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1. Which stakeholder category do you belong to?

Non-Government

If non-government, please indicate:

Technical and academic community

If non-government, please indicate if you are:

Japan Network Information Center (JPNIC) is a non-profit, membership-based organization that acts as the National Internet Registry, which administers IP addresses and AS numbers in Japan, as well as is dedicated for sustainable and smooth operation of the Internet in Japan through efforts such as ensuring public interests for .JP ccTLD, and promoting the Internet by providing information and by performing research for technical and policy issues.

2. What do you think is the significance, purpose and scope of enhanced cooperation as per the Tunis Agenda? a) Significance b) Purpose c) Scope

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3. To what extent has or has not enhanced cooperation been implemented? Please use the space below to explain and to provide examples to support your answer.

In our view, the Internet Governance Forum, or IGF, is the core process for enhanced cooperation. It successfully increased dialogues among the Internet stakeholders including governments and various stakeholders and has been clarifying the issues on the Internet, which will help governments to carry out their roles and responsibilities in international public policy issues pertaining to the Internet.

4. What are the relevant international public policy issues pertaining to the Internet?

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5. What are the roles and responsibilities of the different stakeholders, including governments, in implementation of the various aspects of enhanced cooperation?

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6. How should enhanced cooperation be implemented to enable governments, on an equal footing, to carry out their roles and responsibilities in international public policy issues pertaining to the Internet?

Please refer Answer #3.

7. How can enhanced cooperation enable other stakeholders to carry out their roles and responsibilities?

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8. What are the most appropriate mechanisms to fully implement enhanced cooperation as recognized in the Tunis Agenda, including on international public policy issues pertaining to the Internet and public policy issues associated with coordination and management of critical Internet resources?

The Critical Internet Resources, CIRs have been managed under the scheme of ICANN and Regional Internet Registries or RIRs, with the policies considered in their open forums which have involved the global Internet stakeholders. Any public policy associated with coordination and management of CIRs should be discussed and considered in ICANN and RIRs forums. In our view, the participation of the governments in those forums is a great extent of enhanced cooperation.

9. What is the possible relationship between enhanced cooperation and the IGF?

We appreciate that IGF is the core process for the promotion of enhanced cooperation, which successfully gathers a lot of governments as well as various Internet stakeholders to enable active dialogues on an equal footing among them. We would like the IGF to be more activated as the promotion body of enhanced cooperation.

10. How can the role of developing countries be made more effective in global Internet governance?

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11. What barriers remain for all stakeholders to fully participate in their respective roles in global Internet governance? How can these barriers best be overcome?

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12. What actions are needed to promote effective participation of all marginalised people in the global information society?

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13. How can enhanced cooperation address key issues toward global, social and economic development?

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14. What is the role of various stakeholders in promoting the development of local language content?

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15. What are the international internet-related public policy issues that are of special relevance to developing countries?

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16. What are the key issues to be addressed to promote the affordability of the Internet, in particular in developing countries and least developed countries?

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17. What are the national capacities to be developed and modalities to be considered for national governments to develop Internet-related public policy with participation of all stakeholders?

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18. Are there other comments, or areas of concern, on enhanced cooperation you would like to submit?

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