.ARCHI – Terms and Conditions

In addition to your registration agreement, the .ARCHI Registry-Registrar Agreement ("RRA") terms and conditions set out here shall apply. In the event of any inconsistency between the terms of your registration agreement and the terms set out here, the RRA terms shall prevail.

1. Each registered name holder acknowledges and agrees to the following statement: “By registering this domain name, you certify that the registrant of this domain is an individual professional architect (or an architecture firm) registered as a member of a national architects association authorized by the registry operator, or an architecture-related organization authorized by the registry operator.”

2. Each registered name holder agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Starting Dot and its subcontractors, and also the directors, officers, employees, affiliates and agents of each of them, from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees and expenses, arising out of or relating to the registered name holder’s domain name registration. This indemnification obligation shall survive the termination or expiration of the registration agreement.

3. Each registered name holder shall comply with each of the following requirements:
   a. ICANN standards, policies, procedures, and practices for which Starting Dot has monitoring responsibility in accordance with the registry agreement between Starting Dot and ICANN for the operation of the .ARCHI TLD, as amended from time to time (the “Registry Agreement”) or any other arrangement with ICANN; and
   b. Operational standards, policies, procedures, and practices for the .ARCHI TLD established from time to time by Starting Dot in a non-arbitrary manner and applicable to all registrars, including affiliates of Starting Dot, and consistent with ICANN’s standards, policies, procedures, and practices and Starting Dot’s Registry Agreement with ICANN. Additional or revised Starting Dot operational standards, policies, procedures, and practices for the .ARCHI TLD shall be effective upon ninety (90) days prior written notice by Starting Dot to the registrar. If there is a discrepancy between the terms required by the RRA and the terms of the registrar’s registration agreement, the terms of the RRA shall supersede those of the registrar’s registration agreement.

4. Each registered name holder:
   a. consents to the use, copying, distribution, publication, modification and other processing of registered name holder’s personal data by Starting Dot and its designees and agents in a manner consistent with the purposes specified pursuant to clause 4 (a) (i) below;
      i. Starting Dot shall notify the registrar of the purposes for which personal data submitted to Starting Dot by the registrar is collected, the intended recipients (or categories of recipients) of such personal data, and the
mechanism for access to and correction of such personal data. Starting Dot shall take reasonable steps to protect personal data from loss, misuse, unauthorized disclosure, alteration or destruction. Starting Dot shall not use or authorize the use of personal data in a way that is incompatible with the notice provided to registrars. Starting Dot may from time to time use the demographic data collected for statistical analysis, provided that this analysis will not disclose individual personal data and provided that such use is compatible with the notice provided to registrars regarding the purpose and procedures for such use.

b. shall submit to proceedings commenced under ICANN's Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy ("UDRP"), the Uniform Rapid Suspension ("URS"), or any other dispute resolution mechanism imposed by ICANN and/or organized by Starting Dot;

c. agrees to immediately correct and update the registration information for the registered name during the registration term for the registered name, including personal data associated therewith;

d. agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of the initial launch of .ARCHI TLD, including without limitation the sunrise period and the land rush period, and the sunrise dispute resolution policy, and further to acknowledge that starting dot has no liability of any kind for any loss or liability resulting from the proceedings and processes relating to the sunrise period or the land rush period, including, without limitation: (a) the ability or inability of a registrant to obtain a registered name during these periods, and (b) the results of any dispute over a sunrise registration; and

e. acknowledges and agrees that Starting Dot reserves the right to deny, cancel or transfer any registration or transaction, or place any domain name(s) on registry lock, hold or similar status, that it deems necessary, in its discretion; (1) to protect the integrity and stability of the registry; (2) to comply with any applicable laws, government rules or requirements, requests of law enforcement, or any dispute resolution process; (3) to avoid any liability, civil or criminal, on the part of Starting Dot, as well as its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, directors, and employees; (4) per the terms of the registration agreement or (5) to correct mistakes made by Starting Dot or any registrar in connection with a domain name registration. Starting Dot also reserves the right to place upon registry lock, hold or similar status a domain name during resolution of a dispute.