



ICANN: Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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Dear Mr Fadi Chehadé,

As Coordinator of the eNACSO IV project, I wanted to thank you for taking the time to speak to **Ms Cristiana De Paoli** at the "L'Internet governance e l'evoluzione di Icann" conference held in Rome on April 14, 2015. Ms De Paoli is a Member of the Executive Board of eNACSO and Head of Media Unit at Save the Children Italia Onlus.

As agreed with Mrs De Paoli I should like to take this opportunity to send a copy of the exchange of emails that took place between eNACSO and ICANN.

Attached to this email you will therefore find:

- The letter addressed to you date July 17, 2013. This arose from a brief discussion which took place at the EuroDIG meeting in Lisbon and concerned the potential release of new gTLDs. We expressed concerns in respect of children's rights;
- The draft record of the Skype discussion held on November 12, 2014. The discussion involved myself, Ms Cristiana De Paoli and Mr John Carr of eNACSO, and Mr Cyrus Namazi and Mr Allen Grogan of ICANN;
- The response of ICANN to our enquiries. This is dated December 10, 2014.

As you see, on several occasions we've tried to open a dialogue with ICANN. Many of our questions have still not been answered and most of our concerns remain unresolved.

We would ask that the issues we have raised be officially placed on ICANN's agenda. Saying, in effect, that children's concerns and interests will be looked upon and be dealt with an identical manner to any and every other that ICANN faces in effect denies that children deserve or require special consideration. Children and the organizations that represent their interests simply do not have the same level of resources as, say, the banking and financial sectors, the wine making industry and a great many of the other interest groups with whom ICANN more or less routinely interacts both generally and also specifically in respect of gTLDs.

Many thanks for your attention and looking forward to continuing having soon an opportunity to engage in extensive sharing of views and ideas

Best Regards

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Coordinator of eNACSO IV Project