

Application for Membership

To: ccNSO Council

Date: 18 /02/2009

Re: Application for membership of the ccNSO

- * **APPLICANT:** *IIT/CNR*
- * **REPRESENTATIVE:** *Domenico Laforenza*
- * **ccTLD NAME:** *Italy (.it)*

With this letter, I, the Representative declare that the Applicant is the ccTLD manager (as defined in the ICANN bylaws, (Article IX Section (4)(1)) for the ccTLD name and wishes to apply for membership of the ccNSO and that I am duly authorized to make and sign this application for membership on behalf of the Applicant.

The Applicant hereby recognizes the role of the ccNSO within the ICANN structure, and agrees, for the duration of its membership in the ccNSO to:

- (a) adhere to the rules of the ccNSO, including membership rules; and
- (b) adhere to ICANN Bylaws as they apply to ccTLDs (Article IX and Annexes B and C of the ICANN bylaws.

The Applicant understands that:

- (i) membership in the ccNSO is independent of any individual relationship a ccTLD manager has with ICANN or the ccTLD manager's receipt of IANA services. (Article IX Section (4)(3)); and
- (ii) currently there are no fees payable for ccNSO membership. However, under the ICANN bylaws (Article IX Section (7) (3)), the ccNSO could in the future, subject to members approval, establish membership fees.

Signed by the Representative for and on behalf of the Applicant:

Dr. Domenico Laforenza
IIT-CNR Director and Head of the ccTLD .it Registry



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