

**Subject: Proposal #2008011, Release/Allocation of Two-Character Domains**

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Re: Proposal #2008011, Release/Allocation of Two-Character Domains in .MOBI

Dear Caroline,

ICANN has conducted a preliminary determination of DotMobi's request to release two-character domain names from Appendix 6 of the .MOBI TLD Sponsorship Agreement, in accordance with the Registry Services Evaluation Policy and process set forth at <http://www.icann.org/registries/rsep/rsep.html>.

ICANN's preliminary determination did not identify any significant competition or security and stability issues. dotMobi may proceed as proposed to serve the needs of the mobile Internet community. Appendix 6 permits the release of two-character names upon authorization of ICANN, provided dotMobi takes measures to avoid confusion with any corresponding country codes. dotMobi has indicated that its evaluation criteria has such measures.

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