



SC5.2 — DNS Abuse Self-Certification

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Operational Context: Totally Legit Agency intends to operate the applied-for TLD through Tucows.com Co. trading as Tucows Registry as its contracted Registry Service Provider (RSP). All technical DNS abuse prevention capabilities — including orphan glue record removal procedures (SC5.2-1.3) and periodic zone scanning (SC5.2-1.7) — will be maintained by Tucows.com Co. trading as Tucows Registry in compliance with Specification 6 §4.3 and Specification 11 §3(b) of the Base Registry Agreement (as amended by the 2024 Global Amendment). The abuse reporting mechanism referenced in SC5.2-1.2 will be established at the registry website prior to delegation.

The applying entity hereby represents and warrants as follows:

SC5.2-1.1

The applying entity will, no later than delegation of the TLD, establish a dedicated abuse point of contact responsible for addressing matters requiring expedited attention and providing a timely response to abuse complaints.

SC5.2-1.2

The applying entity will, no later than delegation of the TLD, establish, publish, and provide to ICANN the location of a mechanism for members of the public to submit reports of abuse.

SC5.2-1.3

The applying entity will implement and maintain a procedure for the removal of orphan glue records when provided with evidence in written form that such records are present in connection with malicious conduct.

SC5.2-1.4

The applying entity acknowledges the following definition of DNS Abuse: DNS Abuse is composed of the following types of harmful activities: malware, botnets, phishing, pharming, and spam (when it serves as a delivery mechanism for the other forms of DNS Abuse).

SC5.2-1.5

The applying entity will publish on its website a description of its policies and procedures to minimize and mitigate DNS Abuse.

SC5.2-1.6

The applying entity's abuse response capabilities are resourced appropriately to ensure a timely and adequate investigation and response to reports of DNS Abuse.

SC5.2-1.7

The applying entity will periodically conduct a technical analysis to assess whether domains in the TLD are being used to perpetrate DNS Abuse. The applying entity will maintain statistical reports of the findings of such technical analysis, and of the actions it has taken in response. The applying entity will maintain these reports for the term of the Agreement, unless a shorter period is required by applicable law or approved by ICANN, and will provide them to ICANN upon request.

Signed on behalf of the Applying Entity

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