

.GH Registry Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy

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Introduction

This document sets out the .GH Dispute Resolution Policy to provide a forum in which cases of conflicting registration of domain names on the .gh country code top level domain name can be dealt with relatively inexpensively and quickly.

The purpose of this document is to describe the .GH registry rules for the Domain names dispute resolution which applied to registration and use of domain names within the .GH domain and its sub-domains. The Policy as amended from time to time forms part of the Registrant Agreement and is part of the contract of registration.

The .GH Registry Dispute Resolution Policy is fully part of the Registrant Agreement, and sets forth the terms and conditions in connection with a dispute between the Registrant and any party other than the registrar over the registration and use of an Internet domain name registered by the Registrant in any level of the .GH domain..

1. Application

All domain names registered as at the time this policy comes into force are subject to this Dispute resolution Policy.

This Dispute Resolution Policy is an alternative dispute resolution mechanism for parties not bound by any agreement with the .GH registry. Complainants are not obliged to use the Policy but may instead choose to pursue other means of resolving their dispute, such as litigation.

Commencement of an administrative proceeding under the Policy does not prevent either party from initiating legal proceedings at any time.

2. Dispute Resolution

2.1 Unless expressly specified elsewhere, all .GH domain name dispute resolution must follow the [Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy](#) (UDRP) administered by the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) with respect to the global Top Level Domains (gTLDs).

2.2 In the application of the section 4 of the URDP, .GH Registry may in addition to the ICANN approved providers, maintain list of other providers (local or international)

2.3 All legal cases related to dispute resolution dealt with according to this policy shall be governed by laws of Republic of Ghana