



The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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Mr. James Bladel  
Chair, GNSO

Dear Mr. James Bladel,

Thank you for your correspondence of 21 December 2016 with the GNSO's review of the GAC Hyderabad Communiqué. Your letter is posted on ICANN's correspondence page at:  
<https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/correspondence/bladel-to-crocker-21dec16-en.pdf>.

To support transparency, the ICANN organization is in the process of improving the way it manages incoming correspondence, including addressing prior letters to which ICANN had not previously published a response. This communication is part of our addressing this historical correspondence and serves to close this communication thread by confirming the exchange between the GNSO and the Board regarding the GAC Hyderabad Communiqué.

The Board reviewed the GNSO input to the GAC Hyderabad Communiqué as part of its consideration of this Advice, taking it into account in the scorecard<sup>1</sup> which the Board adopted at its meeting on 3 February 2017 (see the resolution here:  
<https://www.icann.org/resources/board-material/resolutions-2017-02-03-en#1.i>).

We thank you for the input, and we look forward to future input provided by the GNSO on the GAC Communiqués.

Sincerely,

Stephen D. Crocker  
Chairman, ICANN Board of Directors

Cc: Thomas Schneider, Chair, GAC

<sup>1</sup> See <https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/resolutions-hyderabad57-gac-advice-scorecard-03feb17-en.pdf>