Acronyms

AAA	American Arbitration Association
API	Application Program Interface
CARU	Children's Advertising Review Unit
ccNSO	Country Code Names Supporting Organization
ccTLD	Country Code Top-Level Domain
CMA	Content Manager Agreement
COPPA	Children's Online Privacy Protection Act
COTR	Contracting Officer's Technical Representative
CRM	Customer Relationship Management
DMA	Delegated Manager Agreement
DMT	Delegated Manager Tool
DMZ	Demilitarized Zone
DNS	Domain Name System
DoC	Department of Commerce
DUNS	Data Universal Numbering System
EPP	Extensive Provisioning Protocol
FAQ	Frequently Asked Questions
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FTC	Federal Trade Commission
ftp	File Transfer Protocol
GNU	Not Unix
gTLD	Generic Top-Level Domain
http	Hypertext Transfer Protocol
IANA	Intermodal Association of North America
ICANN	Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers
IDN	Internationalized Domain Name
IDS	Intrusion Detection System
IETF	Internet Engineering Task Force
IP	Internet Protocol
IPv6	Internet Protocol Version 6

IP Services/Solutions	Internet Protocol Services or Solutions
ISO	International Organization for Standards
ISP	Internet Service Provider
IT	Information Technology
IXFR	Incremental Zone Transfer
IXP	Internet Exchange Point
KARA	Kids.us Administrator-Registrar Agreement
LAN	Local Area Network
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol
LRTC	Locality Registrant Terms and Conditions
Mod 7	Modification 7 to usTLD P.O. , establishes kids.us
NAC	Network Access Control
NAF	National Arbitration Forum
NANPA	North American Numbering Plan Administrator
NANOG	North American Network Operators Group
NOC	Network Operations Center
NPAC	Number Portability Administration Center
NTIA	National Telecommunications and Information Administration
OT&E	Operational Test & Evaluation
PGP	Pretty Good Privacy
QA	Quality Assurance
RAT	Registrar Admin Tool
RFC	Request for Comment
RFQ	Request for Quotation
RSS	Really Simple Syndication
SDK	Software Development Kit
SLA	Service Level Agreement
SNMP	Simple Network Management Protocol
SOW	Statement of Work
SOX	Sarbanes-Oxley
SRS	Shared Registration System
SSH	Secure Shell

SSL	Secure Socket Layer
TLD	Top-Level Domain
TLS	Transport Layer Security
UDRP	Uniform Dispute Resolution Policy
usDRP	United States Dispute Resolution Policy
usTLD	us Top-Level Domain
UTC	Universal Time Code
WAP	WHOIS Accuracy Program
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
XML	eXtensible Markup Language
ZA	Zone Administrator