# Joker.com FAQ

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# **1.6 Change of Owner** How to Change the Owner of a Domain?

### Change of Owner (COR)

If you register a domain with Joker.com, you are the 'owner' of this domain, meaning that this domain is added to your **domain portfolio**, and you always have full control over this domain.

Your role then represents that of the Joker.com "account holder." As of 2016-12-01, this role is also regarded as the "Designated Agent" of a domain (DA). This has been introduced in the <u>ICANN Change of Registrant</u> policy (COR).

The responsibilities of a DA are regulated within Joker.com's <u>Terms & Conditions</u> specifically by sections §19-2, §19-4, §10-2, §10-7, and §10-8.

The definition of concept of a DA is additionally defined in **addendum 1)** in the T&C.

There is also a contact named 'registrant' that defines the official identity of the domain owner according to ICANN and/or Registry requirements.

As with all registrant data, you can edit/maintain the registrant using the Joker.com domain management.

#### Please note:

- as of **2016-12-01**, the change of a registrant (**COR**, owner change) of a generic top-level domain requires an extended procedure introduced by <u>ICANN</u>:
  - in general, the prior registrant and the new registrant have to confirm the change
  - ° for this, emails will be sent to both, which contain coded links to acknowledge the transaction
  - the designated agent (DA) is also permitted to decide upon this (pls. see above)
  - before the process is started, the initiator also has the option to not apply a 60-day transfer lock after the change of registrant. Otherwise, this lock will be applied by default
  - for Resellers, we do provide some extended <u>IRTP-C options</u> and tools to handle COR and secure keys
  - the full policy can be found here
- You are obliged to enter the valid and true address and identity information for Whois data. This is a Page 2 / 7

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requirement of all domain registries

In case you want to **assign** a domain to another person (meaning, **moving a domain into another Joker.com user's portfolio**), please visit Joker.com and choose <u>Domain - Change ownership or permissions</u>.

You will also find more information about 'roles', 'permissions', and 'assignments' here.

In case you want to **claim ownership** of a domain for yourself, please also visit the section <u>Domain - Change</u> <u>ownership or permissions</u>.

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## 1.6 Change of Owner What is an 'UDRP' Procedure?

#### **UDRP Procedures**

UDRP means <u>Uniform Domain-Name Dispute-Resolution Policy</u> and is a policy that is applied to all ICANN domains and is also adopted by many other domain types (ccTLDs). You will find detailed explanations on <u>Wikipedia</u> as well.

When registering a domain, you have to accept this policy in order to purchase a domain. This is included in our Terms & Conditions, section 11).

The UDRP process deals with *domain ownership complaints*. In case the arbitrator decides that a domain is to be transferred to the **complainant**, this transfer must be **initiated by the complainant**, who became the **new owner**.

# In case you as the complainant have been awarded the domain after a UDRP decision, please follow these steps to get access to the domain:

- please <u>create a Joker.com</u> account, if not already available; this is free of charge and ensures the fastest handling
- please provide us with the *customer id* of this account (please send it to <u>udrp@joker.com</u>)
- we will then immediately transfer the domain into your Joker.com account

#### Please note:

The domain will be **blocked for changes** (status 'freeze') for the duration of the UDRP procedure. After the execution of the UDRP decision, the domain will be set to status *normal* again.

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# 1.6 Change of Owner Verification of Registrant's Email Address

### **Email Address Verification**

please find this topic here: <u>What about 'Whois Accuracy'?</u>

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