

**Policy Statement by James Casey  
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The usTLD Administrator will follow a policy to preserve and enhance the value of the .US Internet address to all users, including, in particular, state and local governments, libraries and K-12 schools. Given the importance of .US as a national public resource, certain guidelines must apply. Therefore, the usTLD Administrator will review, for possible deletion by the Registry, all registered second-level and locality domain names that contain, within the characters of the domain name registration, any of the seven words identified in *Federal Communications Commission v. Pacifica Foundation*, 438 U.S. 726, 98 S. Ct. 3026, 57 L.Ed.2d 1073 (1978), the “Seven Words”.