

ALAC Updates

***Policy development activities**

Statements approved by the ALAC

Proposed Incremental Changes to the ICANN Meetings Strategy

The ALAC agrees with no change regarding the Community Forum, but recommends at least 5 days for outreach at Policy Forum and 6 days plus 1 additional for wrap up activity at the AGM.

Statements in process: being drafted, in comment or in vote:

ICANN Draft FY19 Operating Plan and Budget and Five-Year Operating Plan Update

Will be voted during ICANN61

The ALAC does not support the direction taken in this budget however. Specifically we see an increase in staff headcount and personnel costs while services to the community have been brutally cut

2 examples:

The CROP program was eliminated

The cut of SO/AC Additional Budget Requests (ABRs). (more than the 2/3)

ALAC also pointed out that ICANN needs to be careful that if we ask the community to make sacrifices, that we scrupulously treat all parts of the community with fairness.

Plan to Restart the Root Key Signing Key (KSK) Rollover Process

Public Comment requests to which the ALAC decided not to submit Statements:

- [Proposal for Korean Root Zone Label Generation Rules](#)
- [Maximal Starting Repertoire version 3 \(MSR-3\) for Root Zone Label Generation Rules \(RZ-LGR\)](#)
- [Operating Standards for ICANN's Specific Reviews](#)

Atlarge review : status and next steps

The Organizational Effectiveness Committee (the OEC) of the board requested that MSSI create a mapping relating the issues raised, but not the recommendations to what the ALAC had proposed.

The MSI was also asked to identify gaps where ALAC did not propose a solution to a problem that ALAC acknowledged was a problem.

ALAC has sent an updated document that will be discussed with the OEC on Monday 12 March during ICANN61