

## The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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Dr. Tayfun Acarer Chairman of the ICTA Board GMK Bulvari Yesihrmak Sokak No: 16 Demirtepe 06430 Ankara Republic of Turkey

Re: Recent Developments regarding IPV6 in Turkey

Dear Dr. Tayfun Acarer,

As you so astutely note in your letter, the involvement of governments in IPv6 transition in different countries has indirectly lead to the participation of the private sector in this most important transition of essential infrastructure. As you are most likely aware, ICANN allocated the final IPv4 blocks of addresses to the five Regional Internet Registries (RIRs) on February 3, 2011. This event has increased the world's interest in the path to IPv6.

We are pleased to learn of the collaboration of the Information and Communication Technologies Authority (ICTA) and the Ministry of Transportation and Communications actions to promote the deployment of IPv6. Thank you for sharing the ministry circular, "Pan for Public Sector's Transition to IPv6" and alerting us to the efforts within Turkey to be one of the governments taking a forward looking approach to the needs of the information society.

Kindest regards,

Kuo-Wei Wu

Warmest regards,

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Chairman of the Board IANA Committee