ANNEX I

.CL REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION POLICY

Preface

The new .CL Regulations and a set of policies aimed at conforming to the practices generally accepted by the global domain name industry, particularly in regards to the adoption of the Registry-Registrar model for .CL, came into effect in December 2013.

In this sense, the new Regulations established that, without prejudice to the fact that NIC Chile will continue to market domain names to end users, NIC Chile may also authorize the existence of Registrars licensed to manage domain name registration operations on behalf of their clients, including domain name registration, modification, transfer, renewal, deletion, change of holder, or such other operations as may be deemed appropriate.

The .CL Registrar Accreditation Policy includes the design of a Registrar accreditation procedure, the goal of which is to verify that those companies interested in brokering .CL domain name registration services have the (financial, legal, commercial, administrative, and technical) skills and competencies needed to carry out the activities inherent to the functions for which they will be accredited.

The regular procedure for applying to become a .CL Registrar will require already being accredited as a Registrar by the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN). Any Registrar authorized by NIC Chile under the above shall be considered to be an International Registrar. Exceptionally, to facilitate the participation of local companies not accredited by ICANN yet interested in becoming a Registrar for .CL, such companies may apply by fulfilling a different set of requirements. These shall be considered Local Registrars.

REGISTRAR ACCREDITATION PROCEDURE

1. General Accreditation Requirements

Any interested party that meets the requirements set forth below may apply for accreditation:

- 1.1. Being accredited by ICANN and having a registrar ID assigned by the IANA.
- 1.2. Completing the required Data Form.
- 1.3. Passing the technical testing process.
- 1.4. Signing the .CL Registrar Agreement.

2. Special Requirements for Local Registrars

Local companies based in Chile not accredited by ICANN may apply to become .CL Registrar, provided they meet the requirements set forth below:

- 2.1. Be an established company at the time of application with at least two years of validity. Nevertheless, the application of a company applying to participate in this accreditation procedure may be admitted. The background of the company's headquarters will be taken into account, as well as any commercial group, or similar entity, to which the company belongs, if deemed relevant.
- 2.2. Contract an insurance policy with an international or national insurance company subject to the regulation of the Financial Market commission (CMF- Comisión para el Mercado Financiero in Chile) ex Insurance and Securities Commission (SVS-Superintendencia de Valores y Seguros in Chile) for a compensation amount of at least 200 U.F. (U.F. is Chile's inflation indexed monetary unit) or remit a bank guarantee certificate for an amount of 200 UF with the purpose, in both cases, of guaranteeing loyal fulfillment of obligations established within the contract for .CL Registrar Agents to which one must subscribe. Any of these guarantees must be remain valid for the duration for aforementioned contract and up to 60 business days after its expiration.
- 2.3. Pass technical testing of paragraph 3.3.
- 2.4. Sign contract for .CL Registrar Agents.

3. Process Steps

- **3.1** Registration of interested party as a user of the Application System of Registrars for the NIC Chile Registry.
- **3.2** Complete online Accreditation request and Data Form.
- **3.3** Carry out Technical tests in either of the two operation modalities with NIC Chile Registry: via EPP or the Website (Extranet):
- 3.3.1 The applicants connecting via EPP should have a system that interacts with the Domain Name Registry System of the NIC Chile Registry.
- 3.3.2 Applicants that opt for the technical test via the website (Extranet) should follow the procedures for which NIC Chile Registry will report on in order to coordinate the respective tests.
- 3.4 Issuance on behalf of NIC Chile Registry of a certificate of satisfactory approval of the technical test.
- 3.5 In the case of having passed the technical tests, NIC Chile Registry will begin procedures to sign a contract with the company in the accreditation process. In the case where one fails the technical tests, the applicant can request reconsideration within the following 7 days of the respective rejection notification.
- 3.6 To conclude the process, local applicants that have been informed of their passing of the technical tests are required to send a copy of the insurance policy or bank guarantee certificate to NIC Chile Registry, as the case may be, and 2 signed copies of the Contract for .CL Registrar Agents.

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