

### The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

5 March 2015

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#### RE: NOTICE OF BREACH OF REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION AGREEMENT

Dear Mr. Rousset,

Please be advised that as of 5 March 2015, Mister Name SARL ("Mister Name") is in breach of its Registrar Accreditation Agreement ("RAA") with the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers ("ICANN") dated 31 August 2011 ("RAA"). This breach results from:

1. Mister Name's failure to escrow gTLD registration data, as required by Section 3.6 of the RAA.

Please refer to the attachment for details regarding this breach.

In addition, Mister Name has been deemed noncompliant in the following areas:

- 1. Failure to provide an interactive webpage and a port 43 Whois service providing free public query-based access to up-to-date data concerning all active registered names sponsored by Mister Name for each top-level domain ("TLD") in which it is accredited, pursuant to Section 3.3.1 of the RAA; and
- 2. Failure to timely pay past due accreditation fees in the amount of \$4,342.14, as required by Section 3.9 of the RAA.



### **Additional Concerns**

ICANN notes that since 29 December 2014, Mister Name missed or made late escrow deposits five times.

ICANN requests that Mister Name cure the breaches by 26 March 2015, 15 working days from the date of this letter, by taking the following actions:

- Deposit gTLD registration data on a weekly basis to Iron Mountain Intellectual Property Management, Inc. ("Iron Mountain") and ensure the deposits meet the required specifications;
- Provide ICANN with a remediation plan, including dates and milestones, to ensure that Mister Name will escrow gTLD data on schedule, under the terms, and in the format specified by ICANN; and
- 3. Provide an interactive web page and a port 43 Whois service providing free public query-based access to up-to-date data concerning all active Registered Names sponsored by Mister Name for each TLD in which it is accredited; and
- 4. Pay past due accreditation fees in the amount of \$4,342.14.

If Mister Name fails to timely cure the breaches and provide the information requested by 26 March 2015, ICANN may commence the RAA termination process.



If you have questions or require assistance, please contact Owen Smigelski at <a href="mailto:owen.smigelski@icann.org">owen.smigelski@icann.org</a>.

Sincerely,

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**Contractual Compliance** 

Cc: John O. Jeffrey, General Counsel and Secretary



#### **ATTACHMENT**

## Failure to Escrow gTLD Registration Data

Section 3.6 of the RAA requires registrars to submit an electronic copy of the database described in Section 3.4.1 of the RAA to ICANN, or at registrar's expense, to a reputable escrow agent mutually approved by the registrar and ICANN. Registrars shall submit the data on a schedule, under the terms, and in a format specified by ICANN. Mister Name's failure to deposit gTLD registration data with Iron Mountain or a reputable escrow agent is a breach of Section 3.6 of the RAA.

### Failure to provide an interactive webpage and a port 43 Whois service

Section 3.3.1 of the RAA requires registrars to provide an interactive webpage and a port 43 Whois service providing free public query-based access to up-to-date data concerning all active registered names sponsored by the registrar. Mister Name's failure to provide an interactive webpage and port 43 Whois service is a breach of Section 3.3.1 of the RAA.

# Failure to pay accreditation fees

Section 3.9 of the RAA requires registrars to timely pay accreditation fees to ICANN, consisting of yearly and variable fees. Mister Name owes ICANN \$4,342.14 in past due accreditation fees, in breach of Section 3.9 of the RAA.

## **Chronology:**

Date of Notice	Deadline for Response	Details
20-Jan-2015	27-Jan-2015	ICANN sent 1st compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:icann@mistername.com">icann@mistername.com</a> . No response received from Registrar.
22-Jan-2015	27-Jan-2015	ICANN sent follow up notice via email to <a href="mailto:icann@mistername.com">icann@mistername.com</a> . No response received from Registrar.



Date of Notice	Deadline for Response	Details
28-Jan-2015	4-Feb-2015	ICANN sent 2nd compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:icann@mistername.com">icann@mistername.com</a> . No response received from Registrar.
5-Feb-2015	N/A	ICANN called Primary Contact at +33 1 7543 8384. ICANN left a message for the Primary Contact with complaint details.
7-Feb-2015	13-Feb-2015	ICANN sent 3rd compliance notice via email to <a href="mailto:icann@mistername.com">icann@mistername.com</a> . No response received from Registrar.
7-Feb-2015	N/A	ICANN sent 3rd compliance notice via fax to +33 1 7543 8385. Fax unsuccessful.
10-Feb-2015	N/A	ICANN called Primary Contact at +33 1 7543 8384. ICANN provided Primary Contact with complaint details.
20-Feb-2015	N/A	ICANN conducted compliance check to determine other areas of noncompliance.
5-Mar-2015	N/A	To date, no response received from Registrar and the issue remains unresolved.