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sent via e-mail

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Dear Rod,

As Chair of the NRO, I am writing to you to confirm that the RIRs are content with ICANN's historic performance fulfilling the IANA function, and are content with the elements of the IANA function being performed by the same organization.

Thus, in the expectation that ICANN will continue to satisfactorily fulfil all parts of the IANA function, the NRO supports that ICANN continues to perform the IANA function, at the end of the present contract with the DoC.

The NRO also supports the continued balance among all the policy development processes located at several organizations and forums, that are currently related to the IANA functions.

Please, don't hesitate to contact me in case you need any further clarification.

Kind regards,



Axel Pawlik
NRO Chair

The Number Resource Organization (NRO)

Formed by the Regional Internet Registries (RIRs) to formalise their cooperative efforts, the NRO exists to protect the unallocated Number Resource pool, to promote and protect the bottom-up policy development process, and to act as a focal point for Internet community input into the RIR system.