

.IE domain policies will change in March 2018

Final Call - Get your dot ie domain now, before its gone


We have [consensus](#) from the public and internet policy stakeholders to make it easier and faster to get a dot ie domain. This means that there will be no need to provide a claim to the name when registering a dot ie domain name for your website address.

Anyone with a real connection to Ireland will be able to register any available dot ie domain they want.



It is important that you protect your brand and register any available names you need. Registering a dot ie domain is the only way to ensure that no one else gets it.

What is changing?

Applying now, you must show:

-  Connection to the island of Ireland
-  Prove your identity
-  Claim to the name

Applying after the change, you must show:

-  Connection to the island of Ireland
-  Prove your identity
-  Claim to the name

What isn't changing?

Dot ie will still be:

- reserved for those with legitimate Irish connections
- as safe as ever
- verifying the identity of domain owners
- verifying the connection to the island of Ireland

What does this mean for you?

- ✓ Businesses currently have an advantage, in that they have a 'claim to the name' allowing them to get the dot ie domains they want **today**.
- ✓ From March 2018, anyone will be able to register whatever available name they want as long as they have a real connection to Ireland.
- ✓ Safeguard your hard-won identity and reputation online - don't let a competitor take your dot ie domain names.
- ✓ Secure your dot ie domains **today** at www.iedr.ie/FinalCall