Call for Expression of Interest (EOI) for the GNSO Liaison to the Customer Standing Committee (CSC)

20 June 2016

Dear [Chair of SG/C],

I would like to draw your attention to the request for appointment of the members and liaisons to the Customer Standing Committee (CSC).  Per the Cross-Community Working Group (CWG) on Stewardship the CSC is to be established to perform the operational oversight previously performed by the U.S. Department of Commerce’s National Telecommunications and Information Administration as it relates to the monitoring of performance of the IANA naming function.  The scope of the CSC is available at <https://www.icann.org/iana_imp_docs/43-csc-scope-and-responsibilities-v-v2>.

From the GNSO Council membership we have established the GNSO CSC Selection Committee, which per the attached procedures will evaluate the GNSO candidates for the position of the GNSO Liaison to the CSC and submit the top four candidates to the GNSO Council for final selection. The members of the CSC Selection Committee are David Cake, Heather Forrest, Susan Kawaguchi, Wolf-Ulrich Knoben, and Rubens Kuhl.

I hereby ask you to circulate the EOI and related documents within your Stakeholder Group and Constituency.  Also, I want to note that to allow time for the Selection Committee to submit its selections to be considered by GNSO Council at its meeting on 21 July, ***Expressions of Interest for the GNSO Liaison position will need to be submitted by interested members of the GNSO community no later than Friday, 15 July to the GNSO Secretariat.*** To assist candidates, the Selection Committee has created the attached “CSC Expression of Interest GNSO Template 17 June” that can be used to submit the requested information.

A final point to call to your attention is that all Expressions of Interests that are received will be forwarded by the GNSO Secretariat to the CSC Selection Committee.

Here are the key dates and dependencies from the attached timeline:

20 June Resend Call for GNSO Liaison Candidate Expressions of Interest

30 June Update on the CSC Liaison Selection – GNSO Council Meeting

15 July GNSO Liaison Candidate Expressions of Interest Due

15-20 July GNSO CSC Selection Committee Evaluates Candidates and Submits Selection to GNSO Council

21 July GNSO Council Selects Preferred Liaison Candidate and Alternate

22 July GNSO Liaison Candidate Selection Due to ICANN

23-28 July GNSO/ccNSO/RySG Consultation on CSC Membership

09 August GNSO Vote on CSC Membership (using procedures for voting outside a meeting)

15 August CSC Formation

Please let us know if you have any questions and thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

James

James Bladel, GNSO Council Chair