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# Registration of Domain Names under .ee Top Level Domain

## Official Regulations on Registration of Domain Names under .ee

Only the original Estonian version of the Regulations on the Registration of Domain Names under .ee is legally binding. The information below is provided for the convenience of our non-Estonian-speaking customers.

### General Conditions

1. Domain registration under .ee is open only for the institutions registered in Estonia.
2. Only one domain name can be registered per institution.
3. Registration is free of charge.

### Frequently Asked Questions

- What are the technical requirements for the .ee subdomains?

Before submitting the application all nameservers for the domain name have to be configured. Further requirements are available in Estonian.

- Should a company be registered in Estonia in order to register a domain name under .com.ee?

Yes, it should. The requirement of being registered in Estonia applies in both cases: directly under .ee and under .com.ee.

- Can an institution register an additional domain name in order to protect a trademark?

The domain name has no trademark status. As domains under .ee are meant to be institution's identification on the Internet (like the register code in the commercial register), registration of additional domain in the defense of a trademark or a name form is not possible.

- How can a domain name under .ee be transferred from one holder to another?

Transferring a domain name from one holder to

another consists of following steps:

1. The former holder releases the domain by sending to the Registry an official letter signed by a member of the board of the institution to confirm the renouncement of the domain.
2. The new applicant submits the electronic application form according all official Regulations.

- What is the renewal time of domains under .ee?

The registration of domain names under .ee is indefinite except in the following cases:

- 1) The holder of the domain has ceased to exist. Any domain whose legal holder no longer exists will be shut down.
- 2) If the applicant has presented false data the hostmaster may annul the registration of the domain. The holder of the domain will be informed and given 14 days to comment on the case before the registration is annulled.
- 3) The registration can be cancelled or annulled if it has been impossible to get in touch with the administrative contact person of the domain holder for several months. The holder of the domain is responsible for the renewal of the contact data in the database managed by the Registry.
- 4) The registration can be annulled proceeding from the court's judgement.

- There is no place in the application form to submit data of the technical and billing contact person.

Only one contact person - administrative contact person for a second level subdomain under .ee should be appointed.


- In what format should the e-mail messages to .ee Hostmaster be sent?

All e-mails addressed to [hostmaster@eenet.ee](mailto:hostmaster@eenet.ee) should be sent in plain-text ASCII, ISO 8859-1 or ISO 8859-15 formats.

- Who can be contacted in order to contest the decisions of the .ee Hostmaster?

The e-mail address of .ee Administrators is [admin@eenic.ee](mailto:admin@eenic.ee)

For additional information about registration under .ee please contact the following address:  
[hostmaster@eenet.ee](mailto:hostmaster@eenet.ee).



Electronic form for submitting an application