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ICANN Final Determination

Re: Notice of Registry Operator Request for Termination of Registry Agreement - .scor

On 09 January 2020, SCOR SE notified ICANN org of its intent to terminate the .scor Registry Agreement entered into on 31 October 2014. Pursuant to Section 4.4(b) of the Registry Agreement, Registry Operator may terminate the Registry Agreement for any reason upon one hundred eighty (180) calendar day advance notice.

Pursuant to the terms of Section 4.5 of the Registry Agreement (as modified by Section 6 of Specification 13 for this .Brand TLD), ICANN org consulted with SCOR SE to assess whether to transition operation of the .scor top-level domain (TLD) to a successor Registry Operator.

On 27 February 2020, ICANN org made a preliminary determination that operation of the .scor TLD need not be transitioned to a successor Registry Operator based on the following rationale:

1. .scor qualifies as a .Brand TLD.
2. Transitioning the TLD is not necessary to protect the public interest.

On 28 March 2020, after a 30-day period for comments by interested parties, no comments were received. Pursuant to Section 4.4(b) of the Registry Agreement, ICANN org will proceed to terminate the .scor Registry Agreement by 07 July 2020.

In conformance with Section 4.5 of the Registry Agreement (as modified by Section 6 of Specification 13 for this .Brand TLD), ICANN org may not delegate the TLD to a successor registry operator for a period of two years without Registry Operator's consent, which shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.

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