EARN EXECUTIVE

Proposal for rationalising lists - Draft

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All the lists looked at seems useful, and it is proposed to keep all
of them, and to have a coherent way to define lists ownership and
lists parameters.

It is proposed to create a new list called EARNNEWS

A. Existing lists

There are 4 types of lists :

1 EARN General Management

     EARN-BOD
     EARNEXEC
     DEAR-BOD

It is proposed that the owners of these lists be the EARN President
and a co-owner, the EARN Manager. In addition, they both have the
possibility to add a secretary as co-owner.

Proposed parameters

Listname /Parameters	EARN-BOD	EARNEXEC	DEAR-BOD
1. REVIEW	Public	Public	Public
2. SUBSCRIPTION	Closed	Closed	Closed
3. SEND	Private	Private	Public
4. FILES	Yes	Yes	Yes
5. REPLY-TO	List	List	Both
6. NOTEBOOK	Yes, Private	Yes, Private	Yes, Public
7. CONFIDENTIAL	No	No	No

Comments on proposed changes (underlined) :

It is proposed that all lists be non confidential (this means that
their names appear in the list of lists), public for review (this
means that any network user can see who is on the list), have a
notebook and accept files.

It is propose that EARN-BOD and EARNEXEC be closed, with a private
notebook: this means that owners are not notified when somebody tries
to join the list, and only members of the list can review the
associated notebook.

It is propose that the reply parameter of DEAR-BOD be changed to
"Both"; this means that the reply will automatically be forwarded to
the list and the person who sent the original mail.

2 EARN Executive areas

It is proposed that for all these lists, the EXEC member responsible
for this area and the EARN manager be co-owners.

| EARN-UG | EARN-NOG | EARN-OPG | EARN-X25 | EARN-OSI | |
	MH	AC	DJ	DJ	ST
1.	Public	Public	Public	Public	Public
2.	By-owner	By-owner	By-owner	By-owner	Open
3.	Public	Public	Public	Public	Public
4.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
5.	List	List	List	List	List
6.	Yes, Private	Yes, Private	Yes, Private	Yes, Private	Yes, Public
7.	No	No	No	No	No

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Comments on proposed changes (underlined) :

It is proposed that all lists be Public for review, non confidential and that they have a notebook (public for EARN-UG and private for all others).

3 Technical lists

	EARNTECH	OSI-TEAM	NETSRV-L	LSTSRV-L	X400	EARNSTAT
Owners	Decentralised	KC/AH	OM	Decentralised	OM	UM/JMB
1.	Public	Public	Public	Public	Public	Public
2.	By-owner	Open	By-owner	Open	Open	By-owner
3.	Public	Public	Private	Public	Public	Public
4.	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
5.	List	List	List	List	List	List
6.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
7.	No	No	No	No	No	No

The technical lists are generally owned by technical people. No
changes are recommended as all of them are needed. It is recommended
that the EARN manager be a member of these lists, as well as the EXEC
members responsible for the area (EARNTECH : ST/MH ; OSI-TEAM : DJ ;
NETSRV-L : MH ; LSTSRV-L : MH ; X.400 : DJ ; EARNSTAT : MH)

Owners of these lists are: KC : Kieran Carrick - Proposed change:
DJ/AA

                          AH : Ann Hovenden-   "   "   "   "   "
                          OM : Olivier Martin
                          UM : Udo Meyer
                          JMB : Jose-Maria Blasco

4 Temporary lists

     EARN89 PC
     EARN89 OC

No change is needed

B. Need for an additional list

As requested during the last NOG meeting, It is proposed to create a
list for quick dissemination of BoD and EXEC decisions.

This list would be owned by the EARN Secretary and the EARN Manager,
with the following parameters :

- list name   :   EARNNEWS

- review   :   Public

- subscription   :   Open

- send   :   Owner

- files   :   No

- reply-to   :   None

- notebooks   :   Yes, Public

- confidential   :   No