Implementing Work Stream 2 Recommendations: An Update for the GNSO Council

GNSO Council Meeting

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Work Stream 2: Implementation Scope & Planning

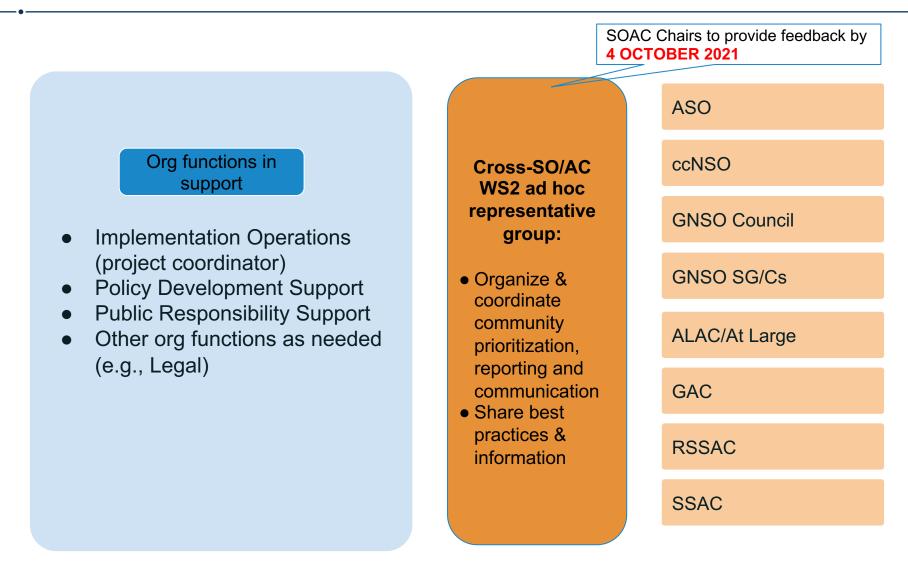|	**A multi-year project & FY22 priority** **Over 100 recommendations**	
Topics covered by the WS2 Recommendations	1. * ^ Diversity 2. * # Guidelines for Good Faith Conduct 3. * # Human Rights Framework 4. Jurisdiction	5. Office of the Ombudsman 6. * # ^ SO/AC Accountability 7. Staff Accountability 8. Transparency *Recommendations directed at the community* *# GNSO Council has identified as relevant to the GNSO Council* *^ GNSO SG/Cs to review & implement*
Project Status	**Implementation in progress for some; complete for a few; beginning for others**	
Project Scope	WS2 recommendations are directed at all components of ICANN 🚧 ICANN Board 🚧 ICANN org 🚧 ICANN Community **WS2 Implementation Team:** clarifies recommendations and intentions, as needed.	

Recommendations Requiring Community Coordination: Ad Hoc Rep. Group

SOAC Chairs to provide feedback by **4 OCTOBER 2021**

Org functions in support

- Implementation Operations (project coordinator)
- Policy Development Support
- Public Responsibility Support
- Other org functions as needed (e.g., Legal)

Cross-SO/AC WS2 ad hoc representative group:

- Organize & coordinate community prioritization, reporting and communication
- Share best practices & information

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Scope: Recs 1.1 (elements of diversity), 1.7 (process for diversity complaints), 2.3 (standard framework for good faith processes); info-sharing on Rec 3

Org support for Individual Groups in Implementing Remaining Recommendations

Org functions in support

- Policy Development Support (overall)
- Public Responsibility Support (recommendations relating to Diversity & Framework of Interpretation for Human Rights)
- Implementation Operations
- Other org functions (e.g., Legal) as needed

Each SO/AC/Group reviews inventory of relevant recommendation and makes decision on implementation (whether, when and how)

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Scope: Rec 6 (SOAC Accountability); remainder of Rec 1 following community decision on agreed Diversity elements

Next Steps

GNSO Council:

◉ Review staff-prepared initial inventory analysis (based on Council's [January 2020 Priority Level Assessment](#)); determine need for any further work and (if so) begin implementation planning

- Guidelines for Good Faith (Rec 2): High

- Framework of Interpretation of Human Rights (Rec 3): Medium to High

- SOAC Accountability: Medium

GNSO SG/Cs:

◉ Complete initial inventory review; determine priority and timeline for additional implementation (if needed)

ICANN org:

◉ Update community on overall WS2 implementation status prior to ICANN72

◉ Continue to support community decisions and work on WS2 implementation:

- Proposed ad hoc representative group (coordination of specific recommendations requiring community collaboration and prioritization)

- Individual SO/AC/Groups