NEW gTLD PROGRAM: 2026 ROUND

National Governments
Objection Funding Request

This form serves as a request for funding the filing fees and costs associated with an objection in the context of the New gTLD Program: 2026 Round. For more information, refer to the National Government Objection and Appeal Funding Instructions.

Government and Filing Authority	
National Government*	
Full Legal Name of Filing Authority/Entity* ***In Latin characters*** *Entity, department, or similar division of the above-named national government responsible for filing the identified objection. Provide the full legal name as it appears on the official registration documents. Do not use abbreviations.*	
Business Address of Filing Authority/Entity* ***In Latin characters***	
Jurisdiction of Filing Authority/Entity* *The jurisdiction indicates the location in which the Filing Authority/Entity is registered for legal and financial purposes. This is either 1) a country name, or a 2) state/territory name, depending on where the Filing Authority/Entity is registered.*	
Point of Contact *Individual responsible for filing the objection; this person will be contacted if ICANN has any questions regarding this funding request.* • *If the national government is a Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) member with GAC representation, the point of contact **must** be the GAC representative.* • *If the national government is a GAC member without GAC representation or is not a GAC member, the point of contact must be within and under the direct authority of the Head of Government or equivalent.* ***If the individual appearing here is not the same individual that files the objection, ICANN will not be in the position to fund the objection.***	
Point of Contact Full Legal Name* ***In Latin characters*** *As it appears on their passport of government-issued ID.*	

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Point of Contact *(continued)*	
Point of Contact Position/Title*	
Point of Contact Phone Number*	
Point of Contact Email Address*	
Point of Contact Country of Residence*	
Point of Contact Year of Birth*	
Point of Contact Current Employer*	
Point of Contact Current Employer Country*	
Application Information	
Application ID* *The unique application ID as published in Application Publication and Statistics (APS).*	
String* *The applied for gTLD against which the objection is being filed; Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) strings should be in A-Label format.*	
Applying Entity Name* *Full name of the entity that applied for the string.*	
Ground for Objection* *You may only check one ground. Forms with more than one ground checked will be rejected.*	☐ String Confusion ☐ Legal Rights ☐ Limited Public Interest ☐ Community

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Received Date		Completed Date	
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Notes:			