

# Report from the RIPE NCC Executive Board

Nigel Titley RIPE NCC Executive Board Chairman

RIPE NCC General Meeting | Marseille | 16 May 2018

#### **Executive Board Members**



- Nigel Titley (Chairman)
- Remco van Mook (Treasurer)
- Christian Kaufmann (Secretary)
- Dmitry Burkov (ICANN Liaison)
- Maria Häll (Member)
- Salam Yamout (Member)
- János Zsakó (Member)

## **Executive Board Meetings**



- Executive Board meetings since last GM:
  - 14 December 2017
  - 23 March 2018
- The minutes of Board meetings are published after every meeting
  - A summary of the decisions is also published for members
- The Board welcomes comments on the minutes to help with discussions, preferably via members-discuss@ripe.net

## December 2017 Meeting



- Approved the Activity Plan and Budget 2018
- Instructed RIPE NCC Management to redistribute the surplus amount to members
- Approved the amended procedural document "RIPE NCC Audit Activity"
- Approved the amended procedural document "Transfer of Internet Number Resources and Change of a Member's Official Legal Name"
- Agreed to ask GM to replenish the RIPE NCC Arbiters Panel

## March 2018 Meeting



- Approved submission of the Financial Report 2017 to the GM for adoption (to be voted on)
- Approved RIPE NCC Charging Scheme 2019 to be presented to the GM (to be voted on)
- Approved the amended procedural document "Due Diligence for the Quality of the RIPE NCC Registration Data"
- Approved a budget extension of 250 kEUR for the set-up and operation of a high-capacity K-root instance

# Following Member Discussions (1)



- Location of the RIPE NCC
  - Currently satisfied with location in the Netherlands
- RIPE NCC Charging Scheme model
  - Carefully following discussions but believe current "one LIR account-one fee" model is simplest option
- Cost control and increasing efficiencies
  - The Executive Board will ensure the RIPE NCC continues to implement efficiencies where possible

# Following Member Discussions (2)



- Acceptance of digitally signed documents
  - Exploring legal and operational possibilities
- Requests to translate certain key documentation
  - We will look into the options on how we can achieve this
  - Translated documents will be non-binding
- Problems in transferring membership fees
  - Investigate better solutions to accept international money transfers from all parts of our service region

#### **Executive Board Outreach**



- MENOG 18 (Tehran), ENOG 15 (Moscow) and SEE 7 (Timisoara)
- Regional Meeting in Kazakhstan in September
- Continued support for local NOGs
- Attending other RIR meetings and industry events

## **Ongoing Work**



- Planning for Activity Plan and Budget 2018
- Continuing combined strategy meetings with RIPE NCC management and working with various member-development scenarios
- Engaging with membership and community online and at industry events
- Liaising with other RIR boards
- Supervising RIPE NCC management

### Help the Board with its Work



- The Board needs to know that it is representing members' interests effectively
- Let us know what you think:
  - Now at the GM
  - On the members-discuss mailing list to involve all members in discussions with the Board
  - Informally at meetings and events
  - Through feedback received by the RIPE NCC
  - Email us directly at <a href="mailto:exec-board@ripe.net">exec-board@ripe.net</a>

#### **Resolutions and Board Election**



- You can impact how the RIPE NCC operates by casting your vote!
- Nine resolutions to be voted on today
- Six candidates for two Executive Board seats
  - Those elected will represent your interests!



# Questions

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