Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2020-8

Clarify and Update 4.2.1.2 Annual Renewal Fee

History

- Shepherds: Joe Provo, Owen DeLong
- Proposal (ARIN-prop-291): 18 August 2020
- Draft Policy: 20 August 2020
- Presented at ARIN 46
- Revised: 20 November 2020
- Revised: 15 January 2021
- Recommended Draft Policy: 23 February 2021

Staff and Legal Review (3 February 2021)

Staff Understanding:

This Draft Policy would remove Section 4.2.1.2. in its entirety and insert a new subsection into *NRPM Section 2. Definitions*. Section 4.2.1.2. focused on annual renewal fee payments and potential for revocation, including references to public ARIN.net pages, which are subject to occasional relocation and change. The new subsection text for *NRPM Section 2. Definitions* regarding the Registration Services Agreement (RSA) is clear and understandable.

Implementable as Written? Yes

Impact on ARIN Registry Operations and Services:

This Draft Policy would cause no operational or service changes.

Staff and Legal Review (continued)

Legal Review:

The policy does not create any material legal issues.

Implementation Timeframe Estimate: Three months

Implementation Requirements:

- Staff training
- Updated public documentation
- Updated internal procedures and guidelines

Problem statement

- The January 2020 Policy Experience Report highlighted that the existing language in Section 4.2.1.2 "Annual Renewal" references fees.
- Fees are not considered a member qualification criteria.
- Since fees aren't referenced elsewhere in community policy, the wording was reviewed by the PEG.

Policy Statement

Given that the Registration Services Agreement (RSA) already contains language regarding fees, the AC Shepherds recommend to eliminate 4.2.1.2. entirely and add:

2.X Registration Services Agreement (RSA)

Number resources allocated or assigned by ARIN under these policies are subject to a <mark>contractural</mark> agreement between ARIN and the resource holder. Throughout this document, any and all forms of this agreement, past or future, are simply referred to as the Registration Services Agreement (RSA).

PPML Feedback to Status Change

- Pointing out a typo
- Concern regarding legacy resource allocations
- Both from one person
    - do we not have "community support"?
    - is it just too straightforward?

Discussion

- Please let us know how you wish us to proceed!

Thanks!

Any
Questions?