

2016 Reconsideration Requests – Status Update – 16 February 2016

No:	Requester:	Filing Date:	BGC Action Date: ^{1 2}	NGPC/Board Action Date:	Comments:
16-1	Commercial Connect, LLC	26-Jan-2016	Tentatively scheduled for end of February 2016; Total days from Request: TBD		
16-2	Commercial Connect, LLC	10-Feb-2016	Tentatively scheduled for end of February 2016; Total days from Request: TBD		

¹ Article IV, Section 2.16 of the Bylaws provide that “[t]he Board Governance Committee shall make a final determination or a recommendation to the Board with respect to a Reconsideration Request *within thirty days following its receipt of the request, unless impractical, in which case it shall report to the Board the circumstances that prevented it from making a final recommendation and its best estimate of the time required to produce such a final determination or recommendation.*” (Bylaws, Art. IV, § 2.16.) Article IV, Section 2.17 of the Bylaws state that the Board (or the NGPC) “shall issue its decision on the recommendation of the Board Governance Committee *within 60 days of receipt of the Reconsideration Request or as soon thereafter as feasible.*” (Bylaws, Art. IV, §2.17.) Requestors are regularly notified at each step of the proceedings, including whether there will be a delay beyond the suggested response deadlines, and whether the matter will be submitted to the NGPC and/or the Board.

² For Reconsideration Requests brought regarding staff action or inaction, and actions by third party panels in the New gTLD Program (including the expert dispute resolution panels) that are being treated as staff actions, the BGC has the option to issue final Determinations or to issue Recommendations to the Board or the NGPC. (See Article IV, Section 2.16 of the Bylaws; see also, BGC Recommendation on Reconsideration Request 13-5 at <http://www.icann.org/en/groups/board/governance/reconsideration/recommendation-booking-01aug13-en.doc>.)