

Application for "At-Large Structure" (ALS) Designation



Applications should be submitted electronically to als@alac.icann.org. Please address any questions about the applications process to this address.

The form can be downloaded from <http://www.alac.icann.org/correspondence/structures-app.txt>.

Contact information

1. Organization's Name: **Liberia Chapter of the Internet Society (ISOC-Liberia)**
2. Organization's email address: **isoc.liberia@gmail.com, libinternet1@yahoo.com**
3. Organization's phone number (include country/city codes): **(00231)6 579 578**
4. Organization's address (location and postal address, if different): **Capitol Hill, P. O. Box 6303, Monrovia, Liberia**
5. Organization's website (URL) (if available): **NOT YET AVAILABLE**
6. Organization's contact for ALS application (email, phone, address): **Philip F. Johnson, isoc.liberia@gmail.com**

Description

1. Is your organization constituted so that participation by individual Internet users who are citizens or residents of countries within the Geographic Region in which your organization is based will predominate in your organization's operation? **Yes**
2. Describe your organization's constituents/membership (number, citizenship/location, defining characteristic - e.g. profession for professional societies): **Members ranging from ISPs, ORDINARY INTERNET USERS, ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS, BUSINESS ENTITIES, ETC.**
3. Explain the eligibility requirements (if any) for your organization's constituents/membership (if you provide a written application for admission as a member, you may attach a copy): **Must be a member of ISOC global membership, and have an email and be ready to pay dues.**
4. In what language/s does your organization conduct its business? **English**
5. Provide support for the statement that your organization is self-supporting (by answering "yes" you confirm that it will not rely on ICANN for funding): **Yes**
6. Describe your organization's structure (e.g. governing and decision-making bodies and processes): **Board of Directors, Executive Committees**
7. Does your organization commit to supporting its individual constituents'/membership's informed participation in ICANN? **If funding are available**
8. Describe how your organization keeps its constituents/membership informed

about, and enables them to participate in, decisions regarding issues of interest: **Through emails and later through its websites**

9. Does your organization post on the Internet publicly-accessible, current information about your organization's goals, structure, description of constituent group(s)/membership, working mechanisms, leadership, and contact(s) (if this information currently is available, provide URLs)? **Not yet**
10. Provide information on your organization's leadership (leaders' names, positions, emails):

Mr. Philip F. Johnson-President

Mr. Charles Gaye Vice President

Mr. George Wonlon Vice President/Communications and Outreach

Mrs. Doris Jumah Treasurer

Objectives

1. What is your organization's primary goal or mission (please attach any mission or policy statement for your organization, if in writing, or provide a URL, if posted):

Vision: To lead and support the Liberian community in making the best use of the internet contributing to Liberia's socio-economic development and growth.

MISSION: To provide support and information on all internet related issues in Liberia to enable individuals, business, professionals, and organizations achieve their goals more effectively.

Objectives:

- (A) **ADVISE INTERNET USERS ON HOW TO MORE EFFICIENTLY UTILIZE THE INTERNET.**
- (B) **SET A FRAMEWORK FOR A CODE OF ETHICS FOR INTERNET USAGE IN LIBERIA.**
- (C) **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**
- (D) **ENCOURAGE AND DEVELOP NATIONAL COMPETENCE BY HOLDING CONTESTS IN VARIOUS APPLICATION AREAS.**
- (E) **ENCOURAGE AND ESTABLISH TRAINING CENTRES FOR SKILLS DEVELOPMENT.**

ENCOURAGE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIALIZED LIBRARIES FOR INFORMATION AND KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

2. What ICANN-related issues currently are of interest to your organization's

constituents/membership:

gTLD registry, ccTLD, IDN etc.

3. If formed, will your organization commit to assisting the Regional At-Large Organization (RALO) for the region in which your organization is based in performing its function? **Yes**

Signature

Philip F. Johnson

President, ISOC-Liberia, P. O. Box 6303, Monrovia, Liberia

(Include the name, and title, if applicable, of the individual who is authorized by your organization to sign this application and commit your organization to comply with ALS criteria.)