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Update on NRO-NC / ASO-AC Activities



What is the NRO-NC?

- NRO = Numbers Resource Organisation
 - coordination between RIRs
- NRO-NC = NRO Number Council
 - Members are appointed/elected by the RIRs

http://www.nro.net/about/number-council.html



What is the ASO-AC?

- ASO = Address Supporting Organisation
 - Part of ICANN
- ASO-AC = ASO Address Council
- Advises ICANN on number resource policy issues
- http://aso.icann.org/



NRO-NC = ASO-AC

- In terms of an MoU between ICANN and the NRO, the NRO-NC fulfils the role, responsibility, and functions of the ASO-AC
- http://www.aso.icann.org/docs/asomou2004.html
- Effectively, members are elected/appointed to the NRO-NC, but serve as the ASO-AC



Membership

- 15 Members: 3 from each RIR
 - 2 elected by the community in the region
 - 1 appointed by the RIR Board
- AfriNIC representatives serve staggered threeyear terms
 - Other RIRs may have other arrangements
- Observers from RIR staff and ICANN



Openness and Transparency

- Public web site http://aso.icann.org/
- Procedures are published
- Minutes are published
- Announcement mailing lists:
 - aso-announce@aso.icann.org
 - aso-policy@aso.icann.org
- Observers from ICANN and RIRs participate on mailing list and attend meetings



Current Members (2008)

REGION	Member	*appointed by RIR Board
AfriNIC The Internet Numbers Registry for Africa	Alan Barrett * Jean Robert Hountomey Vincent Ngundi	
APNIC	Tomohiro FUJISAKI * Dr. Kenny S. Huang Hyun-joon Kwon	
American Registry for Internet Numbers	Martin Hannigan * Jason Schiller Louis Lee [Chair]	
LACNIC	Sebastian Bellagamba Hartmut Glaser * Francisco Obispo	[Co-chair]
RIPE NCC	Hans Petter Holen [Co- Dave Wilson Wilfried Woeber*	chair]



Tasks of the ASO-AC

- Appoint seats 9 and 10 to ICANN Board of Directors
 - staggered three-year terms
- Appoint one member to ICANN NomCom
 - one-year terms
- Process "Global Policy Proposals"
 - per formal definition and process
- Advise ICANN Board on matters relating to number resources



Appointments to the ICANN Board of Directors

- David Wodelet
 - North America
 - serves from Jun 2006 to Jun 2009
- Raimundo Beca
 - Latin America
 - serves from Jun 2007 to Jun 2010

- No new appointment was made in 2008
- Starting work on appointment for 2009



Appointment to ICANN NomCom

- Hartmut Glaser
 - Latin America
 - appointed to ICANN 2009 Nominating Committee



Recent Global Policy Proposals

- Allocation of AS numbers from IANA to RIRs
 - approved by all regions
 - ASO-AC formally submitted it to ICANN on 13 June 2008
 - ASO-AC formally advised the ICANN Board on 12 July 2008
 - ICANN Board ratified the policy on 31 July 2008



Current Global Policy Proposals

Global Policy Proposal for remaining IPv4 address space

- Several proposals were discussed in various regions, starting in April 2007
- Essentially identical proposals now passed
 - AfriNIC afpol-v4gp200802 (Aug 2008)
 - APNIC prop-055-v002 (Nov 2008)
 - ARIN proposal 2007-23 (Jun 2008)
 - LACNIC LAC-2008-01 (Aug 2008)
 - RIPE proposal 2008-03 (Sep 2008)
- Not yet formally passed to ASO-AC



Thank You!

- Activities of the ASO can be found at http://aso.icann.org/
- Also see http://www.nro.net/about/numbercouncil.html