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- Policy Statement
  - ARIN guidelines presently state that privacy of an individual's residential address information may be protected in WHOIS by indicating "Private Residence". This policy proposal is intended to provide additional information privacy through omission of an individual's name from WHOIS, replacing their name with "Private Individual".

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## Issues

- Privacy and home security
- Abuse who to contact?
- Utilization ARIN Registration Services
- ISP's responsibility customer record

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- SWIP Alternatives
  - Name: Private Individual
    - ISP maintains customer record
    - Contact ISP Abuse POC for abuse issues (use comments field on SWIP)
    - No name info in Whois
  - Hidden Name: John Doe
    - Name: Private Individual
    - "Name" appears in Whois search results; "Hidden name" does not