

5 August 2025

**Subject:** Final Draft of the Review of Reviews CCG Charter

Dear Chairs of Supporting Organizations and Advisory Committees,

I write to confirm receipt of the final draft charter for the soon-to-be-formed Cross Community Group on Review of Reviews (CCG).

The Board commends the community efforts, in support of its [19 May 2025 resolution](#), to produce this draft and help move the dialogue forward expeditiously as we approach ICANN84. The Board also appreciates the candid and constructive discussions held during ICANN83 and subsequently that led to this draft.

The Board recognizes the steps you are taking to confirm alignment with your groups and is prepared to consider a final version of the charter when it is available.

The Board agrees with the timing considerations and looks forward to the formation of the CCG, enabling collective progress needed to prepare for the ICANN84 dialogue, where the Board understands the community plans to organize an open plenary session early in the meeting, to be supplemented by additional discussions.

Both the Board and organization are in the process of identifying and appointing their representatives to the CCG. The Board suggests that each Supporting Organization and Advisory Committee interested in participating in the CCG provide its slate of candidates to serve as members of this new group by 22 August 2025. This should allow the newly selected members time to prepare for the work leading into and during ICANN84. The Board asks that each group pay particular attention to the candidate's key skillsets and consider geographic diversity as well as the expectations for CCG members detailed in Section IV of the final draft charter. Nominations can be sent to [reviews@icann.org](mailto:reviews@icann.org).

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the Board to express our recognition and appreciation for the work on this important area, and the partnership and collaboration, as this work continues.

Sincerely,



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Chair, ICANN Board of Directors