



Internet for All: APTLD's Effort to Bolster a Sustainable Infrastructure

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Why?

- Empirically, infrastructure-development/population ratio-wise, AP lags behind Europe and North America
- Quite a number of APTLD Members have remained vulnerable and in need for realistic, scalable and actionable goals
- ccTLDs are still struggling to form a consolidated response to the challenge
- Coordination across the AP* orgs is at an early stage

Our Response

- At KISA's suggestion, to craft a collective Statement reflecting the community's stance on the matter as a part of our commitment to the region and its residents, and the Internet

How?

- The work flow followed our PDP
- And ad-hoc Working Group to tackle on the matter
- Several sessions followed by the public comment period for Members
- A High-Level Meeting to adopt the Statement in the presence of other I* organizations as observers and potential co-signatories in the future

What?

- 3 avenues of prospective work
- 7 realistic and actionable goals, including inter alia
 - safeguarding and advocating a clean DNS at the core of the global Internet infrastructure;
 - advocating good Top Level Domain management and operational practices;
 - Conducting in close cooperation with other AP I* organizations on joint research and applied projects aimed at improvement of the management of ccTLDs and other core components of the Internet ecosystem and infrastructure; advanced technical solutions, and future technologies enabling more secure, resilient and affordable Internet in the Asia-Pacific region,

Next Steps

- Adoption of the Statement
- Reaching out to other AP* orgs for collaborative projects
- Regular (annual?) monitoring by the same Working Group with updates to the community and other interested parties