with ample patience

• *Not* propose architectural changes ourselves