



RIPE

## RIPE Mailing List Moderation

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# Context

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- Offensive, racist mail sent to [ripe-list@ripe.net](mailto:ripe-list@ripe.net) in July 2022
- RIPE Chair and RIPE NCC agreed to moderate the list

# List Moderation

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- All mails sent to RIPE Discussion List are held
- Reviewed by RIPE Chair Team before being allowed through
- Reviewed at least once a day
- Weekly transparency report on ripe.net
  - So far no mail has been rejected without prior engagement with the sender
  - No mails rejected for the past two months

# Archives

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- Content of initial mail moved out of archives
- Replaced by explanatory text
- Unmoderated archives
  - Disclaimer on top of the page
  - Not indexed

# How to Proceed

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- Continue moderation of all mails sent to the RIPE Discussion list?
  - Moderation by the RIPE Chair Team?
  - Different process?
- Continue to publish (weekly) transparency report?
- Continue to keep unmoderated archives?

# Questions?

