



By means of this letter, Japan Registry Services Co., Ltd., the sponsoring organization for the .JP country code top level domain ("JPRS" or "Sponsoring Organization") and the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers ("ICANN") agree to amend Section 4.6 of the ccTLD Sponsorship Agreement (JP), signed 27 February 2002 and effective on 1 April 2002 and then amended by a mutually signed letter that became effective on 29 June 2009 (the "Agreement"). This amendment is made pursuant to Section 6.15 (Amendments and Waivers) of the Agreement.

At the request of JPRS, and in accordance with section 6.14 of the Agreement, ICANN and JPRS undertook a good faith review of JPRS's financial contribution commitment to ICANN in view of the "ccNSO Guideline for Voluntary Contributions of ccTLDs to ICANN" ("Guideline") dated as of 27 November 2013 and the "banded model" attached thereto.

To date under the Agreement, JPRS is obligated to contribute to ICANN as follows:

Section 4.6 Financial Contributions to ICANN. The Sponsoring Organization shall contribute to ICANN's cost of operations in the amount of USD 100,000 per annum. The parties agree to review in good faith on every anniversary of the date of this letter, the contribution to ICANN set out above to see if that sum is still adequate. The review of the parties will take into account all relevant circumstances.

JPRS and ICANN agree that the financial commitment of JPRS should be amended to respect the above-mentioned Guideline that was recommended by ccNSO through a long-term collaborative process between the ccNSO and ICANN and affirms the mutual benefits and value of the relationships between the ccTLD community and ICANN. To that end, JPRS and ICANN agree to replace Section 4.6 of the Agreement with the following:

Section 4.6 Financial Contributions to ICANN. The Sponsoring Organization shall contribute to ICANN's cost of operations in the amount of USD 75,000 per annum. The parties agree to review in good faith on every anniversary of the date of this letter, the contribution to ICANN set out above to see if that sum is still adequate. The review of the parties will take into account all relevant circumstances., including the ccNSO Guideline for Voluntary Contributions of ccTLDs to ICANN.

For completeness, JPRS and ICANN agree to add the following definition into the contract at 2.13:

2.13 "ccNSO Guideline for Voluntary Contributions of ccTLDs to ICANN" refers to the Guideline approved by the Country Code Names Supporting Organization on 20 November 2013, and made effective on 27 November 2013.



This amendment will be effective as of the date that both parties countersign this letter. The letter is produced in two (2) originals. JPRS and ICANN do not amend, supplement or modify any part of the Agreement not specifically addressed herein.

JPRS and ICANN look forward to continuing a long and mutually beneficial relationship.

On Behalf of

On Behalf of

Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

Japan Registry Service Co., Ltd

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Koki Higashida

President, Global Domains Division

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Date *SEPTEMBER 23, 2014*

OCTOBER 22, 2014 Date