NRO update

Paul Wilson
Chair, NRO Executive Council

July 2013
NRO - What is it?

• Number Resource Organization
  – Vehicle for RIR cooperation and representation
  – Lightweight, unincorporated association

• Why?
  – Protect the unallocated Number Resource pool
  – Promote and protect the bottom-up policy development process
  – Act as a focal point for input into the RIR system
  – Fulfill the role of the ICANN Address Supporting Organisation (ASO)
NRO Structure

• Executive Committee
  – 1 appointed representative from each RIR, plus RIR board and staff observers
  – 3 officeholder positions, rotating annually
  – Decisions by unanimous EC agreement

• Secretariat
  – Rotating with NRO Secretary position

• Coordination Groups
  – Engineering, Communications, Public Affairs, Registration Services Managers*, IPv6*.
NRO 2013

• Executive committee
  – AFRINIC: Adiel Akplogan (Secretary)
  – APNIC: Paul Wilson (Chair)
  – ARIN: John Curran
  – LACNIC: Raul Echeberria
  – RIPE NCC: Axel Pawlik (Treasurer)

• Secretariat
  – Hosted by AFRINIC
  – Executive Secretary: German Valdez (April 2013)
• **Address Supporting Organisation**
  – ASO MoU, 21 October 2004

• **Recognised under the ICANN Bylaws to:**
  – Oversee global number resource policy work
  – Appoint 2 Directors to the ICANN Board
  – Appoint representatives to serve on various ICANN bodies (e.g. NomCom)
  – Advise ICANN Board on number resource matters

• **ASO Address Council (AC)**
  – 15 individuals, 3 per RIR region
## AC in 2013

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*Appointed by RIR Board*
Funding ICANN

• NRO expenses distribution
  – Weighted formula based on revenue and total IPv4 resources allocated
  – Applies to NRO expenses such as
    • Joint PR and communications
    • Travel (AC and staff)
    • Staff

• Voluntary Contribution
  – The NRO remains committed to a yearly contribution of $823,000
ASO Review

- Conducted July to December 2011
- Report published 14 March 2012
  - [http://aso.icann.org/news](http://aso.icann.org/news)
  - 26 recommendations
- NRO/ASO response 3 May 2012
  - [http://nro.net/news](http://nro.net/news)
- Next:
  - Report to ICANN Structural Review Committee in ICANN 47 Durban.
  - Implementation by ASO and NRO (RIRs)
Internet Governance

- IGF Multistakeholder Advisory Group
  - Raul Echeberria, Paul Rendek, Paul Wilson
  - 8th IGF: Bali, October 2013

- CSTD
  - Working Group on Enhanced Cooperation
  - http://www.unctad.org

- ITU events
  - WTPF, WTDC, PP14
Other developments

• I* Retreat meetings, convened by ISOC
  – Singapore, February 2013
  – Montevideo, October 2013

• Increase IGF contribution from 2013
  – $100,000

• Coordination groups
  – Registration Services, IPv6

• RPKI project management
  – Future planning and milestones
  – IANA cooperation

• ICANN discussions
  – Response to recent IANA consultation
Thank You

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