



NOTICE OF INDEPENDENT REVIEW

Date: October 24, 2013
To: Name (of the party on which this Notice is to be served) ICANN Nationality: USA
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The named claimant seeks this independent review in accordance with Article IV, Section 3 of the ICANN Bylaws. The claimant agrees that such Independent Review shall be conducted pursuant to the International Arbitration Rules ("Rules") of the International Dispute Resolution Procedures as supplemented per ICANN's Bylaws.

Nature of the Dispute: (attach additional sheets, if necessary) Request for IRP Panel proceeding of an ICANN Board Action
The Claim or Relief Sought: (the amount, if any) To subject a board decision on a new gTLD application to IRP Panel third-party review as per ICANN Bylaws.
Type of Business: Claimant New gTLD Applicant/Internet DNS Industry
Place of Review Requested: Los Angeles, CA, United States of America

You are hereby notified that copies of this NOTICE are being filed with the INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION at Case Filing Services, 1101 Laurel Oak Road, Suite 100, Voorhess, NJ 08043 email: casefiling@adr.org, with a request that it commence administration of an independent review. Under the rules, you may file a Statement of Defense within the time specified in the rules after notice from the administrator.

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To begin proceedings, please send two copies of this notice of independent review, with the filing fee as provided for in the Rules, to the ICDR. Send the original notice to the respondent.

Signature (may be signed by a representative) [Signature] Title: Executive Director/CEO Date: Oct. 24, 2013