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Mr Cameron Boardman
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By email to: cameron.boardman@auda.org.au

Dear Cameron,

Letter to the Board

As a long standing auDA Member – and as someone who had participated in numerous auDA working groups and panels – I write to express my deepest concern over auDA's recent decision to remove all previous Board Minutes, Agendas and Reports from the auDA website.

Better transparency and communication were promised to Members at the recent AGM. Removal of the above-mentioned documents flies in the face of this commitment – and is certainly not consistent with the practices of auDA's international counterparts.

- ◆ Does ICANN have full transparency? Yes.
- ◆ Does Nominet (UK) have full transparency? Yes.
- ◆ Does DNC (New Zealand) have full transparency? Yes.

I therefore respectfully ask the Board to please reconsider their decision. I'm convinced this would be viewed most favourably by Members – it would show that you are listening to concerns.

Would you please **submit my letter to the Board** for formal comment and response? I understand from your newsletter that you are convening a Board Meeting on the 22nd May.

Yours sincerely,

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c.c. Stuart Benjamin - Chair
 Erhan Karabardak – Deputy Chair
 Di Parker – Company Secretary