.AWS REGISTRATION POLICY

Application, maintenance or renewal of an .AWS Domain Name is subject to the terms and conditions of this .AWS Registration Policy ("Policy"). We may change or revise this Policy at any time, and changes or revisions to this policy will be effective immediately after we post them on our website for the .AWS TLD.

DEFINITIONS

"Affiliate" means a person or entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, or in combination with one or more other persons or entities, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the person or entity specified.

"AWS" means Amazon Web Services, Inc.

".AWS" means the .AWS TLD.

".AWS Domain Name" means a domain name applied for and registered in .AWS under this Policy.

"ICANN" means the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers. More information about ICANN is available www.icann.org.

"Registrar" means an ICANN-accredited registrar that is authorized to register .AWS Domain Names under our Registry-Registrar Agreement for .AWS.

"Registry Operator" (or "we" or "us") means Amazon Registry Services, Inc.

"Registry Services Provider" means Neustar, Inc., the entity providing back-end technical services for the .AWS Registry.

"Two-Letter Code" means a letter/letter two-character ASCII label at the second level which corresponds to a two-letter country code as specified in the ISO 3166-1 alpha-2 standard.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Only Registry Operator and its Affiliates are eligible to register .AWS Domain Names, and must control the DNS records associated with domain names at any level in .AWS. You agree that your registration and use of an .AWS Domain Name will support AWS initiatives.

REGISTRATION TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Application, maintenance or renewal of an .AWS Domain Name means that you accept and agree to the following terms and conditions of this Policy:

- You satisfy the Eligibility Criteria;
- You are of legal capacity and authority to agree to be bound by this Policy and to enter into an .AWS Domain Name registration agreement with a Registrar;

- Our WHOIS data requirements require you to provide your complete, accurate, and current contact details in order to register, maintain, and/or renew an .AWS Domain Name registration. We will publish WHOIS data and may provide it to third parties;

- You acknowledge and agree to our Acceptable Use Policy, which is accessible at www.nic.aws. You also agree to submit to challenges filed under and to abide by the outcome of (i) the Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy ("UDRP"), which is accessible at https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/help/dndr/udrp-en; and (ii) the Uniform Rapid Suspension system ("URS"), which is accessible at http://newgtlds.icann.org/en/applicants/urs.

- By applying for, maintaining or renewing an .AWS Domain Name, you agree to use any security protocols we deem appropriate.

- By applying for, maintaining or renewing an .AWS Domain Name which consists of a Two-Letter Code you represent that you will take steps to ensure against misrepresenting or falsely implying that you or your business or organization is affiliated with the corresponding government or country-code manager, if such affiliation, sponsorship or endorsement does not exist.

.AWS DOMAIN NAME REQUIREMENTS

Each .AWS Domain Name must meet all of the following criteria:

- It *must be* at least 1 character; contain only numbers (0-9), letters, (a-z), and hyphens, or any combination of these elements; start and end with an alphanumeric character; and comply with any additional rules and policies we have set for the .AWS TLD.

- It *must not be* more than 63 characters; start or end with a hyphen; be a Reserved Name as we define those below; and must not include a hyphen in the third or fourth position unless it represents a valid Internationalized Domain Name in its ASCII encoding.

- A valid Internationalized Domain Name must be in a language script that we support.

RESERVED NAMES, BLOCKED NAMES, PREMIUM NAMES

We may withhold, allocate to ourselves, restrict, or block certain domain names from registration. We will reserve (withhold from registration or allocate to ourselves) names that we must or may reserve under Specification 5 to the .AWS Registry Agreement ("Reserved Names").

ABUSE PREVENTION AND MITIGATION

We will not tolerate abusive or malicious conduct in the .AWS TLD, and we will monitor the .AWS TLD to prevent this conduct. We have an Abuse Point of Contact for handling complaints or concerns about abusive or malicious conduct. Our Acceptable Use Policy, which you've agreed to by registering, maintaining or renewing an .AWS Domain Name, describes abusive use of an .AWS Domain Name. If this Policy and the currently posted Acceptable Use Policy conflict, the Acceptable Use Policy for .AWS prevails. You can find the Acceptable Use Policy at www.nic.aws.

We or our Registry Services Provider may remove orphan glue records (see www.icann.org/en/committees/security/sac048.pdf) when we receive written evidence of their presence in connection with malicious conduct.

We will take reasonable steps to investigate and respond to any reports from governmental agencies and ccTLD operators of conduct that is alleged to cause confusion with the corresponding country code in connection with the use of a Two-Letter Code. In responding to such reports, we are not required to take any action in contravention of applicable law. We reserve the right, but do not assume the obligation, to temporarily or permanently deny, suspend or cancel any .AWS Domain Name after such investigation.

Please direct all inquiries related to alleged abusive or malicious conduct in the .AWS TLD, including alleged inaccurate WHOIS information and violations of the .AWS Acceptable Use Policy, to the .AWS Abuse Point of Contact. Please send notices to the .AWS Abuse Point of Contact and any other notices by e-mail to: registry-abuse@amazon.com, or by mail to: Amazon Registry Services, 410 Terry Avenue North, Seattle, WA 98109 USA.

DATA AND PRIVACY

By applying for, maintaining or renewing a .AWS Domain Name, you agree to our Privacy Policy found at www.nic.aws.

You agree to our WHOIS data requirements, which require you to provide your complete, accurate, and current contact details in order to register, maintain, or renew a .AWS Domain Name. You also agree that we may publish these contact details or provide them to third parties under our contractual obligations to ICANN or as set out in our Privacy Policy.

You also agree that ICANN may conduct WHOIS verification and checks to identify registrations with deliberately false, inaccurate or incomplete WHOIS data. The Registrar may contact you to ask for accurate and complete WHOIS contact information.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

If any provision, or part of a provision, of this Policy is found to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable, that provision or part-provision is deemed not to form part of this Policy. The validity or enforceability of the remainder of this Policy will not be affected, unless otherwise required by operation of applicable law.

This Policy, and the Acceptable Use Policy which is incorporated by reference, constitutes the entire agreement between you and us in relation to the registration and use of a .AWS Domain Name, and replaces and extinguishes all prior agreements, draft agreements, arrangements, undertakings, or collateral contracts of any nature, whether oral or written.

Our waiver of a breach of any provision of this Policy is not and will not be interpreted as a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.

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RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

We reserve the right to reject an .AWS Domain Name application or to delete, revoke, cancel, suspend or transfer an .AWS Domain Name registration (i) to protect the integrity and stability of our operation or the security and stability of the internet; (ii) to correct errors made in connection with a registration by the Registrar or us; (iii) to enforce ICANN requirements and our policies; (iv) that is not supported by accurate and complete information; (v) to abide by applicable laws, regulations, or policies; or any order or decision by a court or administrative authority of competent jurisdiction; (vi) as provided in the Registrar's terms and conditions or the Registry-Registrar Agreement between us and Registrar; (vii) to establish, assert or defend the legal rights of us or a third party or to avoid liability by or damage to us; or (viii) as otherwise deemed necessary by us. Please direct questions to amazon-registry-service@amazon.com.