

July 24, 2026

New Generic Top-Level Domain Program

Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

12025 Waterfront Drive, Suite 300

Los Angeles, California 90094

Re: Support for Sol Naming Limited's Application for the .sol Community Top-Level Domain

Dear ICANN Review Panel:

I write on behalf of **Kamino Foundation**, the entity that supports the Kamino ecosystem, **the largest lending and liquidity protocol on Solana by total value locked**, in support of **Sol Naming Limited's** application for the **.sol** community generic top-level domain.

1. Our Role in the Solana Community

Kamino Foundation supports the Kamino protocol, **an active participant in the Solana ecosystem**. Kamino serves **DeFi participants, users, and ecosystem contributors**, and Kamino Foundation supports the continued growth, adoption, and development of the Kamino ecosystem within Solana.

Since launching in 2022, Kamino has grown into Solana's largest DeFi protocol by total value locked, with multi-billion-dollar deposits across major assets including SOL, USDC, USDT, JLP, and jitoSOL. Our lending markets, automated liquidity vaults, and leverage products serve a large and economically active base of Solana users, and our smart contracts have been independently audited by leading security firms. Kamino Foundation supports the ecosystem built around this protocol.

Through this role, Kamino Foundation interact with and support a meaningful segment of the Solana community.

2. Support for .sol

Kamino Foundation support the recognition of **.sol** as the Solana community's ICANN-administered domain space. The **.sol** string is a natural and established identifier for the Solana community, and its delegation as a community top-level domain would provide Solana developers, applications, users, and ecosystem participants with a trusted namespace in the global DNS.

Kamino Foundation also support **the Solana Foundation's** endorsement of **Sol Naming Limited** as the applicant and ICANN operating partner for **.sol**.

3. Community Benefit

A community-aligned **.sol** TLD can help strengthen the Solana ecosystem's identity layer by connecting community-native applications, naming, wallets, users, and other ecosystem participants with the established DNS.

We believe this will benefit the Solana ecosystem by supporting discoverability, trust, interoperability, and community-aligned use of the .sol namespace.

As the foundation supporting a protocol that serves economically active Solana users, Kamino Foundation believes a community-aligned .sol namespace can strengthen trust, discoverability, and identity for Solana-based financial applications.

For these reasons, **Kamino Foundation** supports **Sol Naming Limited's** application for the **.sol** community gTLD and urges ICANN to approve the application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Craig Pascoe'.

Craig Pascoe

Director

Kamino Foundation