



NRO-NC / ASO-AC Address Council Report

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What is the NRO-NC?

- NRO = Number Resource Organization
 - 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 Organization
 - One of the ICANN “Supporting Organizations”
- 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/aso-mou2004.html>
- Effectively, members are elected/appointed to the NRO-NC, but also serve as the ASO-AC



Membership

- 15 Members: 3 from each RIR
- 2 elected by community
- 1 appointed by Board (*)

AFRINIC	APNIC	ARIN	LACNIC	RIPE
Jean-Robert Hountomey	Naresh Ajwani	Louis Lee	Sebastian Bellagamba	Hans Petter Holen
Vincent Ngundi	Kenny Huang	Jason Schiller	Francisco Obispo	Dave Wilson
Alan Barrett*	Tomohiro Fujisaki*	Martin Hannigan*	Hartmut Glaser*	Wilfried Woeber*



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”
 - Assure ICANN Board that process has been followed
- Advise ICANN Board on number resources



ICANN NomCom

- **Wilfried Woeber**
 - RIPE region
 - appointed to ICANN 2010 Nominating Committee
 - Re-appointed to ICANN 2011 NomCom



ICANN Board of Directors

- 5 candidates applied for new appointment in 2010
 - 4 were interviewed
- Kuo-Wei Wu appointed
 - Will serve from June 2010 to June 2013
- Ray Plzak still serving, 2009 to 2012



Global Policy for AS Numbers

- Changes timetable for 4-byte ASN transition
- Introduced in all regions in 2009
- Passed in all regions in 2009/2010
 - AfriNIC AFPUB-2009-ASN-001
- Passed from ASO-AC to ICANN Board in July 2010
- Ratified by ICANN Board



Global Policy Proposal for allocation of IPv4 blocks to RIRs post exhaustion

- Deals with recovered IPv4 space
- Old proposal introduced in all regions between Jan and May 2009
 - Not passed in ARIN region
- New proposal introduced in 2010
 - AfriNIC afpub-2010-v4-006
- ASO-AC and ICANN staff tracking its progress



Other Activities in 2010

- Face-to-face meeting in June 2010
 - during ICANN Meeting in Brussels
- Presentation at ICANN meeting in Cartagena, Colombia, December 2010
- Participation in ICANN review teams
 - ATRT, SSR, WHOIS
- No ICANN Board appointment for 2011



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 - on-going support and guidance
- the Secretariat (provided by LACNIC in 2010)



Additional Information

- The Address Supporting Organization
 - <http://aso.icann.org/>
- The Number Resource Organization
 - <http://www.nro.net/>
- Questions?