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Basic Information

ISO/FDIS 17316, *Information and Documentation - International Standard Link Identifier* (ISLI) was approved on 26 August 2014 by voting of the ISO members. International Information Content Industry Association (ICIA) submitted the application for serving as the ISLI Registration Authority (ISLI RA) in August 2014. ISO TMB appointed ICIA to be the RA for ISO 17316 via TMB Resolution 52/2015 on 9 March 2015. ICIA signed the Registration Authority Agreement with ISO in April 2015. International Standard ISO 17316 is to be published by ISO.

Current Status

ISLI RA is actively getting ready to carry out its duties. After ISO officially publishes the ISLI standard, it will start the operation. Currently, the ISLI RA staff has come into place and the development of the ISLI RA website (www.isli-international.org) is basically completed. The development of the ISLI registration system is now at the final stage. ISLI RA will start to provide ISLI codes and the related services to the users in due time.

Setting up the Consultative Committee

To effectively receive feedbacks from the users and get suggestions from all relevant parties (including the SC9 members), ISLI RA will set up a Consultative Committee. The consultants will include relevant standard experts in SC9 and professionals from international associations that can represent the related users. The Consultative Committee will advise ISLI RA on reacting to the feedbacks and comments as well as advise and guide ISLI RA with the management.

Liaison and Communication

ICIA is preparing to apply to become a liaison organization of ISO/TC46/SC9. ICIA

hopes to strengthen the contact and communication with SC9 by being a full liaison (Category A).

As a newly founded RA, ISLI RA welcomes guidance and supports from all the existing RAs in ISO/TC46/SC9 that have accumulated rich experience in the operation. We are happy to explore all forms of cooperation that are mutually beneficial and good for our common course.