



The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

16 September 2013

Heather Dryden
Chair of Governmental Advisory Committee

Re: Locking of a Domain Name Subject to UDRP Proceedings

Dear Heather,

Pursuant to Article XI, Section 2.1.j of the ICANN Bylaws, this letter is to formally notify the GAC that the GNSO Council has approved policy recommendations on the Locking of a Domain Name subject to UDRP Proceedings. The Recommendations have received public comment (see <http://www.icann.org/en/news/public-comment/locking-domain-name-recommendations-02aug13-en.htm>) and the public comment period has ended. The Board will be considering the recommendations for approval in the near future. In the event that the GAC believes that there are public policy issues raised by these recommendations and provides advice accordingly on those issues, ICANN will take the GAC's advice into account on this matter as set forth in the Bylaws.

Sincerely,

Stephen D. Crocker
Chair, ICANN Board of Directors

cc: ICANN Board of Directors
GNSO Council