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SARAH WYLD

Thank you, friends. Welcome to the Registration Data Game Show. Yay. All right, next slide, please.

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ZOE BONYTHON

It's on my laptop.

SARAH WYLD

So welcome, everybody. I am your host, Sarah Wyld, and we are here to play a fun game and learn about policy and contractual requirements related to registration data. Yes, thrilling. We have plenty of space at the table, so please feel welcome to come sit up here. And if you are one of the champions, and I know there's somebody from ISPCP who I haven't had the pleasure of meeting yet in person, please do feel encouraged to be at the table. I know it's noisy, but that's okay, we love you anyways. Okay. So we'll give people a moment to settle in, and I will talk about the rules of our game. So we're going to play a game using... Yeah. Okay. The agenda for today is that we will have this welcome that we're having now, and I will explain what we are doing, and then we will do the thing that I have explained, which is to play our game show. Most of the game is for everybody, so everyone in this room will play most of the game. You know what? This is actually easier if we just move on to the next slide.

ZOE BONYTHON

Okay.

SARAH WYLD

Next one again. Here we go. Okay, so as you see on the slide, we're going to use Slido. A lot of us have used Slido before. It's quite straightforward. So in a moment, we will all go log in on the website

and be able to play the game on your personal device. As you go into Slido, it will ask you for a name. You don't have to put your real name. It doesn't require that. Just make sure that you know what name you put so that if you win, you can claim your prize. If you want to team up and play as a group, that's okay. So think about that in this moment. Do you want to team up with somebody and play together? We will be playing in multiple-choice format. So for each question, there will be several possible answers, but only one right answer. You'll see the questions up on the big screen and in the Zoom, but you will select the answer on whatever device you have signed into Slido with. So I'm going to encourage you to use your laptop because Slido on mobile is teeny-tiny and hard to see. Okay, now keep in mind that not only must you choose the right answer, but also there's a timing component. So faster answers score higher. Now, I'm going to read out the questions and each of the answer options, but you can select your choice right away. You don't have to wait to hear the whole thing. You answer as soon as you know what the right answer is. The questions are divided into categories, but in order to make the Slido system work best, it's all together in one game. So we're going to start with registration data policy and contractual requirements. We're going to go through RDDS, accuracy, registrant requirements, data disclosure, and finally, the Registration Data Reminder Policy. What a thrill. Yes. Welcome in. Come on in. After each section, we're going to pause and see the scoreboard. Now, if anybody has questions or comments about the content, short little questions can be raised in the moment, but save anything substantial for the end. We have

made some time for discussion, so keep the longer questions for later. Thank you.

Okay, and finally, a note about winning. So for the main part of the game, everybody here will play. Then we'll have a champions round. So the top three players, plus the designated champions from our different groups who were happy to send champions, will go on to the champions group, but only one registrar at most. So if you're a registrar, competition's a little tougher. So those players and our champions will play our champions round. Thank you to those who joined. And then those ones will compete with just a couple questions to crown our one ultimate winner. All right. Do we have questions? I'm not looking at the Zoom. Very good. Okay. So everybody's in the Slido already. I'm so proud of you all. All right, so go to slido.com, and you're going to sign in with the code that I am going to paste in the Zoom room just for a moment. Slido doesn't tell me... Ah, 23 people in Slido, but 32 in the Zoom. So I'm going to give it just a moment for everyone to sign in there.

REG LEVY

There's a group of 10.

SARAH WYLD

A group of 10. Holy crow, how are you going to coordinate? Okay.

REG LEVY

Are you ready?

SARAH WYLD

So bear with me, friends, because I have not previously hosted a game in Slido. Yeah. And everything's in the way, and I can't see my screen. I can't see the chat. That's okay. I put that over there. All right, so are we ready? Are we all feeling good? Almost ready. Okay, I'll give you a moment. Put that over there so it's out of the way. Not Sarah. Ha. GDPR, that's you. No. These names are great. I'm happy with all of you. Are we all ready? We're good? Because I don't know, it just felt like you.

REG LEVY

You should do the balancing test. You should do the balancing test, yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Okay. Okay, friends.

REG LEVY

Remember, there's a timing component.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah, and just remember, there is a timing component here. Okay. Oh, 32 people. Amazing. All right. So what is it? Which ICANN contract or policy governs domain name registration data? Is it the Registrar Accreditation Agreement, the Registration Data Policy, the Restored Names Accuracy Policy, or all of the above? Which one governs registration data? And remember, there might be a correct

answer and a more correct answer. Yeah. Okay. And so as it's going, I hope you're all putting in... I can't see how many people. Oh, yeah, 29 out of 33 of you have already selected your answers. Almost out of time. Six more seconds left. The timer at the top does tell you how much time you have to answer these questions. And so time's up, and the answer is... The correct answer is all of the above. Yes. So those of you who selected Registration Data Policy, you're not wrong. You're just not quite all the way right.

Okay. What details about domain renewal and deletion need to be on the registrar's website? Is it the deletion and auto-renewal policies, the fees charged for recovery during the redemption period, the timing of when a domain is deleted after it's not renewed, or again, all of the above? So which details need to be on the registrar's website? You've got 15 more seconds to put in your votes. You're thinking hard. Okay, five seconds. All right. And the answer is, we see most people voted for all of the above, and the real answer is all of the above. Nice work, 26 groups. I'm very excited about this. This is great. I hope you are all having a tenth as much fun as I'm having, because I want to quit my job and be a game show host, as we all know, right? Okay. Which of these data elements are optional for the registrar to collect under the Registration Data Policy? Which ones are optional? Is it the registrant name, phone, and email, the admin contact name, phone, and email, the tech contact name, phone, and email, or the registrant street address, city, and state? Which ones are optional? Now, if you all vote, then I can move us on. But I'll give people a

chance to put in their answers. Not which ones are required, but which ones are optional. Okay. Votes are done, and most people selected tech name, phone, and email, and the correct answer is the tech contact. Well done, people. That one's optional. Why is it not the admin contact? Anyone know? Yeah. Because it's not there at all. Well done, friends.

Okay, next question. For how long must a registrar retain the registration data? So is it data can be deleted immediately after the domain name is deleted or transferred away? Is it two years after the domain is deleted or transferred, 18 months after the domain is deleted or transferred away, or there is no specific retention period under ICANN policy? So how long must the registrar keep the data for? Hmm? We're thinking. All right. A few more seconds to get your answers in. How long is the retention period? Let's see what most people thought. Most people thought 18 months after deletion or transfer, and the correct answer is two years. Ooh, very interesting. No specific retention period got a higher response rate than I had expected, personally.

PARTICIPANT

It was three years in RAA.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah.

PARTICIPANT The new data policy.

REG LEVY Use your mic.

SARAH WYLD Use your mic. Use your mic, my friend.

PARTICIPANT It changed to 1.5 years in the new RDP.

REG LEVY Correct.

PARTICIPANT Yeah. It's 18 months. The RAA designated two years after the transfer out or deletion. The new RDP reversed it to 18 months, 1.5 years.

SARAH WYLD I'm going to go have to read that again.

REG LEVY Sarah, I'd like to refer you to the Tucows retention policy that you drafted.

SARAH WYLD

Okay. How many people looked at these questions with me? How many of us let this go? All right, guys, let's continue. The correct answer is what's on the screen. Doesn't matter what it really says.

Okay. Which one of these is not a permitted reason for the registrar to renew a domain without the registrant's permission? Is it a UDRP proceeding in progress? Is it providing excellent customer service? Is it the failure of the registrar's renewal process, or is it when the registrant is subject to bankruptcy proceedings? So, when is it not okay to renew the domain without permission? I love that you found a mistake in my thing already. It makes me so happy. It's great.

REG LEVY

The only reason I knew is because we were just talking about it.

SARAH WYLD

All right. Let's see what most people selected. It was providing excellent customer service, and that is the correct answer. Although providing excellent customer service is admirable, it is not a reason to renew a domain without the registrant's permission.

All right. True or false, real quick. The registrar that operates a privacy or proxy service must include the privacy or proxy customer contact data in their escrow deposit for all domains that use the service. Is that true or is that false? That if they operate the privacy or proxy, they have to escrow the customer contact data. What do

we think? About half of us have selected our answers. You're consulting. Very good. 15 seconds, friends. It's a hard one?

PARTICIPANT

Oh.

SARAH WYLD

Oh, good.

PARTICIPANT

It's been a long time.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. It's been a while. Okay. Five seconds, friends. Let's see what most people selected. Was it true or false? It's thinking. We have mostly selected true, like two-thirds, and the correct answer is it's true. All right. And we have sound effects. Thank you, Jothan. All right. So our leaderboard so far. Mohit, well done, six out of six. CLE coming in as a champion. Very good. We got Gordon, and then Mark, and then Not Sarah, whoever that might be. I think that's really funny. Okay. You guys are all great.

REG LEVY

Five out of six might have gotten that question right.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. You know something? I just can't account for that right now. There was a mistake. These things happen. This is why we're human. All right. Moving on to the RDRS category. No, RDDS category. So registrars must offer an RDAP service that displays or redacts specific data elements for domains that are registered with them. Is there anything that changes what data elements are included in that RDAP output? So yes, if it's approved by ICANN, then the contract between the registrar and registry can change the data elements for that TLD. Or no, this is a standardized data set that must always remain the same. And this is why we have 40 seconds, is so that I could read that question. Okay. So what did we select? Yes or no? Most people chose yes, and most people are correct. So although the RDDS RDAP output is typically standardized, if there's a contract between the registrar and registry that changes that, then that's okay.

Okay. All right. When can the registrar redact data from WHOIS or RDAP? May they redact data if it's necessary in order to comply with the law, if they have a commercially reasonable purpose to redact the data, if it's not technically feasible to redact some data but not other data, or all of the above? Which one allows the registrar to redact data from the WHOIS? We're consulting, we're thinking, we're drinking water. Yeah. Everybody stay hydrated. You got eight more seconds. Okay, so most of us selected all of the above. A bunch selected if it's necessary in order to comply with the law, and the answer was all of the above. So even if it's not necessary to comply with the law, if the registrar has a commercially reasonable

purpose or it's just not technically feasible to break it up, they can redact the data.

Is there any registration data that is not published but also not redacted? It's a secret third thing. So yes, the registrant email must be replaced with an alternate email or web form, or no, all registration data is either published or redacted. So is there any data that's neither published nor redacted? Yeah. Typically, the data is published or redacted, but maybe there's a secret third thing, and that's the question. Is it you can replace it with an alternate email or web form, or no, you just got to publish everything?

ALAN WOODS

What about privacy service?

SARAH WYLD

We are not talking about privacy service. Okay, so most of us selected yes, and that was the correct answer. Even if you have a privacy service, you still have to publish the privacy service data.

ALAN WOODS

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. Okay. All right.

ALAN WOODS

Don't mind anyone.

SARAH WYLD

And anybody, if you have comments, I am delighted to have input throughout the game. Just make sure you turn your microphone on so everybody can hear you, and the recording picks it up. Mohit is still at the top of our leaderboard. Mark and Chris coming in strong. Now Sarah's moved up, and we've got a Howard on the board now. Amazing. Fantastic. All right. So our next segment is on accuracy. Which registration data fields must be syntactically validated for correct formatting? Are they the postal address, the phone number, the email address, or all of the above? And this is syntactical validation to make sure the formatting is as required. We're having some real intense conversations over here. This is great. Yeah, you got time. You got 12 more seconds, but there is, as we saw, a timing component to correct answers. Okay. We're good. Yeah. Okay, almost done. And so most people selected, we'll see, all of the above. And most people are correct. Yeah, they all have to be validated syntactically. Super.

Okay. When is verification not required? Is it when the registration data set has already been verified? Is it when the registrant is an individual, not an organization? Or is it when the registrant is an organization and not an individual? And you could have gotten a step up on this question if you had been at the GAC session earlier in the day. So when is verification not required? I see some faces. I see people thinking, making choices. Five more seconds. Okay.

Have we all entered our answer? A couple more people still get to choose. Everybody chose when the data set is already verified, and everybody's correct. Well done, friends. Yay. You're doing great.

ALAN WOODS

It's stressful.

SARAH WYLD

But there are prizes to be won.

ALAN WOODS

Which left white stressful.

SARAH WYLD

Which verification method is permitted? Is it to send an email to the registrant email address, send an SMS to the registrant phone, send a carrier pigeon to the registrant's home, or one and/or two above? And as I want to remind everybody, there is the RFC for the carrier pigeon. Very important fundamental fact of the internet. Carrier pigeon transmission has an RFC. It does. I'm pretty sure.

ALAN WOODS

There's an RFC for it. It could be a little different.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. Well, but which one's permitted for WHOIS verification under our policies and contracts?

ALAN WOODS

There's an RFC for it.

SARAH WYLD

All right. And so most people have selected one and/or two above, and most people are correct. Way to go, 25 of you. Yes, you can either send an email or send an SMS to verify the registration data.

Okay, when the domain owner notifies the registrar of a change to their registration data, how long does the registrar have to submit those updates to the registry if the registry collects that data? Is it 24 hours, five days, seven days, or 15 days? So my data's changing. How much time do I have to tell the registrar that I've moved to a new place or I've got a new email? Do I have a day? Do I have five days, seven days, 15 days? I see support for updating the carrier pigeon specs. Ravens. Yes. Love it. Okay. And the correct answer here... Hmm. The popular answer was 24 hours. Oh, fascinating. The correct answer was seven days. So although there's 15 days to verify, there's seven days to notify the registrar that the data has changed. Yeah. It's complicated.

Okay. Registrars often restore domain names from the redemption grace period. When does the Restored Names Accuracy Policy apply? And if you can look it up this fast, you can do that. So does it apply in all cases when a domain is restored from the redemption grace period? Does it only apply in cases where the domain has been in redemption for more than 15 days? Is it when the domain

was deleted because the registrant provided false contact data or didn't answer the registrar, or does it apply when the registrar has a reason to believe that the data is inaccurate? So when does the Restored Names Accuracy Policy apply? And we'll see what most people selected, and that was in all cases when it was restored. The correct answer is in cases where the domain was deleted because the registrant provided false contact data. The Restored Names Accuracy Policy says they have to verify the data before they can start using it again. In a nutshell, that's the short version. It's actually a pretty short little policy.

Okay. We're getting closer to halfway through, and here's our leaderboard again. Mohit, you are just killing it. Excellent. Okay, friends, keep at it. You're doing great. Excellent. What's going on? The leaderboard changed. The leaderboard has changed. So Chris has overtaken Mark. Ooh, what a thrill. Are you feeding him answers, Emily? Okay. And I still don't know who Not Sarah is, but that's okay, because you don't have to give your personal data to Slido. All right. Our next section is on registrant requirements. Yes, registrants have requirements, too. Which one is not their responsibility? So they must comply with the registrar's terms and conditions, they must tell the registrar how they will use the domain, they must provide accurate information for publication in the registration data directory services, or they must respond to contacts requiring validity of registration data from the registrar within 15 days. I could have written that one more clearly. But which one is not the registrant responsibility? What do they not

have to do? All right. Most of us have voted. You've got three more seconds, and we'll see our correct answer. Well, our popular answer was to tell the registrar how they will use the domain, and that is correct. Registrants don't have to tell the registrar what they're going to do with it. And honestly, I often just don't want to know, right? Too much information. Yeah. Often. Not always. Sometimes I'm curious. I see some domains come through. I'm like, "What are you doing there?" Yeah. Yeah.

All right. True or false? The registrant's email address on the domain is no longer active, but as long as they update it to an active one within 10 days, they will not be out of compliance with their registrar. As long as they update in 10 days, they'll be okay. Is that true or is that false? Does that mirror an earlier question that we had asked in this very game show? Did you learn something five minutes ago that answers this question? Maybe. It's all very complicated. It's so fraught. You're doing great, people. Do we have any questions? Yes. Yeah. Okay. Four more seconds. True or false? All right. We'll see what the popular answer was. Oh, real close call here. And the correct answer is false. They have seven days. We said that earlier. It's a seven-day thing. That's how long they have to tell the registrar that they've got new info.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Sarah?

SARAH WYLD

Yeah.

JOTHAN FRAKES

This is Jothan. I copied Mohit's answer and got it wrong.

SARAH WYLD

I'm shocked. Shocked.

REG LEVY

Sorry, I'm losing my touch.

SARAH WYLD

All right. True or false? After registering a domain, the registrant can expect the registrar to inform them about how their data will be collected and managed, and how it is accessible for modification. After registering a domain, the registrant expects the registrar to tell them these things. Is that true or false? I love this question, and Eric wrote it, and I think it's a brilliant one. All right. Yeah. I love it because it's about being informed of data processing. It's about knowing how to update one's data. These are really important things. We got a few more seconds. We got 25 out of the 35 of us have voted. You're doing great. All right. So the popular answer was false. Pretty close split again, and that is correct because they need to be informed before. Yes, we inform before collection about how data will be processed. Not after, but before.

All right. And our leaderboard still has Mohit, but Christopher. Oh, is it equal? What are we... Oh, because timing. 14 and 14 for Chris,

but Mohit's faster. And then Christopher has moved up into the leaderboard, which is very exciting. But we still got Mark and the mysterious Not Sarah. Delightful. All right. Moving on. We're talking about data disclosure now. So which one of these is not information that a registrar must publish about their disclosure process? What is not required? Is it the full name, contact information, and position of all directors and officers of the registrar's business? Is it the mechanism and process for submitting requests? The required format and content of requests? Or the anticipated timeline for response? Which one of these is not information that the registrar must publish about their disclosure process? Or process, if you want to say it that way. Got a few more seconds. Get your votes in before the time closes. Okay. And so the popular answer was, yes, the officers. You know why? Because it's not about disclosure. That's just about the business. Was that a trick question? Not quite, because they do still have to publish it, but it's not about disclosure.

Okay. Which one of these things is not required to be included in the format and content of disclosure requests? Is it the requester's identity and contact information? The data requested to be disclosed? The requester's rationale for the request? Or the requester's ID or other identifying documentation? So which one is not required to be included in the disclosure request? I'm still having fun. I hope you're all still having fun. We got five more seconds on the clock. Get your answers in. You're mostly there. Okay. And so the popular answer was the ID or other identifying

information. That is correct. Every once in a while, someone sends in a copy of their ID, and like, why? I don't want that info. It's too much information. It's my theme. Okay. Mm. Got a comment.

ALAN WOODS

What I would say to that is sometimes it is appropriate because it's a BS request, pardon my language, and it's a very good way of putting it in there. You can ask them for it, and it can prove otherwise worthy. Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Thank you, Alan. Reg?

REG LEVY

So the question says, "Or other identifying documentation," and I would say that for certain types of requests, that is required, especially where someone is representing that they represent a third party. They need to provide the identifying documentation that indicates that they represent that third party.

SARAH WYLD

Thank you, Reg. Okay.

REG LEVY

Argue with me.

SARAH WYLD

What is required to be included in responses to disclosure requests? So in the response, must there be the requested data, the reason why the data cannot be disclosed, confirmation that the domain name has been fully paid for, or either one or two above? So which ones of these are required to be included in responses to disclosure requests? In responses, not the request itself. I don't know. We've got a few more seconds on this one, and as you can see, this is question 20 out of 23, so if you want to get in the champions round, you better be working hard. All right. And most people selected one or two above, and most people are correct. The registrar needs to either provide the requested data or explain why they cannot. Almost at the end here. We got a leaderboard. Chris has moved up again. Mohit, you're slipping.

JOTHAN FRAKES

No.

SARAH WYLD

You slipped already? Mark, you're doing really great. All right, Christopher, Howard, I'm so impressed with everybody. Well done, friends. We got a few more questions, and then we'll move on to our champions round.

Registration Data Reminder Policy, my favorite. What must a registrar include in their registration data reminder notice? Is it the current registration data? Is it a reminder that providing false data can lead to cancellation of the domain? Is it neither of those things,

or both of those things? So what needs to go in the registration data reminder notice, formerly known as the WHOIS Data Reminder Notice? Our friend, the WDRP. What do you have to include? We're voting, we're thinking. Are we teaming up still? Is that still happening? A few more seconds. Okay. All right. Time is up, and the popular answer was both of those things, but more of a split. But that is correct. So the registration data and reminder that providing false data can lead to cancellation both need to be in that notification. To whom must the registrar send the registration data reminder notice? Does it go to all the contacts on the domain, the registered name holder, the admin contact, or the reseller? Who does the registrar send this notice to? Even if it's sent by carrier pigeon. We're thinking, we're voting. Hey, somebody joined the game. We got 36 now instead of 35. Well done. Welcome. All right. Almost out of time, and there is only one question left after this one. I'm so sorry. Yeah. All right. And we've selected mostly the registered name holder, and we are correct. Well done, 18 people.

All right. Final question in this section. How often must the registrar send the registration data reminder notice? Is it every year at least, at least twice a year, at least every two years, or no more than once every two years? So how often must that reminder notice be sent? Megan, you have a question or a comment? Please.

MEGAN

Question. Are we going to get to see our scores at the end, even if we're not on the leaderboard?

SARAH WYLD I kind of don't know.

MEGAN Oh.

SARAH WYLD I'm not sure if Slido's going to show only the top five or everybody.

MEGAN Yeah.

SARAH WYLD I think it'll give me a report at the end. So I will look for that if you really want to know how you did, for sure.

MEGAN I'm just curious.

SARAH WYLD Yeah, of course.

MEGAN I know I missed some. I'm not on the leaderboard, but hey, I'm competitive.

SARAH WYLD

You could be the Not Sarah, who knows?

REG LEVY

But each of us will see our own when she's showing the leaderboard. On your own screen, you can see where you are.

SARAH WYLD

Thank you, Reg. All right. So most of us selected at least every year, and that is the correct answer. At least once a year. And often registrars do it halfway through the year opposite to the registration date. That reminder notice must be sent out. All right. So we're going to see the leaderboard for the main segment of the game. And our winners, hooray! Oh, surprise. Well done, friends. Okay. So CLE, I'm going to assume is our friend Chris Lewis-Evans. Congratulations, 20 out of 23. Next coming in is Mark from the registry side. Well done. Then we've got Howard, then we've got Christopher, and surprise in the end, the Domain Kingpin, who doesn't want to identify themselves necessarily, but well done.

REG LEVY

It's Benny.

SARAH WYLD

It's Benny! Way to go, Benny. All right. Very exciting.

REG LEVY

Well done.

SARAH WYLD

So it is now time to move to our champions round, and this is a slightly complicated procedure. But I'm going to click... Yeah. No. Okay. So I'm just going to close that. You'd all get to see the insides for a second. Champions round.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Last prize for the lowest.

SARAH WYLD

Yes, I would love to do a prize for the lowest score. So who are our champions? We have a Chris, and we have a Manju, and we have a friend from the ISPCP whose name is escaping me in this moment, and I haven't met them. Are they here? Yes. Wonderful. Fantastic. Okay, so you three champions, plus... Wait, now I've lost it. So who were our... Plus, it is Mark. Yes, Mark. And Christopher. Oh, God, Zoe. Thank you. Yeah. I've lost it entirely. Yeah. Wait, what's going on? Yes. No? And Not Sarah, technically. Can you come on the mic? I'm just not sure what's happening.

SANTANU

I thought you asked for ISPCP.

SARAH WYLD

Yes. So what's your name, my friend?

SANTANU My name is Santanu.

SARAH WYLD Yes. Okay, so you are the designated champion, and you're the phone-a-friend in case you need help.

SANTANU Yeah.

SARAH WYLD Yeah. So only one of you is going to play in the champions round, but you can collaborate. You can work together. So you and you and you and you. How many people is that? Is that five people? One, two, three, four, five. Okay. You're all going to join in this Slido using the code that's on the screen. And everybody else, just please don't.

SANTANU We will know. We will find you.

SARAH WYLD Yeah. Okay. But now I need to see five people show up in here. So it's 3133271. And Howard. Yeah, but we picked the top three from the game show. Shoot. Who won the game show? Oh, wait. Oh, no. Did I mess up the top three from the game show? I should have taken a screenshot before I closed the window. It was Chris. It was

Chris. Mark. And Mark. And Howard? Yeah. And not Christopher? I have enough prizes. Join the game. Oh, thank you, Eric.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Chris, Mark, Howard. Yeah. Please, join the champions round. Yeah.

JOTHAN FRAKES

It's okay.

SARAH WYLD

No.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Oh.

SARAH WYLD

Come on, play the game.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Play the game.

JOTHAN FRAKES I'll be a fake Howard.

SARAH WYLD Okay.

JOTHAN FRAKES I was seeing less prizes.

SARAH WYLD All right.

JOTHAN FRAKES This is a trend.

SARAH WYLD Howard, are you coming? You're really not? Are you sure? Are you sure? Okay, we're going to go ahead with our champions round, friends. All right. Champions, pay attention. Wait. Yep. Sarah? Yeah. So we can see the... Sorry.

JOTHAN FRAKES Fake Howard.

SARAH WYLD Okay, are we ready? Now we have a Barcelona. That's great. Okay, we're going to go ahead. We're going to go ahead with the

champions round. So first up, Fake Howard. In 2018, when the EPDP Phase One initial report was published for public comment, it got 50 comments. Later, the final report got published for public comment, and how many comments did the final report get? Was it 42, answer to life, the universe, and everything, 29, 23, or 17? So how many public comments were there on the EPDP Phase One final report? Four out of seven have... How did we end up with seven champions? Supposed to have five champions. I don't know if I have seven prizes. I think I have five. All right. We gave extra time for the champions round because the questions are a bit more complicated. You can still vote. If everybody answers, then I think it just advances. We lost Reg. Five more seconds, friends. How many public comments did the Phase One final report get? I don't remember. Oh, most of us selected 42 because that's always the best choice. And the correct answer was, I can't see it, 17. All right. Good job to whoever selected 17. That is one of my lottery numbers.

Next up, the registry operator must always escrow specific data elements. Beyond that, there's some data that the registry operator must escrow only if they receive that data from the registrar. So which ones of these data must the registry operator escrow if received? Is it the registrar's URL, the domain name creation date, the registrar WHOIS server, or the domain status? Which one of those data elements must the registry operator escrow if they receive it from the registrar? I can't remember in this moment, so I'm looking forward to finding out the answer. Four out

of seven have selected. Okay. Another 10 seconds. Make your choices. Which one must be escrowed? Do we know what escrow means? It means that it's sent to a third party to hold the data securely in case there's a problem. And so most people selected the registrar WHOIS server. Some selected domain status. The correct answer is the registrar WHOIS server. Well done, 50% of you. All right. That's weird. All right. Yeah. Like why?

JOTHAN FRAKES

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

I don't know. Yeah. Like why? Who needs that? Okay. Question three out of five. If the registrant provides tech contact data, the registrar must explain to them that instead of providing personal data for the tech contact, they can instead either provide contact info that does not constitute personal data or do something else. Okay, so what is the something else that they might be able to do? Is it designate the same person as the registered name holder or their representative to be the technical contact? May they designate ICANN Org to be the technical contact? May they designate the registrar itself to be the tech contact? Or designate the registry operator to be the tech contact? Which one may they do instead of, or as well as, providing contact info that does not constitute personal data? Those are the options. These questions are hard. You're all doing great. We got four out of seven votes. I hope you're having as much fun as I am. I doubt it. Okay. The

popular answer here was designate the same person as the registered name holder. Yes, the six out of seven of you who voted selected the correct answer. Well done, friends. That is it. You can either provide non-personal data or the domain owner can be the tech contact.

All right, second to last question here. Who is on the SSAD Supplemental Recommendations Team? Is it GNSO councilors, ICANN community members, GNSO councilors and ICANN community members, or councilors, community members, and expert advisors from the public? Who makes up the SSAD Supplemental Recommendations Team? There's one person in this room that I sure hope gets it right. I mean, actually a bunch of us, I think, should know this one, but the chair is... Yeah. All right. So who is on the team? We have six out of the seven votes. If the last person votes, it does advance, so we don't wait the next 26 seconds, and that's okay. How are we feeling? We having fun? Are we good? Everybody okay? Yeah. All right, 15 more seconds. I'm not going to skip ahead so that that one last person does get the full timeframe to make their selection. Who's on the SSAD supplemental recs team? It's a good, fun team. Get a lot of work done this week already. An excellent chair. All right. So most people selected councilors and community members. Somebody selected also expert advisors. The correct answer was councilors and community members because anybody who's not a community member isn't participating at ICANN. What are they doing here if

they're not a community member? Who else is there? Yeah. Who else is there that they're not?

All right, last question in the champions round. Which one of these things is not part of the supplemental recommendation team's assignment? Is not part of it. To provide supplemental recommendations on all the original recommendations, advise the GNSO Council on specific questions or topics to address with the Board, propose modifications to the recommendations based on input from the standing committee, or draft entirely new recommendations to address gaps in the original SSAD recommendations. Which one of these things is not part of the supplemental recommendation team's assignment? That team's doing a lot of work, but they're not doing one of the things on this screen. And most of us have selected an answer, but we're going to give everybody the full time to think about it. Drink some water, folks. It's hot out here. Okay. Ooh, so sorry. Three more seconds. Pick your answer. Last question. Okay, so some people selected that it's not to advise the GNSO Council. Most people selected it's not to draft new recommendations. And... Oh, no. What do I do? That one is correct. It is not the job of the Supplemental Recommendations Team to make new recommendations. They're just updating the current ones and advising the Council. Okay. So that's it, and we'll find out who has won our champions round. If somebody wants to do a drum roll. That feels like a you thing. Mark, you won. Yay. All right. So we got Mark first. Fake Howard took second place, and I don't know if that's actually Howard being

funny. It's not. Somebody else, Fake Howard, show up and claim your prize. It's not you, Howard. We got Chris, we got Superman in the room, and then Christopher. Well done, everybody. I'm so impressed with all of your knowledge on this process. I do have five fabulous prizes to present. So we're now... Chris has to get one for winning the last one. Yeah. Do we want to play a bonus round of extra questions because we have time? Yeah. Sure. Okay. Does it give us the opportunity to win more prizes? No.

Okay, so I'm just going to go back and do a bonus round because we had extra questions that didn't really... Oh, wait, can I? No, wait, that's the champions round. I'm in the wrong slide. Slido game show. Okay, so you can come back to the game show under the initial number. Oh, and it does show the leaderboard. Wait, okay. Present. So back... Oh, wait. Next. Yes, join the quiz. We're going to do a bonus round. One, two. One, two. I do have only five prizes, but... One for Chris, one for Mark, one for Claire. One for Chris, one for Mark, because that was the main round and the bonus round, and then one prize, but then I have two extra prizes. No, then we'll figure it out. Then we'll figure it out. And give Fake Howard his prize. Were you Fake Howard? I was Fake Howard. Okay. We got nine people in the bonus round. Does anybody else want to play? Should I keep waiting? Yeah, get signed in. I don't actually remember what these questions are. There is no Dana, only Zuul. Well done. These names are really funny. Fake info, absolutely. Slido doesn't care. I hope that Still Not Sarah is the same person that was Not Sarah before. Alan, you fixed your... Drew Carey, yes.

Okay. I really liked the "Whose Line Is It Anyway?" but that felt a little complicated for us to try to do skits here, so this is what we're doing instead. We got 15 people. People are still coming in, so I'm going to give it another minute. Yes. Also not... How many Sarahs are there? Oh, my goodness. And then Julie, is that a real name? Julie Minot? Is that...

REG LEVY

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. All right, we're going to get started in just one more moment. I do still see people coming in, so we'll still wait a little bit. Edith is... Edith, excellent. All right. The numbers have stabilized, so we're going to get started in our bonus round that apparently has nine questions that I do not remember making. Question number one on the Transfer Policy. Oh yeah, I didn't write these. Very good. Okay. Which ICANN team enforces compliance with the Transfer Policy? Is it ICANN Contractual Compliance, the ICANN Ombuds, ICANN's Global Engagement, or the Transfer Concierge Agents? Which one of these enforces compliance with the Transfer Policy? Who could it be?

REG LEVY

I think one of those is made up.

SARAH WYLD

I think it might be, Mr. Making My Wrong Answers For Us. Thank you. Jonathan did a great job making wrong answers, because that is one thing I am not good at. Except for not on purpose.

REG LEVY

Oh, no. It was you. Yeah, I feel like you did pretty well with that.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. All right. We have all selected ICANN Contractual Compliance, and we are all correct. That is who enforces compliance is the Contractual Compliance team. Well done. Next up, true or false? A registrar may impose any transfer rule as long as the registrant is informed. Is that true or is that not true? I can do what I want. Don't tell me what to do. That's maybe not right. Somebody yesterday told me to enjoy my meal, and I take issue with that. Don't tell me what to do. I'm going to enjoy it because I want to, not because you told me to. All right, we've all voted, and indeed, the correct answer is false. There are rules. The registrar cannot just impose anything they want. It is correct. It is true that it is false, yes.

All right. Who can approve or deny an inter-registrar transfer? Is it ICANN Contractual Compliance, the sponsoring registrar or domain reseller, the registered name holder, or the domain's admin contact? Who can approve or deny the inter-registrar transfer? And I don't remember what answer I marked as correct, so I'm really nervous now to see what it says. Yeah. Because as I'm reading this, I'm like, "There's a couple things I could select here."

Things are always different when you're actually doing it, right?
Yeah.

REG LEVY It's very subjective.

SARAH WYLD Yeah.

REG LEVY Right.

SARAH WYLD Yeah.

REG LEVY Which question do you think that Sarah thought was correct when she made this?

SARAH WYLD Right. What did I think I was asking? So most of us selected registered name holder, and that is what I said.

REG LEVY Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Because the registered name holder can approve or deny their transfer. Except, can they? And also, the registrar can cancel it or deny it? Yeah. So this is why it's a bonus round. It's maybe not been as thoroughly reviewed by a team of experts as the other round, which was also maybe not thoroughly reviewed. We're all people. It's all good.

ROGER CARNEY

Actually, the RNH cannot. They can only request it. They can't approve or deny it. They can only request a transfer.

SARAH WYLD

Well, who are you to tell me that, Mr. Chair of the Transfer Policy?

REG LEVY

Exactly.

SARAH WYLD

Okay. When a domain transfer lock is applied, which one of these things does the registrar not have to disclose? Do they not have to disclose that the domain's locked, why it's locked, how the lock can be removed, if it can be, or the support contact phone number and hours of operation? So when the domain transfer lock is on, which one of these things does the registrar not have to explain? I don't like to explain anything. I never make explainer documents. Yeah. Thinking about it? Yeah, because this is related to the transfer lock. And so most of us have selected the support contact phone

number, and that is correct. That is not required to be included in the disclosure relating to a transfer lock. Yeah. Figure it out.

REG LEVY I don't think I have to tell anyone why.

SARAH WYLD We'll have to go look at the Transfer Policy about that one.

REG LEVY Because I said so.

SARAH WYLD Hey, it doesn't say what the reasons can be.

REG LEVY Right.

SARAH WYLD Just you have to say what the reason is. All right. We got a few more questions here. What must the gaining registrar obtain before submitting a transfer request? So do they need to get the transfer authorization code, the credit card on file, the notarized letter of approval, or cheeseburgers? Yes, because some of us have been on the internet for too long.

REG LEVY

Exactly long enough.

SARAH WYLD

Yes. One of the best original memes. I once got kicked off of a bulletin board for posting an "All your base are belong to us" meme. That's how old I am. Yeah. Okay. So must they obtain the transfer authorization code? Good job, and support to those people who chose the funny answer. That is always the right choice. Okay. Oh, we have a leaderboard. Well, all right. Good job, Zuul. You're winning. Edith, coming in with the meat. Nice work. Chris, do better.

CHRIS LEWIS-EVANS

Not quick enough. Just not quick enough.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. I'm sorry. I didn't mean that.

REG LEVY

I've realized that this game is more like Cards Against Humanity because it's not what the correct answer is, but whether or not I know you.

SARAH WYLD

Oh, I like that.

REG LEVY

I'll trade how it goes.

SARAH WYLD

We played Cards Against Humanity when I was sitting shiva for my mother, and it was great. Okay. There's a couple more questions here. Oh, yeah, variant TLDs. This one's for you, Michael. If a TLD has a variant, when is the variant domain registered? Is it automatically registered along with the initial domain? Is it automatically registered a year after the initial domain? Is it reserved for the same entity to register it if they want to? Or it can never be registered? So if a TLD has a variant, when is the variant domain registered? Assuming that the initial domain has been registered. Yeah. In relation to the initial domain, when is the variant registered? We have a couple more seconds. Oh, we all voted. Good job, people. You're doing great. All right. How do you all know that? Well done. Yeah. Okay, good job. Michael, is that correct?

MICHAEL BAULAND

One would also be okay. It depends on registry policy.

SARAH WYLD

Yes. I really thought I ran this question by you, mister. I think it really goes to show how complicated all of our work is, right? If I can't get all of the questions right, how is anybody supposed to do anything in this world? Because I was looking at it when I was

writing these. All right. I'm so sorry. I did not write all these questions. This was a group effort.

All right. If a TLD has a variant, who can register the related domains? Is it anybody because there's no restrictions, anyone can register related domains but they must be at the same registrar, only the initial registrant can register related domains and they must be at the same registrar as the first one, or nobody, no one can ever register related domains? So if there's a variant, who can get the related ones? This is covered in the explainer document that we recently published. I'm hearing chat, and I would encourage you to use your mics if you want to make funny comments, because I love funny comments. All right. Most of us selected only the initial registrant, and that is the correct answer, and they have to be at the same registrar. Michael, is that the correct answer? All right. I got a thumbs up from Michael. Very good. All right. And there's a leaderboard and then two more questions. So we got Zuul in the top, Edith coming in hot, True Howard, Chris, and Mark. Excellent, friends. All right. Is Only Zuul someone who played in the earlier rounds and changed their name? I'm just curious.

PARTICIPANT

It's my name. I was there.

SARAH WYLD

There was a Zuul... there was no Transfer Policy. Ah, very good. Very good. All right. Second to last question. Privacy and proxy services. If the registrant licenses the use of their domain to someone else, who is responsible for how the domain is used? Is it the registrant? Is it the registrant is responsible, but they can disclose the identity of who they've licensed the domain to and pass the responsibility to them? Is it just already that someone else, or is the registrar responsible for the use of the domain? So if there's a privacy and proxy service. Yeah. I like the "someone else" in my little single quotes that I love. If you got this wrong, I'm going to be mad. I don't remember what I put as the right answer. All right. Most of us have selected the registrant. The registrant can disclose the identity of the privacy or proxy customer and then pass on the responsibility for use to them. Yeah. But it is the registrant at first. So those of you who selected registrant were kind of right, just weren't all the way right. Double?

All right. Last question in our random bonus round. Last question. When providing a privacy or proxy service, what information must be published on the provider's website? Must the provider publish the terms of service, including pricing, the abuse point of contact and process, when the underlying registration data will be revealed or published, or the link to the registrant's benefits and responsibilities? So, which information must the privacy or proxy service provider publish on their website? And it is only one of these things. It's a multiple choice, so it has to be only one. It's not multiple choice? You can select multiple answers?

MICHAEL BAULAND

Yeah.

SARAH WYLD

Oh, geez. Well, shows what I know. All right. Oh, yeah, and look at that. All three are correct. Objection, I change my answer. Oh. All right, friends, let's look at our last leaderboard. True Howard took the lead at the last minute. All right. Well done, friends. So I'm going to stop sharing because it really makes me anxious to share my screen. We're back in the Zoom.

ALAN WOODS

Great job, Sarah.

SARAH WYLD

Thank you.

ALAN WOODS

It's just the last question tricks everybody into multiple choice.

SARAH WYLD

I've confused myself. I suggest prizes to the winners. Yes. Of the two champions. Yes. There's some champions at home. Yes. And Zuul. Okay. So we have a question.

ALAN WOODS

I just want to, for the record, state that if anybody doubted the utter nerdity of us, now they have no doubt.

SARAH WYLD

I didn't plan ahead as well as possible here, so I don't know who actually got the highest of the top scores, because I have five prizes, but I wanted people to select their prize in order of bestness, and I don't know who to go to.

ALAN WOODS

I think Chris.

SARAH WYLD

So can I have our five winners come over here, I think. So Chris and Manju. Mark. And then Howard. And Howard. Chris, Mark, and Howard are our three winners. And then...

ALAN WOODS

Howard will have a challenge to accept this.

SARAH WYLD

I want to give our ISPCP friends a prize for joining and being champions. And Manju. So that makes five. Whoo. Okay. So one of my ISPCP friends come on down. Okay. I feel like I've learned a lot about hosting a game, and I'd like to hear what you all learned about registration data. So next slide. Do we have a next slide? Just a question. Oh, no. Okay, go back. So was there anything

surprising? Other than the stuff I got wrong in the questions, was there anything that we learned today, anything we didn't expect to hear, anything that surprised us in the answers? I think Slido will tell us what was the hardest question in the game.

ALAN WOODS The number of phones.

SARAH WYLD Yeah. That was a hard one.

ALAN WOODS Yeah, no.

SARAH WYLD That was a hard one. How do I see the results? Oh, wait. If I click stop, maybe it's going to show me.

ALAN WOODS Yeah, it does.

SARAH WYLD Okay. I don't know how Slido works, so I can't figure out how to see what was the hardest question again. We don't have any hands up. Does anybody have any comments or thoughts that they want to share? Oh, wait. I do have leaderboard. Alan, please go ahead.

ALAN WOODS

Thank you very much. Alan Woods. Used to be registry for the record. I think the most important part there is that we all worked an awful lot on the language. The IRT also worked an awful lot on the language, and what we're seeing now is that even after all that work, even after trying to put clarity into it, there is still an element of interpretation depending on your viewpoint. Let's give kudos to ICANN Compliance as well, that they have to go around that conundrum when looking at what is right, what is wrong, and what is not. But also, we got a lot of anger when we were doing the PDP. So even two years, three years, how many years down the line? It's still a difficult concept. So I think kudos to everybody for pointing out the fact that this was always difficult, but generally speaking, people are on the same page.

SARAH WYLD

Thank you, Alan. I really feel like I should have planned ahead and had that kind of a wrap-up statement as well of, "This is complicated, and look how hard it is for us all to get right." You are correct. I saw a hand from Chris.

CHRIS LEWIS-EVANS

And can I just say, as an ex-GAC participant and a current BC participant, the multistakeholder model really works because I did all right.

SARAH WYLD

You really did. I was impressed. Yeah. Hey, and if you hear from the GAC, I would love to just do this game for them with some slight adjustments now that we've learned some stuff. All right. Does anybody else have thoughts and feelings? Have we learned anything? Have we had fun? We've had fun. Yeah. A hand from Jothan.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Yeah. So would this be constructive to do more of these? This was really fun and entertaining, but very learning. And I will tell you, even the registrars really learned a lot from this. Anyway, I wanted to say, Sarah, great job. Thank you for putting this together, and thanks for hosting this session.

SARAH WYLD

Well, thank you, Jothan, and I do want to say again that this was a group effort, and I said the word I a bunch of times in there, but the Registrar Stakeholder Group comms team worked together to create the questions here, and so I'm pretty sure somebody else gave me that one that was wrong. Alan.

ALAN WOODS

Just to add to what Jothan said there, I think there are timings that this would work exceptionally well. A public comment opens. Do a quiz on what is the actual recommendation. What do the recommendations state? Bring people into a room and get them to

have an open public comment type thing. So I think that's a great idea, Jothan.

SARAH WYLD

That is a super fun idea. As you were talking, I sort of misinterpreted and thought you meant that at the public forum, I should just get up there and do questions.

JOTHAN FRAKES

It would be a different game.

SARAH WYLD

Yeah. That would be something, too. All right. We can finish up early if we want to. No, there was something else. If you want to know where you fall on the leaderboard, I have figured out how to see that. Yeah. Oh, I wasn't going to share the screen. Just come ask me if you want to see it, because I'm not sure that everybody wants their scores posted on the big screen.

JOTHAN FRAKES

Hey, can you tell us what Jewel got?

SARAH WYLD

I got real bad. You were ninth in the first round. And then in the bonus round, do you want to know where you were in the bonus round? Oh, wait. I don't know how to get there in the bonus round. Final leader. Okay, in the bonus round, you were second in the

bonus round, Jewel. Yeah, I know. Yeah. Oh, right. Because you cheated me out of the last question. I'm sorry. I'm sorry. I'll buy you a chocolate bar at home. All right. Well, final moment for any input before we end our meeting. That was a calm inhale. Thank you very much. All right. Thank you all so much, friends. I really appreciate your time and attention today. I've had a great time and hope you have also. If you want to play this game again, just let me know. I am happy to host it anytime, as mentioned. And thank you very much. Have a great day. Recording stopped.

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