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Applicant Organization: Association for Internet promotion, application and development "Plug In"

Region: EURALO

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1) COMMITMENTS

a. Does the applicant commit to supporting individual Internet users' informed participation in ICANN?

YES: x NO:

b. Does the applicant agree to assist the RALO in performing its function?

YES: x NO:

2) GOVERNANCE

a. Which geographical area(s) are the applicants' memberships drawn from? EURALO

b. Is the applicant constituted so that participation by individual Internet users who are citizens or residents of countries within the geographic region in which the ALS is based control the organization?

YES: x NO:

Please explain the answer and the source material, with URLs, for the response:
Per the application

“ Article 2

The Association goals are as follows:

1. Promoting the Internet as the medium of the public interest and significance for the future development of Serbia and life of all its citizens;
2. Making Internet available to all persons in the territory of the Republic of Serbia based

on the principles of equality;

4. Protecting rights and interests of the Association, its Members and entrepreneurs whose work is related to the Internet implementation

Article 7

The Association Member is eligible to:

- 1) participate in accomplishing the Association goals, equally with other members;
- 2) participate in the decision making process within the Assembly, as well as within the Association bodies, directly or through their appointed representative;
- 3) elect and be elected Member of the Association bodies”

“All members have same rights in election and voting. New members will be accepted if they have support of the existing member, and all the other members did not object.”

c. Does the applicant really have individual members?

YES: x NO:

As per the follow up email with the applicate their founders mentioned below are still active members of the organization.

Provide any references used to answer the question here: per the application form: “It is mixture of different profession, engineers, IT entrepreneurs, education, legal experts”

Per the application:

“ Pursuant to provisions of Articles 10 and 11 of the Law on Associations (‘The Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia’, number 51/09), at the Founding Assembly held on 18 April 2012, founders

1. Nenad Marinković, Drenjačka 37, Leštane, Belgrade, PIN 2111961760015,
2. Goran Velagić, Gospodar-Jovanova 11, Belgrade, PIN 1603955710215,
3. Mihajlo Pavlović, Požarevačka 23, Belgrade, PIN 1712983780028
4. Ana Ivić, Kraljice Natalije 15, Belgrade, PIN 2502982715167
5. Slobodan Radovanović, Kumodraška 109/23, Belgrade, PIN 1509970780010
6. Mirjana Tasić, Milentija Popovića 39, Belgrade, PIN 0801947719206
7. Vladimir Kosanović, Rudo 2/271, Belgrade, PIN 1007970710165

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8. Nikola Marković, Skendera Kulenovića 6 Belgrade, PIN 1912939710208
9. Tatjana Nešić, deset avijatičara 23, Belgrade, PIN 0209961715314
10. Slobodan Kaplarević, Kralja Petra 85, Belgrade, PIN 2502956782816
11. Aleksandar Bijelić, Ljubinke Bobić 30, Belgrade, PIN 2308978710125
12. Snežana Božić, Koste Novakovića 21, Belgrade, PIN 2002959715165
13. Ivan Ćosić, Poenkareova 6/12, Belgrade, PIN 1106980870045
14. Vladimir Radunović, Dositejeva 9, Zemun, Belgrade, PIN 0806978710403
15. Ljiljana Rudić Dimić, Zrmanjska 20/23, Belgrade, PIN 2302966715182

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- 3) elect and be elected Member of the Association bodies;
- 4) be timely and fully informed on work and activities of the Association.

The Member is obliged to:

- 1) actively contribute to accomplishing the Association goals;
- 2) participate in the Association activities, in accordance with their interests;

If YES on (c) above, are these members active, or do they mostly just sign up and delegate to their leaders?

ACTIVE:x DELEGATE:

d. Does the applicant have organizations as members?

YES: NO: x

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Per the application: “In this moment there are no organization as member of association, but it is available to have them as members” “Until now only one membership class exist”

e. Does the applicant have governmental bodies or quasi-governmental bodies as members?

YES: NO:

f. Does the applicant permit additional participation by others that is compatible with the interests of the individual Internet users within the region?

YES: NO:

Please explain the answer and the source material, with URLs, for the response:

Per the application:

“Initiative with Informatics association of Serbia for non payment of VAT for PCs and the other internet devices

Article 3

2. organises, on its own or together with other organisations, expert conventions, consultations, seminars and other kinds of education from the area of Internet promotion, implementation and development;
6. cooperates with universities, as well as expert associations, affiliations and other organisations in Serbia and abroad, organised with the aim of accomplishing the same or similar goals;
8. organises and provides other services, in cooperation with other entities, significant for Internet promotion, implementation and development in the Republic of Serbia;

Article 18

For the purpose of accomplishing its goals, the Association establishes contacts and cooperates with other associations, affiliations and organisations in Serbia and abroad.

The decision on joining affiliations and other associations in Serbia and abroad is brought by the Association Assembly.”

g. Is the applicant self-supporting? (i.e. will not rely on ICANN for funding).

YES: x NO:

How is the organization funded and what source material or information did you rely on to make your judgment?

Per the application

“Article 19

The Association collects financial assets from membership fees and voluntary contributions, donations, gifts, financial subventions and in other legal ways.

The membership fee is mandatory for all Members and is paid on an annual basis for the current calendar year.

In addition to paying the membership fee, Members can make a payment for the annual donation. Its amount can change each year since Members define it themselves. “

h. Does the applicant post on the Internet current information about their goals, structure, description of constituent group(s)/membership, working mechanisms, leadership, and contact(s)?

YES: NO: x as noted on the application: “www.plugin.rs not active at the moment www.plugin.rs can be active when we provide permanent technical support. Web site was active in the first year of existence, now it is not active because there is a problem with viruses and web site maintenance.” Facebook is active: <https://www.facebook.com/Umrezise/?ref=hl> . Facebook page is being updated.

i. Do the membership, leadership and internal mechanisms described in the application correspond to those exposed on the website?

YES: NO: x Website is down, there is a facebook page and in the process of being updated. <https://www.facebook.com/Umrezise/?ref=hl>

j. How does the applicant appear to be funded?

Where / what sources did you use to find the answers to this question? Per the application
“Membership fee and donation”

k. Does the funding mechanism show dependence on other interest groups (i.e. industry, government)?

YES: NO: x

Per the application:

“Article 21

The Association can also collect financial assets from participation fees for seminars and other kinds of education from the area of Internet promotion, implementation and development in the Republic of Serbia, along with other forms of related economic activities the Association performs.

The profit gained through economic and other activities can be used solely for accomplishing the Association goals, including also costs of regular Association operations and its own participation in financing certain projects.”

l. Are the leaders of the applicant organization involved in other organizations or entities?

YES: x NO:

If ‘YES’, please reference the sources for this answer: per the application “Only in some other type of ICT association or civil societies”

If YES were they already involved in Internet governance issues in the past, and in which role?

YES: NO: x

m. Is the mission / policy statement actually related to ICANN / Internet governance issues / advocating users'/consumers interests?

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YES: x NO:

If YES, include mission/policy statement, and reference the source:

Per the application form:

“Article 2

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1. Promoting the Internet as the medium of the public interest and significance for the future development of Serbia and life of all its citizens;
2. Making Internet available to all persons in the territory of the Republic of Serbia based on the principles of equality;
3. Developing the culture of using and behaving on the Internet;
4. Protecting rights and interests of the Association, its Members and entrepreneurs whose work is related to the Internet implementation;
5. Protecting rights of Internet users as consumers;
6. Using the Internet legally and protecting people from harmful and malicious actions of individuals and organisations;
7. Developing public services, educational and business content in Serbian language and languages of national minorities for the well-being of all citizens of the Republic of Serbia;
8. Technological development and its positive effect to everyday life, development of individuals and the society in preserving the environment;
9. Linking and uniting IT professionals for the sake of accomplishing mutual aims and improving the quality and speed of communication within the industry;
10. Developing Internet rights;
11. Digital, technological and media-related literacy as a component part of general knowledge and necessary personal skills of all citizens and its equal treatment in relation to other fields of education. “

3. **INTERNET PRESENCE**

a. **Is the contact information for the organization and its contact person complete and reasonable?**

YES: x NO:

Does the listed URL work?

YES: x NO: x as noted on the application: “www.plugin.rs not active at the moment www.plugin.rs can be active when we provide permanent technical support. Web site was active

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Does the website seem to be regularly updated?

YES: NO: x per the application “Facebook page is not used enough because we are occupied by our daily professional activities, i.e. earning money for everyday life. This is our attempt to revive the association activities by joining to the boarder organization and by engaging in common cause.”

Does the website have online discussion forums?

YES: NO: x They have facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Umrezise/?ref=hl>

If archives are publicly available, do these forums show signs of recent activity (in the last few months)?

YES: NO: x

If public, are they kept up to date?

YES: NO: x

4. ADDITIONAL DUE DILIGENCE

a. How active and well known is the applicant organization?

Number of results for a Google search of organization in quotes:

As searched as Udruženje za promociju, primenu i razvoj interneta „Umreži se – 7 results

As searched as "Udruženje „Umreži se“ - 46,600 results

b. Were you familiar with this applicant before the applicant applied to become an ALS?

YES: x NO:

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If ‘YES’ please provide some detail of your previous knowledge: Secondary contact: Mirjana Tasic is a member of the ccNSO

c. What kind of issues does it focus on mostly? Per the application form “IDN, Internet Governance”

- Has the applicant set up any event, meeting, or real-life activity pertaining to Internet governance issues, or other issues related to the interests of individual users?

YES: x NO:

Additional information if any: per the application form “Initiative with Informatics association of Serbia for nonpayment of VAT for PCs and the other internet devices”

- Has the applicant been active in international, regional or national Internet governance issues?

ACTIVE: INACTIVE: x