

# **Interoperation of DNS-SD names under different resolution conventions**

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### Reminder: what is the problem?

- DNS-SD works with more than one resolution system
- DNS uses the IDNA2008 conventions for many delegations
  - Especially near the top
- Other resolution systems might not
- If these are supposed to work together, we need to pick a common denominator convention

## Is this really a problem?

- If your domain name is under (say) 游戏 or pф, then you will be looking up A-labels when going to the DNS
- If your domain name is registered inside an ICANNgoverned TLD (which is all gTLDs and many ccTLDs), you will be looking up A-labels when going to the DNS
- Domain names lower in the tree need not be governed by this convention, but non-IDNA domains could surprise users if they try to use them outside DNS-SD

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- Try to be as neutral as possible about different resolution technologies (but mDNS is still main example)
- De-emphasise distracting issue of system-wide resolvers

#### **WGLC** comments so far

- Doug Otis has provided many comments
- Seems to be arguing that DNS-SD should not be used in the public DNS
- Most recent post (see <a href="http://www.ietf.org/mail-archive/web/dnssd/current/msg00741.html">http://www.ietf.org/mail-archive/web/dnssd/current/msg00741.html</a>) argues that this could be solved with special-use name
- I'm not sure how that is relevant, but for the WG to decide