

Updated GNSO Review Timeline and Schedule (rev. 9 March 2015)

In response to requests from the GNSO Review Working Party, staff worked with Westlake to revise the GNSO Review Schedule in order to provide the Working Party with additional time to consider Westlake's Draft Report, prior to public posting. The Structural Improvements Committee has been briefed about the revised schedule.

- GNSO Review Working Party has had ongoing opportunities for substantive input into the GNSO Review process and methodology.
- GNSO Community has had extensive and ongoing opportunities to take part in the 360 Assessment and to offer direct feedback to Westlake in a variety of ways, including via 40 one-on-one interviews (considerably more than originally anticipated in the scope of work), interaction at ICANN meetings and through other communication channels.
- Additionally, community will continue to have multiple touch-points with Westlake and opportunities to share their views via the formal Public Comment process on the Draft Report (1 June – 20 July).

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Highlights:

- ✓ Timeline has been extended to include multiple additional opportunities for the GNSO Review Working Party to **continue the ongoing process of providing feedback to Westlake**
- ✓ The schedule has been extended by 6 weeks in the last revision. Overall, the GNSO Review has been extended from 9 months to 14 months to give community sufficient opportunity to offer their views and ensure that the final product is useful.

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ACTIVITIES AND MILESTONES	OLD DATE	NEW DATE
Update the SIC	6 February, 2015	No Change
GNSO Review Working Party Meeting at ICANN52	11 February	No Change
GNSO Review Working Party working session	3 March	No Change
GNSO Review Working Party to deliver comments on Working Text to Westlake	20 March	No change
Update the SIC	21 April	24-26 April
Westlake delivers Draft Report v.0 to GNSO Review Working Party, along with Westlake's summary of disposition of comments and feedback from GNSO Review Working Party		24 April
GNSO Review Working Party working session with Westlake		4 May
GNSO Review Working Party call (if needed)		12 May
Comments on Draft Report v.0 due from GNSO Review Working Party to Westlake		15 May
Draft Report v.1 from Westlake posted for Public Comment	23 April - 4 June	1 June¹ – 20 July
Update the SIC	19 June	No change
ICANN53 Update GNSO Council, Community	21 – 26 June	No change
GNSO Review Working Party working session with Westlake		TBD during ICANN53
GNSO Review Working Party working session with Westlake (if needed)		TBD week of 6 and 27 July
Community review of Report of Public Comments Received (new Public Comment process)	12 June – 7 July	August 3 – August 17
Final Report	14 July	August 30

¹ 1 June is the deadline for posting information prior to ICANN53.