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## **GAC Meeting with the At-Large Advisory Committee**

### **Session #13 - GAC Meeting with the ALAC**

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#### **Session Objective**

The GAC and the At-Large Advisory Committee (ALAC) meet at ICANN Meetings to discuss public policy matters of government and Internet end-user interest.

At ICANN70, the ALAC and GAC will discuss the main issues of common interest pertaining to the Expedited Policy Development Process (EPDP) Phase 2, and the New gTLDs Subsequent Procedures (SubPro).

## Background

The At Large Advisory Committee (ALAC) is the primary ICANN-designated organizational home for the voice and concerns of individual Internet end users. Representing the At-Large Community, the 15-member ALAC consists of two members selected by each of the five Regional At-Large Organizations (RALOs) and five members appointed by ICANN's Nominating Committee. Advocating for the interests of end-users, the ALAC advises on the activities of ICANN, including Internet policies developed by ICANN's Supporting Organizations.

The GAC and ALAC have been meeting at ICANN Public Meetings in order to coordinate and discuss ICANN policy issues of common interest.

## Main Agenda Topics

### 1. EPDP

GAC and ALAC representatives will discuss matters related to WHOIS and Data Protection in particular:

- Next steps following the GNSO Council's adoption of policy recommendations of Phase 2 of the Expedited Policy Development Process (EPDP) on the Temporary Specification for generic top-level domain (gTLD) Registration Data per its [Final Report](#) (30 July 2020) and in light of the Minority Statements by the GAC, ALAC and other stakeholders (See Annex E of Final Report).
- Consideration of further policy work regarding the so called "Priority 2" issues not addressed during EPDP Phase 2 (Legal vs. Natural, Unique pseudonymized contacts and data accuracy)

### 2. Subsequent Procedures

The GAC and ALAC will focus on potential opportunities for coordination and convergence on topics of interest related to Subsequent Rounds of New gTLDs following the publication of the New gTLDs Subsequent Procedures PDP WG [Final Report](#), submitted to the GNSO Council, in preparation for potential advice to the ICANN Board on the Final Report.

## Key Reference Documents

[GAC Minority Statement on the Final Report of the Phase 2 of the EPDP on gTLD Registration Data](#)

[ICANN CEO letter to GAC on Minority Statement on EPDP Phase 2 Final Report](#)

[Addendum to the ALAC Statement on EPDP](#)

[GAC Scorecard: Status of Substantive Areas of Interest to the GAC for Subsequent New gTLD Rounds](#)

## Further Information

[GAC and ALAC activity page](#)

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