Subject: [DIDP] a request under the didp

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As a member of the public, I request that ICANN make public all
information on security incidents reported to ICANN during 2013, 2014,
2015 to date under section 3.20 (iii) of the RAA.

This section specifically relates to security breaches at registrars:

"3.20 Notice of Bankruptcy, Convictions and Security Breaches. Registrar
will give ICANN notice within seven (7) days of [...] (iii) any
unauthorized access to or disclosure of registrant account informationor
registration data. The notice required pursuant to Subsection (iii)
shall include a detailed description of the type of unauthorized access,
how it occurred, the number of registrants affected, and any action
taken by Registrar in response."

I don't currently see, but would suggest that in the interests of
transparency, that ICANN routinely publish this information on their web
site a periodic basis. Detailed information would be much more useful
for the public, than only any sort of summary information.

Such publication would satisfy the wider needs of the registrant
community in managing their own risk by identifying any cases where a
registrar has notified icann of unauthorized access, but has not
notified its correspondents (registrants and resellers), leaving them at
risk to abuse of their credentials or identity, and loss of their domains.

Just for identification, and to avoid confusion, I am a member of the
SSAC, and a member of the SSAC's Registrant Protection Working Party
that is currently working on recommendations to the ICANN Board and
Community on related subjects, but am not making this request as a
representative of either group.

I am hoping to receive a reply whether this is possible, or not,
as soon as feasible, in advance of any actual information if necessary.

Thanks for your consideration.

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