24th December 2020

**Request for permission to use your anycast data for the AFTLD Domain Name System Observatory**

Dear Sir,

Africa Top Level Domains Organization with the support of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) and the Africa Network Information Centre is working on a Domain Name System Observatory for the African continent. This observatory which will contain data on ccTLDs and other TLDs in Africa will enable the collection of data regularly, monitoring of the Domain Name Industry and needs assessment of the individual ccTLD registries, necessary for an informed approach and implementation of other projects including the joint African ccTLD and DNSSEC program that aims to strengthen ccTLDs in Africa.

AFTLD requests for permission from your organization to use the anycast data that is shared with AFRINIC for purposes of updating the observatory. We look forwad to a favourable response on our request.

Yours Sincerely

Ali Hadji Mmadi

Chairman

Executive Commitee