# SSAC
## ICANN Security and Stability Advisory Committee

**Fostering the security and integrity of the Internet's naming and address allocation systems**

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# Meeting Agenda

## Opening and Introduction
Steve Crocker, SSAC Chair

This is the public presentation of the work of the Security and Stability Advisory Committee. The public is invited to interact with SSAC members with questions and comments.

## Short Reports
Steve Crocker, SSAC Chair

*Protecting High Value Domain Names*

*Study of Scaling the Root*

*Comments on ICANN's Strategic Plan*

*Fast Flux Activities Update*

## DNSSEC Status Update
Steve Crocker, SSAC Chair

In SSAC publication SAC026, SSAC made recommendations to the ICANN community and expressed its intention to review the readiness and completeness of DNSSEC by evaluating several enumerated issues.  Steve Crocker will present a status report.

## Registration Abuse Contact Information
Dave Piscitello, ICANN, Senior Security Technologist

SSAC will discuss the value of requiring registrars to provide a point of contact for matters pertaining to domain abuse and the need to make contact (PoC) information for this PoC publicly available.

## Whois Display And Usage: Support For Characters From Local Languages Or Scripts
Ram Mohan, Afilias, Executive Vice President & CTO

Domain names are poised to support "internationalization," which affects how users compose domain names, how registrars collect and display contact information, and how users experience Whois services.  SSAC examines how the use of characters from local languages or scripts affects the user experience with respect to domain name registration and Whois applications.

## Recent Documents

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## SSAC Charter (Summarized)

The Committee on Security and Stability will advise the ICANN community and Board on matters relating to the security and integrity of the Internet's naming and address allocation systems.  Its task are:

❖ To develop a security framework for Internet naming and address allocation services that defines the key focus areas.

❖ To communicate on security matters with the Internet technical community and the operators and managers of critical DNS infrastructure services as events and developments dictate.

❖ To engage in ongoing threat assessment and risk analysis of the Internet naming and address allocation services to assess where the principal threats to stability and security lie, and to advise the ICANN community accordingly.

❖ To communicate with those who have direct responsibility for Internet naming and address allocation security matters to ensure that its advice on security risks, issues, and priorities is properly synchronized with existing standardization, deployment, operational, and coordination activities.

❖ To make policy recommendations to the ICANN community and Board.