

AfIGF-2017 Parallel Session proposal

Session Title: The role of the DNS as a technology in the Internet Policy Making

Leading Organization(s): National Telecom Regulatory Authority of Egypt (NTRA)

Moderator: Mary Uduma

Rapporteur(s): Hadia Elminiawi

Objectives of the Session: To show how the DNS as a technology interacts with some of the Internet core principles. Exploring areas of the DNS that interplay with the Internet policy making; highlighting the challenges and suggesting recommendations on how this interaction could be addressed.

Session Format (Round Table, Meeting, etc.): Panel

Proposed Panelists:

Jimson Ouluyfe

Baher Esmat

Hadia Elminiawi

Tijani Ben Jemaa

Agenda:

Hadia Elminiawi: Interplay between the DNS and the Internet core principles

Jimson Oulufye:

Tijani Ben Jemaa: DNS and policy development at ICANN

Baher Esmat: IDNs and Universal Acceptance (UA)

Expected Outcomes:

The session is meant to show the role of the DNS as a technology in the Internet policy making, trying to highlight some of the challenges and recommendations.

General remarks and Conclusions: