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18 August 2026

RE: **Designation of ASO Nomination to Fill ICANN Board Seat 9**

To: Empowered Community Administration Representatives

cc: Tripti Sinha, ICANN Board Chair
Kurtis Lindqvist, ICANN President and CEO
John Jeffrey, ICANN General Counsel and Secretary

Dear Members of the Empowered Community Administration,

Further to the ICANN Secretary's Notice of 29 May 2026, and in response to the correspondence of 9 June 2026 from ICANN General Counsel and Secretary John Jeffrey regarding the vacancy in Seat 9 of the ICANN Board following the passing of Alan Barrett, I am writing on behalf of the Address Supporting Organization Address Council (ASO AC).

Pursuant to Sections 7.12(a) and 9.2(b) of the ICANN Bylaws, the ASO AC hereby formally nominates Mr. **Oscar Robles** (LAC Region) to fill the vacancy in Seat 9 of the ICANN Board.

Upon designation by the Empowered Community, Mr. Robles will serve for the unexpired term of his predecessor through the conclusion of the ICANN90 Annual General Meeting on 4 November 2027.

On behalf of the ASO AC, I respectfully request that the Empowered Community act on this nomination in accordance with Sections 7.2(e) and 7.25 of the ICANN Bylaws.

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ASO Address Council Chair

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