RFC 6125bis

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Planned changes - editorial

- Remove "the directory" text (X.500 time to go)

- If this is a standard, we can greatly simplify the text

○ Remove Appendix A

○ Remove "if using this standard, then" constructs as, well, it's assumed :)

- Remove the "block quote" implementation notes, etc

Planned changes - consensus needed

- ~~Wildcard: remove "*foo.example.com" and only allow "*.example.com"~~

  - ~~Nobody on the list was opposed~~ (Good changes from Viktor)

- ~~Make this standards-track not BCP?~~

- ~~Remove "pinning"?~~

Other changes

- Lots of editorial changes:
  - One goal was to reduce the "list of terms used"
  - More text about why commonName is bad and not to be used
  - The sections detailing different target audiences and which sections to read (first) have been removed. *Just read the whole darn thing, it's not that long.*

- TLS SNI assumed to be in use

For Discussion

- **Planned:** Additional text on multiple identifiers, and their security considerations, by Ryan.

- **Hoped-for:** A better title. Something like "Naming and verifying service names in TLS" ?

- **Maybe:** sync with Peter and see if there's more from last time

Could be ready for WGLC in January.