.РУС RESERVATION POLICY

To exclude the possibility of unauthorized registrations the Registry Operator reserves some categories of domain names in accordance with ICANN requirements and this Domain Names Reservation Policy in .РУС (hereinafter – Policy).

Policy sets out the terms and conditions for reservation of second-level domain names in the IDN gTLD .РУС (xn--p1acf) to protect interests of the bodies of the governmental and non-governmental public bodies and other cultural and public authorities, local self-governance bodies, government institutions, non-profit organizations whose purpose and objectives are in compliance with the mission or values of the TLD .РУС, the International Olympic Committee, the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, states (including member states of the United Nations) and intergovernmental organizations, as well as other domain names reserved under the instructions of ICANN and at the discretion of Registry Operator.

1. Terms and Definitions

All Levels - second level and all other levels within .РУС at which Registry Operator offers registrations.

Fair use policy - use of the name for its direct purpose of creating reasonably complete website with a public interest services for the benefit of the community, not for holding without use or re-selling.

2. Reserved Names categories and terms

2.1. Terms for Domain Name Reservation Under ICANN requirements:

2.1.1. Two-character labels. All two-character ASCII labels are reserved at the second level.

2.2. Terms of Domain Name Reservation for the Needs of the International Olympic Committee

2.2.1. Second-level domain names in the .РУС TLD corresponding to names from the "International Olympic Committee" list published on ICANN's website at http://www.icann.org/en/resources/registries/reserved are reserved by Registry Operator for the needs of the International Olympic Committee.

2.3. Terms of Domain Name Reservation for the Needs of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement

2.3.1. Second-level domain names in the .РУС TLD corresponding to names from the "International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement" list published on ICANN's website at http://www.icann.org/en/resources/registries/reserved are reserved by Registry Operator for the needs of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement.

2.4. Terms of Domain Name Reservation for the Needs of the States (Including Member States of the United Nations)

2.4.1. Second-level domain names in the .РУС TLD are reserved by Registry Operator
for the states (including member states of the United Nations).

2.5. Terms of Domain Name Reservation for the Needs of Intergovernmental Organizations
2.5.1. Second-level domain names in the .РУС TLD corresponding to names from the "Intergovernmental Organizations" list published on ICANN's website at http://www.icann.org/en/resources/registries/reserved are reserved by Registry Operator for the needs of the intergovernmental organizations.

2.6. Reservations for Registry Operations.

2.6.1. The following ASCII labels are reserved at All Levels for use in connection with the operation of the registry for the TLD: WWW, RDDS and WHOIS. The following ASCII label must be allocated to Registry Operator at All Levels for use in connection with the operation of the registry for the TLD: NIC.

2.6.2. Registry Operator reserves at All levels the domain names necessary for the operation or the promotion of the TLD. The list of such domain names is given in List of Domain Names Reserved for Operation and Promotion of TLD. Registry Operator acts as the Registered Name Holder of such names as that term is defined in the then-current ICANN Registrar Accreditation Agreement (RAA). At Registry Operator’s discretion such names may be released for registration to another person or entity. Registry Operator, at its own discretion, may add new second-level domain names in the .РУС TLD, as well as delete second-level domain names at any time.

2.6.3. Registry Operator reserves at All Levels domain names that include words inconsistent with humanity principles or moral (in particular, words of obscene content, slogans of anti human character insulting human dignity or religious feelings, etc.). The list of such domain names is given in List of Domain Names Unavailable for Registration (stop-list).

2.7. Reservation for the needs of Community.

2.7.1. Reservation for the needs of governmental and non-governmental public bodies and other cultural and public authorities, local self-governance bodies, government institutions and non-profit organizations whose purpose and objectives are in compliance with the mission or values of the TLD. РУС will be reserved by Registry Operator (domains will be released in accordance with the Fair Use Policy);

2.7.2. Geographical names:
- names of cities - regional centers in accordance with the list of centers region for countries with established Russian speaking communities (domains will be released in accordance with the Fair Use Policy);
- Names of Countries and Capitals of the World (domains will be released in accordance with the Fair Use Policy);

3. Community and Geographic Domain Names Release Procedure
3.1. Any entity concerned informs the Registry Operator of their request to register the corresponding second-level domain name in .РУС and the designated beneficiary (the prospective Registrant) by filing a “Request for Release of a Second-Level Domain Name in the .РУС TLD”. (Exhibit 1 to .РУС Reservation Policy)

3.2. The Registry Operator authenticates the request and the powers of the applicant organization.

3.3. The Registry Operator verifies the availability of the domain name for registration and sends to the designated beneficiary information on the further procedure and the unique auth-code.

3.4. The designated beneficiary registers the domain name with a Registrar using the received auth-code.

3.5. The released domain name can be used in accordance with the .РУС Terms and Conditions of Domain Name Registrations.

3.6. Reserved names are publicly valuable domain names such as cities, geographical names or widely accepted generic names, in case if granted for free by the Registry Operator, are subject of Fair use policy.

3.7. The registrant fully understands and agrees that neither the Registry Operator, nor the registrar, nor ICANN, but the Customer himself is unconditionally responsible for using the domain name and all third-level domain names therein, as well as for the risk of adverse consequences of such a usage.

3.9. Where the registration of such a domain name has been cancelled, the gTLD Registry Operator undertakes a set of measures on a repeated reservation of the released domain name.

4. Miscellaneous

4.1. This policy constitutes an appendix to the .РУС Terms and Conditions of Domain Name Registrations. The conditions and procedure how this Policy can be changed, amended, supplemented, revised or approved in a new version or cancelled are defined in the .РУС Terms and Conditions of Domain Name Registrations.

4.2. Registry Operator retains the right at any time to introduce changes into the lists of reserved domain names mentioned in this Policy on its own discretion or upon notice of ICANN without prior notification.
REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF A RESERVED DOMAIN NAME

Request for Release of a Second-Level Domain Name in
the .РУС TLD

(name of entity)

represented by

(full name)

acting pursuant to

requests to reserve in the .РУС TLD the following domain name:

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Applicant information

Full name of entity:
Name of entity in English:
INN (Russian taxpayer identification number) Legal address:
Postal address: Phone:
Fax: Email:
(domain name)

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(job title of authorized person) (signature, name)

Contact person information

Full name: Phone: Email: