## Rules Governing Qualifications for Registration of .SC Domain Names

- > We register second level domain names directly under .sc. (eg: abc.SC)
- We also offer domain names under the following sub second level domain categories:
  - \* .COM.SC (Companies & Commercial Business Organisations)
  - ★ .NET.SC (Network Service Providers such as ISPs).
  - \* .EDU.SC (Educational and Academic Institutions and related Organisations)
  - \* .GOV.SC (Seychelles Government Ministries & Departments)
  - ★ .ORG.SC (Non-profit organizations such as NGOs)
- All one and two letter domains name registrations are reserved in red under .SC (eg: ab.sc , 12.sc)
- We do not register names that include trademarks of other parties or words which are not permitted in business names, unless the applicant is legally entitled to use such words.
- We do not register names which are offensive, obscene, or may confuse or grossly mislead the public.
- Names should be short (no more than 10 characters is recommended). Names should comprise only the letters a-z, the digits 0-9 and the dash -. Names should not begin or end in a dash. Names should not consist of a single character.
- Names with hyphens will be regarded as separate entities. (i.e. abc-def.sc and abcdef.sc will be two separate domains)
- domains are offered on the first come first served basis