





1. Do you agree with the proposed new ccTLD Structure and regulatory framework, and why/why not?

Yes, Wantok generally supports the proposed new ccTLD structure and regulatory frameworks.

2. If not, what kind of .vu ccTLD Structure and regulatory framework would you like to see implemented instead?

N/A

- 3. What are the risks, if any, of TRR's preferred Structure and approach? $\ensuremath{\mathsf{N}/\mathsf{A}}$
- 4. Do you agree that the .vu resource be managed as a public resource? State your reasons for agreeing or disagreeing.

Yes. The .vu resource is an asset with the potential to provide benefits for the country

- **5.** Do you agree that the 'Registrar' service be opened to competition which means there will be more than one Registrar in Vanuatu? State your reasons for agreeing or disagreeing. Wantok strongly agrees that the 'Registrar' service be opened to competition. However, it should be restricted to Vanuatu registered companies operating in the ISP sector in order to support the Vanuatu economy.
- 6. Should the Registry and Registrar roles be separated? State your reasons for agreeing or disagreeing.

Not necessarily. It would depend on the policies and processes in place to ensure that all registrars are operating on a level playing field, including the registry operator.

7. Do you think opening up the Registrar market to competition would assist other ISPs to offer domain name registration services to supplement their usual portfolio of Internet connectivity, email and web hosting services?

Yes, refer comments under point 5 above

- 8. Do you have any comments on specific provisions in the draft Regulations at Annex D? Please cite the number of the section concerned when making comments.

 No, not at this time.
- 9. Has TRR covered all relevant aspects in the draft Regulation? If not, please outline additional provisions that should be included. $\mbox{N/A}$

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