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Mason Cole, GNSO Commercial Stakeholder Group Chair Julf Helsingius, GNSO Noncommercial Stakeholder Group Chair, 2023–2024

RE: Outcomes of the Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO) Non-Contracted Parties House (NCPH) ICANN81 Day Zero Workshop

Dear Mason and Julf,

Thank you for your <u>recent letter</u> about the outcomes of the GNSO NCPH ICANN81 Day Zero Workshop. I am glad the NCPH made progress in enhancing its communications and operations, especially with regard to future appointments of ICANN Board seat 14. As you note, collaboration is critical: ICANN must advance important discussions on priority topics such as improving policy development, mitigating Domain Name System abuse, and tracking regulatory developments worldwide. I am also heartened by your commitment to promoting a safe and healthy environment in the ICANN community.

Please continue to work closely with Kurtis Lindqvist, Russ Weinstein, and your support team. The Board looks forward to growing its partnership with the GNSO NCPH.

Sincerely,

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Chair, ICANN Board of Directors

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CC: Rafik Dammak, GNSO Noncommercial Stakeholder Group Chair, 2025–2026
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