

## 1. (untitled)

**1. Submissions from this consultation process may be made public. Please indicate here if you would like your submission to be kept private.**

I am happy for my submission to be made public

**2. Which of the following best describes the perspective your submission represents?**

Member

## 4.

**3. Is this a group or individual submission**

Individual

## 5. (untitled)

**4. Individual**

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## 11. (untitled)

**5. If you would like to be kept informed of final decisions, please provide a contact email address**

## 12. (untitled)

**6. Would you like to provide any comment on the case for change?**

I support the cases for change, however I am concerned with some of the statements made about the current status of the organisation.

What support does InternetNZ have for the statement: "The dedicated focus on building our own expertise and capability in the management of the .nz domain has paid dividends – .nz is the preferred domain for New Zealanders."?

I believe .nz was the preferred domain for New Zealanders when its management was contracted out. Where is the analysis that says insourcing and building a large team at NZRS has been a good thing for the organisation or for New Zealand technically or financially?

## 13. (untitled)

**7. What do you think are the strengths of the proposal to merge the three organisations into one, governed by one Council?**

I think a reduction in management and governance body count will help the organisation act more coherently, both within New Zealand and as the organisation interacts with the wider Internet community.

**8. What do you think are the limitations of the proposal to merge the three organisations into one, governed by one Council?**

I worry a single organisation with a strong focus on expanding its own revenue sources will lose track of its mission. As a single organisation satisfied with funding itself via revenue from .nz I see few limitations.

## 14. (untitled)

**9. Do you have any suggestions on how to address these limitations?**

I believe the InternetNZ should be split off from revenue generation - perhaps by divesting revenue generating functions of NZRS.

**15. (untitled)**

**10. Do you have any comments on the proposed approach to protecting the independence of .nz policy and regulation?**

No.

**19. (untitled)**

**11. Do you have any other comments you would like to make?**

No.