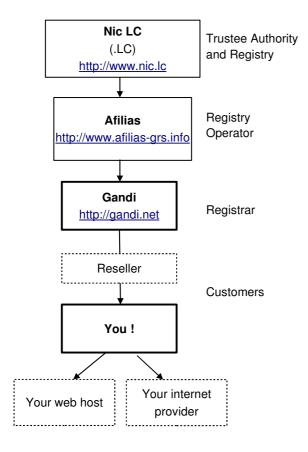# ANNEX .LC - SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR THE .LC ccTLD

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In addition to Gandi's General Terms and Conditions of domain name registration, the registration and use of a .LC domain name implies the acceptance of and compliance to the present special conditions contained herein.

All Your legal information and contracts can be viewed at any time via Our website. Capitalized terms have the definition attributed to them in our General Terms and Conditions of Domain Name Registration. Specifically, "You" refers to the owner of the domain name, and "We" designates Gandi. Your current contracts are freely available for viewing when You log into Your account at: http://www.gandi.net/admin/contracts/.

Section .LC.1. Trustee authority and Registry

.LC is the official country code Top-Level-Domain (ccTLD) of Saint Lucia. The following diagram presents the various parties involved and the Trustee Authority for the .LC TLD:

You can view the information and special rules of each party involved by clicking on the respective links.

Section .LC.2. Registration terms and conditions

When You apply to register a .LC domain name, You acknowledge to have fully understood, and that You certify to have full knowledge of and that You agree to abide by all the rules and specific conditions of .LC domain names, as defined by Nic LC and Afilias, and which may be viewed at the following pages:

- Registration Policies:
  http://www.nic.lc/policies.htm
- Rules:
  http://www.nic.lc/rules.htm
- Registration Agreement:
  http://www.nic.lc/agreement.htm
- Terms and Conditions:
  http://www.nic.lc/terms.htm
- Afilias Rules:
  http://www.afilias-grs.info/lc-saint-lucia

These contracts bind You to the .LC Registry and Afilias. The special conditions contained herein do not replace these Rules, but rather form part of them. You acknowledge to have fully understood and accepted these Rules on Our Website.

Section .LC.3. Special requirements

.LC special requirements are available on:
http://www.gandi.net/domain/lc/info

.LC domain names are open to anyone.

To register for a .LC domain name, You must abide by the following conditions:

- the registration term is 1 up to 10 years,
- to avoid any deactivation of the domain name, the renewal must be paid and funds cleared **before the Expiration date**,
- provide and maintain accurate, reliable and up-to-date personal contact information. The wilful provision of inaccurate or unreliable personal contact information, the wilful failure promptly to update it or the failure to respond within a deadline of 15 calendar days to inquiries by Gandi or the .LC Registry concerning the accuracy of Your contact information shall constitute a breach of the present contract and may result in the deletion of Your domain name,
- You warrant that Your choice and Your use of the domain name will not infringe the rights of third,
- if You grant a user license to a third party, You remain bound, as the owner, by all the terms and conditions of the contract and You are fully liable for the use made of Your domain name;
- some words are prohibited for domain name registration:
  http://www.nic.lc/reserved-names-policy.htm,
- names containing two characters followed by two hyphens are not allowed.

Section .LC.4. Pricing

Our prices can be viewed on:
https://www.gandi.net/domain/price/detail/lc/

Section .LC.5. Storage of contact information

You accept that the .LC Registry and Afilias can access Your personal data and display it in the public Whois database.

Section .LC.6. Dispute resolution policy

The .LC Registry has adopted ICANN's UDRP procedure for the resolution of disputes for .LC domains, that You agree fully abide by: http://www.nic.lc/dispute-policy.htm

You may view general documentation on the UDRP procedure at the following addresses:

• ICANN domain name dispute resolution policies: http://www.icann.org/udrp/
• Explanations: http://www.icann.org/en/udrp/udrp.htm
• Policy: http://www.icann.org/en/dndr/udrp/policy.htm
• Rules: http://www.icann.org/dndr/udrp/uniform-rules.htm
• Dispute Resolution Service Provider (WIPO): http://www.wipo.int/amc/en/domains/cctld/lc/index.html

Section .LC.7. Transfer (change of Registrar)

The process is started on Our Interface. Before starting a transfer request, please ensure that:

• You can provide the authorization code associated with the domain. You can obtain this code from the current Registrar, via the domain's owner or administrative contact,
• Your domain does not have a TransferProhibited status,
• Your domain name does not expire soon (We recommend that you start the transfer request at least one month before the domain's Expiration),
• was created at least 60 days prior to the request,
• the last transfer is older than 60 days.

The transfer's completion requires your confirmation (by e-mail).

Upon successfully transferring a domain, the registration period is extended by one year.

Section .LC.8. Ownership change

The ownership change process is available on Our Interface, it requires the confirmation of the two parties by e-mail.

The owner change of a .LC domain name does not change the domain's Expiration date.

Section .LC.9. Deletion process

Upon the Expiration of the domain, We suspend (Hold) the domain name for 44 days, during which time all associated technical services are deactivated. Late renewal at normal price is possible during this period.

Then, the domain name is placed on Quarantine status and can be restored, in accordance with the terms and conditions described on Our website and/or as communicated by Our customer service department. The length of the Quarantine period is 30 calendar days.

If the domain is neither renewed nor restored within these deadlines, the Registry shall place the domain on "Pending Delete" status for several days, and then delete the domain name, which will become available for registration under the "first-come first-served" basis.

Section .LC.10. Customer guarantee

In any case, You commit Yourself to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the .LC Registry and Afilias and their directors, officers, shareholders, employees, agents and related companies from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities, costs, and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) arising out of or related to Your domain name registration or to its use. This guarantee shall prevail after the end of the present contract, whatever may be the cause, and is the direct consequence of our accreditation agreements with the .LC Registry and Afilias.

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