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Self-Certification Question Q4.2-1

We, Ripple Labs Inc., as the applicant for a top-level domain, hereby represent and warrant the following:

1. The applying entity and/or a Qualified Parent Entity (QPE) will fund the startup and long-term operation of all applied-for gTLD strings and (if applicable) currently operated gTLDs of a QPE.
2. The applying entity or QPE has at a minimum of USD 50,000 plus 25% of the application base fee for each applied-for gTLD string in Cash and Cash Equivalents on the balance sheet of the provided financial statements, up to a maximum of USD 300,000, designated to support the startup and operation of all of the applying entity's applied-for gTLD strings.
3. The applying entity and/or its officers are bound by law in its jurisdiction to represent financial statements accurately and the applying entity is in good standing in that jurisdiction.

Yours,

Signed by:
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Akshay Wattal'.
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