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Dear Harry

dotScot

I am pleased to offer our support for the proposed dotScot (gTLD) aimed at providing a clear identity for Scottish interests and culture on the web.

The Scots Language Centre promotes Scots language and culture online, showcasing contemporary artistic activity in Scots in the form of song, literature, music and drama. SLC attracts hundreds of thousands of visitors to its web site and associated online platforms each year and provides access to the largest online collection of resources in Scots. We present the diverse elements of Scots culture in an exciting and dynamic online space and believe that the time is right to establish a clear identity for Scots material on the internet.

We are particularly keen to see the dotScot Registry bid succeed and believe the not for profit model is appropriate for this type of community interest. Should you be successful in your application to ICANN we would be very interested in acquiring a dotScot domain ourselves, and promoting its availability to our members. Please do keep us informed of developments in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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