

**Subject:** RE: Proposal #2009011, DNSSEC in COM & NET

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Proposal# 2009011, DNSSEC in dot-COM & dot-NET

Dear Pat,

ICANN has conducted a review of VeriSign's proposed introduction of DNS Security Extensions (DNSSEC) in dot-COM & dot-NET in accordance with the Registry Services Evaluation Policy and process set forth at <http://www.icann.org/registries/rsep/rsep.html>.

Based on the information provided, ICANN has not identified any significant competition or security and stability issues with the proposal. Implementation may require an update to the data escrow section of the dot-COM and dot-NET Registry Agreements. The service is approved pending a discussion on whether such a change is necessary. We understand that VeriSign will continue to cooperate and consult with the appropriate ICANN staff and experts on details of the full implementation of DNSSEC in dot-COM & dot-NET.

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