



To all Registrars of Registro .it  
At their Headquarters

Dear Registrars,

It is generally known that, as of January 2004, the Registro .it has made use of the Steering Committee of the Registry (with Italian acronym CIR) succeeding the Rules Committee, in order to have an advisory body, qualified by virtue of expertise, both institutional and of the Registrars, it has in place.

The Registrars have always been present in these bodies by means of the four associations (AHR, AIIP, AssoTLD and Assoprovider) traditionally representative of their interests, chosen by the Registry based on their representativeness.

As years passed, more than a decade has passed to tell the truth, the legal and economic framework of registration activities and of how to manage the service have changed, as well as the set of Registrars with the advent of new Italian companies, European and non-European. Consequently, the Registry must in the first place acknowledge to open up to the outside as much as possible, in order to meet the needs of the industry in an ever more complete, open and transparent way.

In order to meet these needs, it seems necessary, as regards to the appointment of the representatives of the Registrars within the CIR, to switch from one co-opt process to an elective one, in line with what already happens in other organizations working in the ecosystem of Internet.

Therefore, the Registry, in order to implement what is necessary for that purpose, has set out the Rules of the Steering Committee of the Registro .it (Annex 1) and the Rules for the election of the representatives of Registrars within the Steering Committee of the Registro .it (Annex 2), that you will find attached to the present document.

The new Rules will be available for public consultation until the upcoming August 24. Observations and suggestions can be sent to [hostmaster@nic.it](mailto:hostmaster@nic.it).

The final version of the Rules together with the methodology for the elections will be presented on September 15 in Pisa at an extraordinary meeting organized on purpose. In this regard, we inform you that it is possible to register for the meeting by accessing <https://rain-ng.nic.it>.

We hope that the spirit of maximum openness that the Registry puts in place through this action, is shared and appreciated by you.

I take this opportunity to wish you every professional success.  
Sincerely,

The Director  
Dr. Domenico Laforenza

Annex 1: Rules of the Steering Committee of the Registro .it  
Annex 2: Rules for the election of the representatives of Registrars within the Steering Committee of the Registro .it

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