

Policy Proposal Translation

Outcome of Open Policy Meeting at APNIC 42

An Open Policy Meeting was hosted by the APNIC Policy SIG on 5 October 2016 at APNIC 42 in Colombo, Sri Lanka. The meeting considered the following proposals.

prop-116: Prohibit transfer of IPv4 addresses in final /8 block

This proposal seeks to block the ability to transfer addresses delegated under the 'Final /8' policy (prop-062). These blocks are from the 103/8 range and are intended to provide a small amount of address space to allow existing and new Members a final block to connect to the IPv6 Internet.

While there was support for continued discussion of the issue, the proposal did not reach consensus and was referred back to the author for consideration of community input.

Proposal to revise SIG Chair election procedures

A proposal to codify the current SIG Chair election procedures was discussed in a joint sitting of all APNIC SIGs. Two issues were discussed. First, the classification of eligible voters and second, measures to maintain the orderly transfer of the position where a Chair or Co-Chair resigns before their seat is due for re-election.

There was no consensus on the proposal, although the community expressed a willingness to continue discussion of the issue. The author agreed to submit a revised proposal at APNIC 43.

Useful links

- Subscribe to the Policy Discussion mailing list
 - <https://mailman.apnic.net/mailling-lists/sig-policy>
- Visit the APNIC 42 policy page
 - <https://conference.apnic.net/42/policy>
- View the archive of the discussion at APNIC 42
 - <https://conference.apnic.net/42/program#/schedule/day/8/policy-sig-3>