

Policy Proposal 2007-19

**IANA Policy for
Allocation of ASN
Blocks to RIRs
(Global Proposal)**



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History

Introduced on PPML	25 JUL 07
Designated Formal Proposal	28 AUG 07
First PPM Discussion	ARIN XX
Last Revision	Not Revised

Proposal Text In Meeting Packet
http://www.arin.net/policy/2007_19.html

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Description

- ARIN staff understands that this proposal would create policy for IANA to RIRs regarding allocations of ASNs. Block size is 1024. Allocations for 12 months need. Until 31 Dec 2009, allocations of 2-byte and 4-byte blocks are separate. RIRs request additional ASNs when either at 80% or at less than two months need.

AC Shepherds

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PPML Discussion*

- None for, none against
- Comments:
 - ➔ No discussion of formal proposal

Posts	People
2	1

*Prior to being a formal proposal there were 4 posts by 4 people with 2 in favor.

Policy Proposal 2007-19 Legal Assessment*

"Counsel has no legal concerns regarding this policy. Counsel believes policies allocating resources based on usage and need are consistent with the operating philosophy of the RIR Community. Other policy proposals, inconsistent with this philosophy should be subject to greater scrutiny."

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Staff Comments*

1. The “Additional Allocations” section indicates an RIR can receive an additional ASN allocation when the RIR “has assigned/allocated 80% of the previously received ASN block”. After 12/31/2009, there will be no distinction made between 2 byte AS numbers and 4 byte AS numbers per policy. Does “previously received ASN block” literally mean the most recent ASN block (even if it was a 2 byte only block), or does it mean 80% of both the most recent 4 byte block and the most recent 2 byte block? If it’s the latter, one ASN block would never be audited, since it would never be “the most recent ASN block allocated”.
2. NRPM Change – The policy will be inserted in Section 10.

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Policy Proposal 2007-19 Implementation Assessment*

- **Resource Impact: Minimal**
- **Implementation: After ratification by the ICANN Board.**
- **Implementation Requirements:**
 - ⇒ Guidelines Change
 - ⇒ Staff Training

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Presentation and Discussion