.co.com Registry
Launch Plan and Operational Policies

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1.0 GENERAL PROVISIONS

1.1 Scope and Applicability

This document describes the processes, procedures, and rules applicable to **Registration** of a name in the .co.com registry as of February 22, 2014

Capitalized terms and phrases not defined in context are defined in Section 11.

1.2 Launch Timeline

The dates and periods listed below are subject to change.

All such changes will be posted on the Registry website at registry.co.com (the "**Registry Website**").

Sunrise Application	2/24 – 3/25	The opportunity for trademark holders to submit Registration Requests for .co.com names corresponding to SMD files of accepted Trademark Clearinghouse (TMCH) entries. For identical trademarks with SMD files, domain name applications will be accepted on a first come first served basis [30 days].
Landrush	4/8 – 7/8	Registrations open to the public on a first-come–first-serve basis at Landrush pricing.
General Availability	7/8 – Ongoing	Registrations open to the public on a first come first serve basis at General Availability pricing.
Premium Names	Ongoing	At any time, Registry may allocate Premium Names in its discretion via (i) request for proposal; (ii) auction; (iii) sale in a marketplace; and/or (iii) other reasonable mechanisms.

1.3 Registration of .co.com Names

Registration Requests for .co.com names may be submitted only by an .co.com Accredited Registrar ("Accredited Registrar").

The Registry will not accept a Registration Request for a .co.com name unless it meets the following technical and syntax requirements:

a. the name must consist exclusively of the letters A-Z (case insensitive), the numbers 0-9, and hyphens;

b. the name cannot begin or end with a hyphen;

c. the name cannot contain labels with hyphens in the third and fourth character positions (e.g., "bq--1k2n4h4b" or "xn--ndk061n"); and

d. the name cannot exceed 63 characters (excluding ".co.com").

The Registry may reject a Registration Request, or may delete, revoke, suspend, cancel or transfer a Registration under the following criteria:

a. to enforce **Registry Policies;**

b. that is not accompanied by complete and accurate registration information or where required information is not updated and/or corrected as required by Registry Policies;

c. to protect the integrity and stability of the **Registry System;**

d. to comply with any applicable law, regulation, holding, order, or decision issued by a court, administrative authority with jurisdiction over the Registry, or decisions of dispute resolution service providers into which Registry has entered into agreement and/or contract to provide domain name dispute services;

e. to establish, assert, or defend the legal rights of the Registry or a third party or to avoid any civil or criminal liability on the part of the Registry and/or its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, directors, representatives, employees, contractors, and stockholders;

f. to correct mistakes made by the Registry or any Accredited Registrar in connection with a registration; or

g. as otherwise provided in the co.com Registrar Accreditation Agreement.

1.4 Term

.co.com names may be registered for annual periods of no less than one year and no more than ten (10) years, commencing on the date on which the Registration Request submitted by the Accredited Registrar is accepted by the Registry. All Registration Requests must specify the registration period.

It is the obligation of the Accredited Registrar, and not the Registry, to notify a Registrant in advance of the termination or expiration (for any reason) of a Registration.

1.5 Payment to the Registry

The Registry will not accept a Registration Request, and will not renew a Registration at the end of the applicable Term unless it has received payment in full from the applicable Accredited Registrar, or payment on terms agreed in writing between the Registry and the Registrar.

1.6 Registrar-Registrant Agreement

Prior to submitting a Registration Request, the Accredited Registrar must secure the affirmative consent of the Applicant to certain policies, terms and conditions as set out in the .co.com Registry-Registrar Agreement ("Agreement"). The Agreement shall also require a link to .co.com Registry policies and provide that they may be updated and expanded on Registry at http://registry.co.com/policy or Registry Service Provider website from time to time.

As stated in the Agreement, Registrants shall agree to terms of:
1. Policy Compliance
2. Anti-Abuse
3. Use of Data
4. Dispute Resolution
5. Data Accuracy
6. Indemnification
7. Liability, and
8. Registry Rights

1.7 Reserved Names / Premium Names

The Registry has reserved certain names from registration in the .co.com TLD ("Registry Reserved Names"). The Registry reserves the right to reserve additional names as Registry Reserved Names at any time in its sole discretion, and to allocate such names in accordance with Registry Policies.

"Reserved Names" include "Premium Names" subject to allocation by other than first-come, first-served mechanisms. At any time, the Registry may allocate

Premium Names in its discretion via (i) request for proposal; (ii) auction; (iii) sale in a marketplace; and/or (iii) other reasonable mechanisms.

2.0   SUNRISE RULES

2.1   Scope and Applicability

During the 30 day .co.com Sunrise Period trademark holders will have the first opportunity to register available .co.com domain names that are an exact match of their mark. Available names are those that have not been reserved, restricted or otherwise allocated prior to the Sunrise Period. Registrations will take place through participating registrars. A list of participating registrars will be provided prior to the start of the Sunrise Period.

2.2   Eligible Sunrise Applicants

To be eligible to submit a Registration Request during Sunrise, Applicants must be the recipient of a Signed Mark Data (SMD) file issued by the Trademark Clearinghouse (http://trademark-clearinghouse.com). Applicants must produce an SMD file with a "Mark" field which is an exact match to an available .co.com domain name.

2.3   Certification

All Registration Requests must be conditioned on the Applicant's certification, representation, and warranty that the request is compliant with the relevant Sunrise requirements.

2.4.   First-Come-First-Serve

Registrations will be accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis.   If more than one Registration Request meets the eligibility criteria for the same Available Name, the .co.com domain name will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Registrations are in real-time and domain names will be available for use at the time of registration.

2.5   Timing

Participating .co.com Registrars will begin accepting Sunrise registrations on Monday, February 24th, 2014 at 16:00 GMT (11:00 am EST) The Sunrise Period will continue until Tuesday, March 25th, 2014 at at 23:59 GMT (7:59 p.m. EST).

2.6   Other Registrant Obligations

All .co.com Registrants are subject to the .co.com Registrant Terms and Conditions contained here: https://registry.co.com/policy/registrant-terms-conditions/.

3.0 LAND RUSH

3.1 Scope and Applicability

During Land Rush, .co.com domain registration is open to the public at Land Rush pricing.   A list of participating registrars will be published prior to the start of the Land Rush phase.

3.2 Eligible Land Rush Registrants

During Land Rush any business, organization or individual may register a .co.com domain name.

3.3 First-Come-First-Serve

Registrations will be accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis. Registrations are in real-time and domain names will be available for use at the time of registration.

3.4 Timing

Participating .co.com Registrars will begin accepting Land Rush registrations on Tuesday April 8th, 2014 at 16:00 GMT (12:00 pm EDT). The Land Rush phase will continue until Tuesday, July 8th, 2014 at 15:59 GMT (11:59 am EDT).

3.5 Other Registrant Obligations

All .co.com Registrants are subject to the .co.com Registrant Terms and Conditions contained here: https://registry.co.com/policy/registrant-terms-conditions/

4.0 GENERAL AVAILABILITY

4.1 Scope and Applicability

During General Availability .co.com domain registration is open to the public at General Availability pricing.   A list of participating registrars will be published prior to the start of the General Availability phase.

4.2 Eligible General Availability Registrants

During General Availability any business, organization or individual may register a .co.com domain name.

4.3   First-Come-First-Serve

Registrations will be accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis. Registrations are in real-time and domain names will be available for use at the time of registration.

4.4   Timing

Participating .co.com Registrars will begin accepting General Availability registrations on July 8th at 16:00 GMT (12:00 pm EDT) and ongoing.

4.5   Other Registrant Obligations

All .co.com Registrants are subject to the .co.com Registrant Terms and Conditions contained here: https://registry.co.com/policy/registrant-terms-conditions/

5.0   DOMAIN NAME INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY DISPUTE AND ANTI-ABUSE POLICIES

5.1   Domain Name Intellectual Property Dispute Policy

Registry will comply with the determinations and findings of ICANN's Uniform Dispute Resolution Policy ("UDRP"), as decided by UDRP dispute resolution providers listed on the Registry's website. Registry will also comply with Uniform Rapid Suspension ("URS") Rules and Procedure of ICANN, including the implementation of determinations and findings issued by URS Providers.

Registrants must agree to submit to proceedings commenced under ICANN's Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy, Uniform Rapid Suspension and any other domain name dispute rules and procedures the .co.com Registry may choose to adopt.

ICANN UDRP policy: http://www.icann.org/en/help/dndr/udrp; ICANN URS Policy: http://www.icann.org/en/resources/registries/urs

Dispute resolution providers will be listed on the Registry and/or Registry Service Provider website.

5.2   Anti-Abuse Policy

All Registration agreements shall affirm Registrant's agreement to the Registry Anti-Abuse Policy. This policy will be posted on the Registry and/or Registry Provider website, and may be updated and expanded from time to time.

Registrars shall prohibit Registrants from distributing malware, abusively operating botnets, phishing, piracy, trademark or copyright infringement, fraudulent or deceptive practices, counterfeiting or otherwise engaging in activity contrary to applicable law, and providing (consistent with applicable law and any related procedures) consequences for such activities including suspension or deletion of the domain name.

Registry will publish on its website its accurate contact details including a valid email and mailing address as well as a primary contact for handling inquires related to malicious conduct in Registered Names.

5.3   Registry Rights Policy

All Registration agreements shall affirm the Registrant's agreement to the Registry Rights Policy. This policy will be posted on the Registry and/or Registry Service Provider's website, and may be updated and expanded.

Registrants shall agree that:

Registry reserves the right to: deny, cancel, suspend or transfer or otherwise make unavailable any Registered Name that it deems necessary, in its discretion:

(1) to protect the integrity and stability of the registry;

(2) to comply with any applicable laws, government rules or requirements, requests of law enforcement, or in compliance with any dispute resolution process that Registry chooses to undertake;

(3) to avoid any liability, civil or criminal, on the part of the Registry, as well as its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, directors, representatives, employees and stockholders or each of them;

(4) for violations of the Registration Agreement;

 (5) to correct mistakes by Registry or any Registrar in connection with a Registered Name;

(6) to freeze or lock a Registered Name during resolution of a dispute; or

(7) for nonpayment of fees to Registry.

5.4   Data Submission and Accuracy Policy

In the Registration Agreement, Registrants will agree to provide accurate and reliable contact details for each of the required contact fields, and to promptly correct and update them during the term of the Registered Name registration, including:

The name and postal address, email address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the Registrant;

The name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the technical contact for the Registered Name; and

The name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the administrative contact for the Registered Name.

and the following data elements:

The name of the Registered Name being registered; and,

The IP addresses of the primary name server and secondary name server(s), if any, for the Registered Name and corresponding names of those names servers.

Registrant shall further agree that providing inaccurate or unreliable information, failing to maintain accurate information, or failing to promptly update information provided to Registrar, shall constitute a material breach of the registration agreement with Registrar and be a basis for cancellation of the Registered Name registration.

When registering or modifying Registered Names, Registrar shall submit to, or shall place in the Registry Database via the Registry System operated by Registry Services Provider including the following data elements:

The Registered Name being registered;

The names of the primary nameserver and secondary nameserver(s), if any, for the Registered Name;

The identity of Registrar;

The name and postal address, email address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the Registrant;

The name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and

(where available) fax number of the technical contact for the Registered Name; and

The name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the administrative contact for the Registered Name.

Upon receiving any updates to the data elements from the Registrant, Registrar shall promptly, and no later than three (3) business days, update its database and provide such updates to the Registry Service Provider.

5.5 Use of Data Policy

Registrars must obtain binding consent from Registrant to the use, copying, distribution, publication, modification and other processing of Registrant's Personal Data and/or other Registrant information by Registrar, Registry and Registry Service Provider, and their designees and agents (including data escrow agents) in a manner consistent with the purposes of providing the Registered Name or to comply with law enforcement or any applicable law.

5.6 Privacy and Data Protection Policy of Registry

Registry will adopt several privacy and data protection policies to include:

A. "Handling of Personal Data" policy, as required by countries or territories with data protection laws (including EU, Canada and Japan), in which we will notify Registrars of the purposes for which Personal Data submitted to us, via CentralNic, and of the intended recipients (or categories of recipients) of such Personal Data, and the mechanism for access to and correction of such Personal Data. Registry and Registry Service Provider will take reasonable steps to protect Personal Data from loss, misuse, unauthorized disclosure, alteration or destruction.

B. Website Privacy Policy to discuss how data collected on the website will be used.

C. Registry chooses to allow Proxy/Privacy Services at this time.

D. Registrar shall require and maintain current and correct Registrant contact data, and shall provide such data to the Registry as may be required for enforcement of Registry Policies, to UDRP/URS dispute resolution providers upon notification of a dispute, and in all cases to law enforcement agencies and/or civil litigants upon receipt of reasonable evidence of actionable harm.

5.7 Indemnification, Liability and Registry Rights Policies

In the Registration Agreement, Registrar will obtain the binding consent of Registrant to Indemnification, Liability and Registry Rights Policies:

Indemnification. Registrant will agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Registry and Registry Service Provider, and its directors, officers, employees, agents, and affiliates from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees and expenses arising out of or relating to the Registrant's Registered Name registration.

Liability. Registrant will agree that, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Registry will not be liable for any direct, indirect, consequential, special, punitive or exemplary losses or damages of any kind (including, without limitation, loss of use, loss or profit, loss or corruption of data, business interruption or indirect costs) suffered by Registrant arising from, as a result of, or otherwise in connection with, any act or omission whatsoever of Registry, its employees, agents or contractors.

Registry Rights Protection. Registrant will acknowledge that Registry reserves the right to deny, cancel, suspend, transfer or otherwise make unavailable any Registered Name that it deems necessary, in its discretion (1) to protect the integrity and stability of the Registry or Registry System; (2) to comply with any applicable laws, government rules or requirements, requests of law enforcement, or in compliance with any dispute resolution process; (3) to avoid any liability, civil or criminal, on the part of Registry, as well as its affiliates, subsidiaries and subcontractors, and the officers, directors, representatives, employees, and stockholders or each of them; (4) for violations of this Agreement (including its Exhibits); (5) to correct mistakes made by Registry or any Registrar in connection with a Registered Name; (6) to freeze or lock a Registered Name during resolution of a dispute; or (7) for the non-payment of fees to Registry.

5.8   Policy Compliance Generally

In Registration Agreement, Registrants will agree to abide by the Registry's Policies as published on the .co.com website at https://registry.co.com/, which are subject to amendment from time to time.

6.0   **AVAILABILITY OF ANTI-ABUSE POLICY/ABUSE DESK AND THICK WHOIS AND WHOIS ACCESS**

6.1   Anti-Abuse Policy and Abuse Desk

Registry will post its Anti-Abuse Policies for both Registrants and Third Parties to access and review. Registry will also maintain an Abuse Desk to which concerns may be addressed and will publish contact information on the Registry website.

6.2   Thick Whois: Whois Access and Data Policy

Registry will provide access to online Whois searches and Port 43 Whois, together with a Terms of Use and any Security and Stability Considerations we may choose to adopt (e.g., protections against data mining).

Registrars are required to provide an interface or link to the .co.com Whois. Until REGISTRY otherwise specifies, the SLD Whois shall consist of the following elements:

> The Registered Name being registered; The names of the primary nameserver and secondary nameserver(s) for the Registered Name; The identity of Registrar (which may be provided through Registrar's website);The original creation date of the Registered Name; The expiration date of the Registered Name; The name and postal address, email address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the Registrant; The name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the technical contact for the Registered Name; and the name, postal address, e-mail address, voice telephone number, and (where available) fax number of the administrative contact for the Registered Name.

Terms of Use: By accessing Registry's Whois Data, Third Parties and all others accessing the data agree to use this Whois Data only for lawful purposes and under no circumstances to use it for:

- allowing, enabling, or otherwise supporting the transmission by e-mail, telephone, or facsimile of mass unsolicited, commercial advertising or solicitations to any entities (other than your existing customers from whom you collected such information with their knowledge and permission); or
- enabling high volume, automated, electronic processes that send queries or data to the systems of the Registry or any Accredited Registrar, except as reasonably necessary to register domain names or modify existing registrations; or
- collect or attempt to collect the majority or entirety of the Whois database contents.

Third parties and all others who acquire Whois Data for any of the above purposes are prohibited from publishing the collected Whois Data.

There is no guarantee of access to Registry's Whois database which may be down from time to time for maintenance, upgrades or due to too many queries at one time.

7.0 MANDATORY PROVISIONS FOR REGISTRAR-REGISTRANT AGREEMENT

The following mandatory provisions shall be included in all Registrar-Registrant agreements are applicable and binding upon all Registrants of .co.com domain names.

Policy Compliance. Registrant agrees to abide by the co.com Registry Policies as set forth in this Agreement and as published on the .co.com website at, https://registry.co.com/.

Anti-abuse. Registrant shall comply with Registry's Anti-Abuse Policy which prohibits Registrants from distributing malware, abusively operating botnets, phishing, piracy, trademark or copyright infringement, fraudulent or deceptive practices, counterfeiting or otherwise engaging in activity contrary to applicable law, and providing (consistent with applicable law and any related procedures) consequences for such activities including suspension of the domain name.

Use of Data. Registrant agrees to the use, copying, distribution, publication, modification and other processing of Registrant's Personal Data and/or other Registrant information by Registrar, Registry and Registry Service Provider and their designees and agents (including data escrow agents) in a manner consistent with the purposes of providing the Registered Name.

Dispute Resolution. Registrant agrees to submit to proceedings commenced under ICANN's Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy, Uniform Rapid Suspension and any other domain name dispute rules and procedures the .co.com Registry may choose to adopt.

Data Accuracy. Registrant agrees to provide accurate and reliable contact details and to promptly correct and update them during the term of the Registered Name registration.and the data elements listed in Section 5.4. Registrant further agrees providing inaccurate or unreliable information, failing to maintain accurate information, or failing to promptly update information provided to Registrar, shall constitute a material breach of this Registration Agreement with Registrar and be a basis for cancellation of the Registered Name registration.

Indemnification. Registrant agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Registry, and its directors, officers, employees, agents, and affiliates from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees and expenses arising out of or relating to the Registrant's

Registered Name registration.

Liability. Registrant agrees that, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Registry will not be liable for any direct, indirect, consequential, special, punitive or exemplary losses or damages of any kind (including, without limitation, loss of use, loss or profit, loss or corruption of data, business interruption or indirect costs) suffered by Registrant arising from, as a result of, or otherwise in connection with, any act or omission whatsoever of Registry, its employees, agents or contractors.

Registry Rights. Registrant acknowledges that Registry reserves the right to deny, cancel, transfer or otherwise make unavailable any Registered Name that it deems necessary, in its discretion (1) to protect the integrity and stability of the Registry or Registry System; (2) to comply with any applicable laws, government rules or requirements, requests of law enforcement, or in compliance with any dispute resolution process; (3) to avoid any liability, civil or criminal, on the part of Registry, as well as its affiliates, subsidiaries and subcontractors, and the officers, directors, representatives, employees, and stockholders or each of them; (4) for violations of this Agreement (including its Exhibits); (5) to correct mistakes made by Registry or any Registrar in connection with a Registered Name; (6) to freeze or lock a Registered Name during resolution of a dispute; or (7) for the non-payment of fees to Registry."

8.0   REGISTRAR POLICIES

8.1 Domain Name Add Grace Period

"Add Grace Period" is the number of calendar days following the initial registration of a domain. If domain is deleted within the "Add Grace Period", the domain name registry will refund the registration fee to the registrar and domain will be released immediately for new registration.

If a domain name is deleted after the "Add Grace Period", the domain name registry will not refund the registration fee and the domain will transit into the "Redemption Grace Period" (RGP).

The deletion of a domain name within the "Add Grace Period" gets a full refund of domain name registration fee. This makes it possible for domainers to add new domain names, measure their traffic and then delete those low traffic domain names, without incurring cost penalties. This exploit is known as "domain tasting". To prevent "domain tasting", registrars are not allowed to delete more than 10% of the net new registration or 50 domain names during each month whichever is higher. Deletions that exceed these thresholds will not be refunded.

8.2 Domain Renewal

A registrant can renew the domain name at any time after registration, before or during Redemption Grace Period. A domain name license can be renewed for any period as long as the renewal years requested plus remaining registration duration does not exceed the maximum domain license period set by the domain name registry. For example, if the maximum domain license period for the registry is 10 years, and a registration has 18 months remaining until expiration, and 9 years of renewal are requested, the resulting period would be 10 years and 6 months, which would be rejected by the domain name registry since it exceeds the maximum domain license period of 10 years.

8.3 Domain Name Renewal Grace Period

The "Renewal Grace Period" is the number of calendar days following the renewal of a domain name registration period. If the domain name is deleted within the "Renewal Grace Period", the Registrar will receive a credit of the renewal fee. The deleted domain then transits to the "Redemption Grace Period".

8.4 Transfer-Not-Allowed-Period

A domain name is not allowed to be transferred from one registrar to other registrar within sixty (60) calendar days from the domain registration date and within sixty (60) calendar days following a successful Registrar transfer.

8.5 Transfer Grace Period

The Transfer Grace Period is the number of calendar days following the completion of a domain name transfer to another Registrar. This grace period is applicable if the transfer was performed with domain renewals. Based on the principle that domain renewals are refundable, transfers with renewals should be refundable as well. Correspondingly, the number of calendar days should be equal to the "Renewal Grace Period".

If a domain is deleted within the Transfer Grace Period, the winning Registrar will receive a refund of the renewal fee (if the transfer is accompanied with a renewal) and the domain transits to the "Redemption Grace Period".

8.6 Auto-Renewal Grace Period and Expiration Period

The registry system will automatically renew expired domain names and charge the renewal fees to the Registrar. The Registrar will then have a grace period known as "Auto Renewal Grace Period" to delete the renewal and receive a refund.

If the domain name is not deleted within the grace period, the Registrar is billed permanently for the renewal, whether or not the Registrar has secured payment

from the Registrant. If the Registrar does not wish to have the domain name, the Registrar must delete the domain by issuing a delete command and the domain name transits to the "Redemption Grace Period".

8.7   Redemption Grace Period

The "Redemption Grace Period" is the number of calendar days following the deletion of a domain name. During the "Redemption Grace Period", the domain will be removed from the DNS and becomes not resolvable. Domain name modifications, renewals and transfers are not allowed when a domain name is in this period. To redeem the domain name, a non-refundable Restoration fee will be incurred in addition to a minimum 1-year renewal fee.

8.8   Pending Deletion Period

If a domain name has not been restored during the "Redemption Grace Period", the name will be placed in a "Pending Delete Period" for five (5) calendar days during which no transactions can be performed on the domain name. At the conclusion of this period, the name will be deleted and released into the pool of available names

9.0   DEFINED TERMS

Accredited Registrar(s) is a .co.com domain name registrar that has entered into the .co.com Registrar Accreditation Agreement with the Registry and agreement with Registry Service Provider.

Applicant(s) is a natural person, company, or organization in whose name a Registration Request is made.

Available Name(s) are .co.com names that have not been reserved, restricted, registered, awarded, or otherwise allocated prior to commencement of the Sunrise period, or in the Land Rush period, or in the Restricted Names and Premium Names reservation and allocation or, in connection with General Availability, prior to the Registry's receipt of a Registration Request.

ICANN refers to the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers.

Registered Name(s) means a third-level domain name within co.com.

Registrant(s) means the holder of a Registered Name, which can be a person, organization or company owning or otherwise controlling a Registered Name by virtue of a registration agreement with the Registrar.

Registrar Service(s) means services provided by Registrar to obtain issuance and maintenance of Registered Name registrations in the SLD, and includes contracting with Registrant, collecting registration data about the Registrant, and submitting registration information for entry in the Registry Database.

Registration means a .co.com name that has been accepted by the Registry in accordance with the terms of the .co.com Registrar Accreditation Agreement for registration during a specified term.

Registration Request is an application submitted by an Accredited Registrar on behalf of an Applicant to register a name in the .co.com Registry.

Registry or REGISTRY means co.com LLC, its successors and assignees.

Registry Database(s) means a database comprised of data about one or more domain names within SLD that is used to generate either DNS resource records that are published authoritatively or responses to domain-name availability lookup requests or Whois queries, for some or all of those names.

Registry Policies means the policies adopted from time to time by the Registry and as posted under Policies on the Registry Website. Registry Policies include those policies, procedures, guidelines and criteria promulgated by REGISTRY from time to time. Such policies may be made available by REGISTRY through the Registry Service Provider's console interface and/or the website www.Registry.co.com/policy

co.com Registration Accreditation Agreement is the agreement between Registry and Accredited Registrars, as amended from time to time.

Registry Service(s) Provider means CentralNic Ltd of 35-39 Moorgate London EC2R 6AR, UK, the entity presently authorized by REGISTRY to provide the Registry Services and its successors and assigns or such other service provider that may be designated by REGISTRY to provide the Registry Services.

Registry Service(s) means the services that are related to operations of the SLD as a registry including: receipt of data from Registrars concerning Registrations of Registered Names and name servers; provision to Registrars of status information relating to zone servers for the SLD; dissemination of SLD zone files; operation of registry zone servers; and, dissemination of contact and other information concerning domain name server registrations as the SLD as required by this Accreditation Agreement.

Registry System means the system operated by Registry or Registry Service Provider.

Registry Website is Registry.co.com

SLD shall refer to the second-level domain co.com.