

On Mon, Aug 31, 2020 at 6:05 PM Eddy Kayihura <eddy@afnic.net>
<<mailto:eddy@afnic.net>>> wrote:

Dear Chair Governance Committee,

In terms of the Governance Committee terms of reference, article 3.1.7, the Governance Committee may provide advice on any matter referred to the Governance Committee by the CEO or the Board.

I would like to request the Governance Committee's recommendations on the correct course of action in response to a recent thread on the community mailing list with title "Ongoing thefts of AFRINIC Legacy Resources -- Ongoing collusion?"

The management of AFRINIC considers that on this thread, there have been several serious allegations made against multiple people, including AFRINIC staff. We believe that this not only represents a breach of the code of conduct but also an infringement on the personal rights of our staff.

There also might be a possibility that some emails on the thread have been sent by people that may or may not be hiding behind aliases to avoid being held accountable for their allegations.

The code of conduct indicates that the AFRINIC CEO moderates the community mailing list. However, in the current case, I would like to seek the advice of the Governance Committee to avoid any perception of bias in this matter.

I would like to request that the Governance Committee advises on a recommended course of action.

Regards,

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