

2026-2027 Projected Application Timeline: GAC Member and Observer Focus



2026 Round Opens:
TAMS is open for application submissions.
30 APRIL 2026



Reveal Day: List of all applications that have passed the administrative check is published.
OCTOBER 2026*



String Confirmation Day: Updated list of applications published.
NOVEMBER 2026*



Prioritization Draw: A priority number is assigned to each application.
DECEMBER 2026*



String Similarity Evaluation Reports
JUNE 2027*

APR

AUG

SEP

OCT

NOV

DEC

JAN

FEB

JUN

30 APR - 12 AUG 2026 (104 days)

Application Submission Period: Applicants submit applications via TAMS.

OCT - NOV 2026* (14 days)

String Replacement Period: Applicants may replace their original string with their replacement string.

NOV 2026 - FEB 2027* (104 days)

Community Input and Objections Period: Individual GAC members and observers may submit application comments, issue GAC Member Early Warnings, and, if they have standing, lodge objections.

JUN 2027* (30 days)

String Confusion Objections: Filed when a string is confusingly similar visually, aurally, or in meaning to another string.

GAC Consensus Advice can be issued at any time throughout the application process.