

Draft Policy 2023-6: ARIN Waitlist Qualification

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Problem Statement

Current Text
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Since the depletion of ARIN's IPv4 address free pool, ARIN now issues general purpose IPv4 addresses exclusively from the Waitlist, which is described in section 4.1.8. ARIN Waitlist. Currently the text found in section 4.2 Allocations to ISPs (Requirements for Requesting Initial Address Space), 4.3 End-users - Assignments to End Users, and 4.5 Multiple Discrete Networks, might give some readers the impression that meeting these conditions is sufficient to justify the issuance of IPv4 addresses. Indeed, these requirements do serve to complement section 4.1.8. ARIN Waitlist policy, as necessary - but not sufficient - conditions.

This proposal aims to make explicit the relationship between waitlist policy and the qualification for waitlist space based on section 4.2 for ISPs, section 4.3 for End-users, and section 4.5 for organizations making use of multiple discrete networks.



Policy Statement

Add:

4.1.8.3. Qualification

- ARIN staff will evaluate section 4.1.8 ARIN Waitlist requests on the basis of relevant policies within other section 4 subsections as applicable. For example, staff may refer to section 4.2 for ISPs, section 4.3 for End-users, and section 4.5 for organizations with multiple discrete networks.

History



Action	Date
Proposal	16 August 2023
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Community Feedback



No comments



QUESTION(S) FOR THE COMMUNITY

Do you support this policy as written?

Thank You



Questions or Comments?