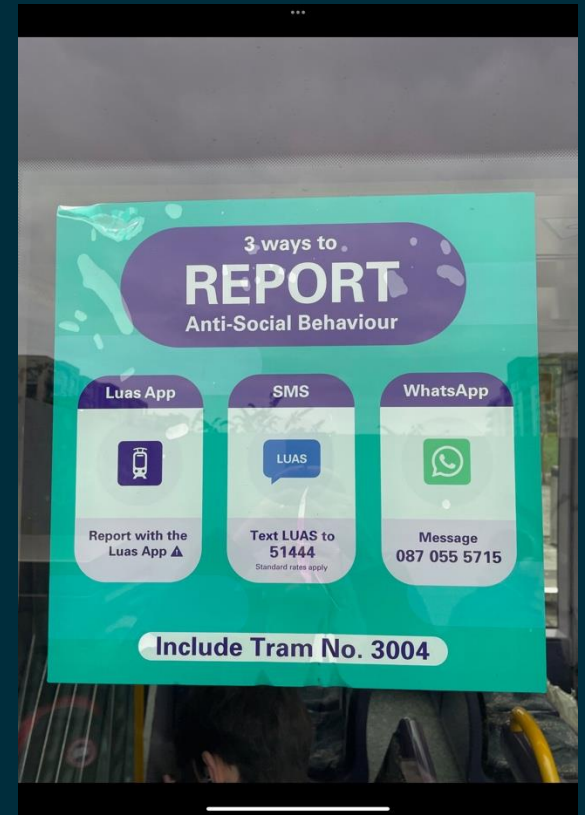


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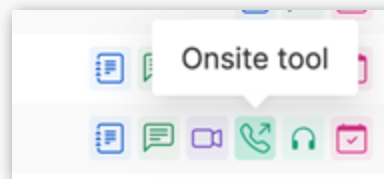
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MODPOD Agenda

- 13:00: Administrivia and Intro
 - Identify a notetaker or two? Jabber scribing?
- 13:10 – 13:40: lear-bcp83 and comparisons (Lear)
- 13:40 – 15:00 (or earlier): Discussion and approaches, maybe hums?

Why are we here?

- To see if the IETF community would like to alter our existing moderation procedures, mostly:
 - RFC3683 (BCP83): A Practice for Revoking Posting Rights to IETF Mailing Lists
 - RFC9245 (BCP45): IETF Discussion List Charter
 - Also potential interactions with RFC3934, the Ombudsteam, etc.
- Discussion inputs today include:
 - [draft-lear-bcp83-replacement-00](#)
 - [draft-ecahc-moderation-01](#)
 - [draft-sayre-modpod-excellent-01](#)

Posting rights actions per RFC3863

“Regardless of whether the PR-action revokes or restores posting rights, the IESG follows the same algorithm as with its other actions:

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3. it is discussed by the community;
4. it is discussed by the IESG; and, finally,
5. using the usual consensus-based process, it is decided upon by the IESG.”

Questions of interest

- Should moderation procedures be less heavyweight?
 - And potentially more discreet?
- How to deal with moderation outside of the mailing lists scoped in the BCPs?
 - Wikis, Jabbers, etc.
- Who should be doing the moderation?
 - And who (if anyone) should have to approve the moderation?
 - And handle appeals?