

The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

4 December 2015

Mr. Constantine Roussos, Founder & CEO
Mr. Paul Zamek, EVP: Communications & Strategic Relationships
DotMusic Limited
4058 Wayland Drive
Nashville, TN 37215

Re: Community Support Letters and Deadline for Submission

Dear Mr. Roussos and Mr. Zamek:

Thank you for the letter from Mr. Zamek, dated 1 December 2015. We have posted the letter to the gTLD correspondence page

(https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/correspondence/zamek-to-icann-eiu-01dec15-en.pdf), where it is available for the community to review.

We would like to remind DotMusic Limited of the deadlines relevant to letters of support or non-opposition in the Community Priority Evaluation (CPE) process.

Per the CPE Panel Process document (http://newgtlds.icann.org/en/applicants/cpe/panel-process-07aug14-en.pdf), the CPE Panel will review public correspondence and verify any letters deemed to be relevant. Any correspondence or application comments received more than 14 days after the date of invitation may not be considered by the CPE Panel. In the case of DotMusic Limited's application for .MUSIC (1-1115-14110), the 14-day window closed on 12 August 2015. For more information, please see the CPE Frequently Asked Questions document (http://newgtlds.icann.org/en/applicants/cpe/faqs-10sep14-en.pdf).

As you are aware, DotMusic Limited and its supporters have submitted a high volume of correspondence (hundreds of letters) to ICANN for the CPE Panel's consideration. Much of this correspondence was submitted well after the deadline, including the most recent document submitted on 1 December 2015, which included 500 letters. Please be advised that the Panel has attempted to verify correspondence dated 13 October 2015 or earlier. We will continue to publish letters submitted to ICANN to the gTLD correspondence page so that they are available to the CPE Panel, however, any correspondence dated later than 13 October 2015 or submitted from today on will not go through the Panel's verification process and may not be considered by the Panel. This is to support fairness to all applicants and to prevent delays to the evaluation.



Thank you for your participation in the New gTLD Program. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Christine A. Willett

Vice President, GDD Operations

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