Services for Legacy Resource Holders

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- **Summary**

  - Introduction and situation of Legacy Resource Holders

  - RIPE-NCC plans — as we've understood them

  - Other RIRs — same issue: diverse stances, different stages

  - What we're looking for

  - What we think should be avoided

  - Discussion ...

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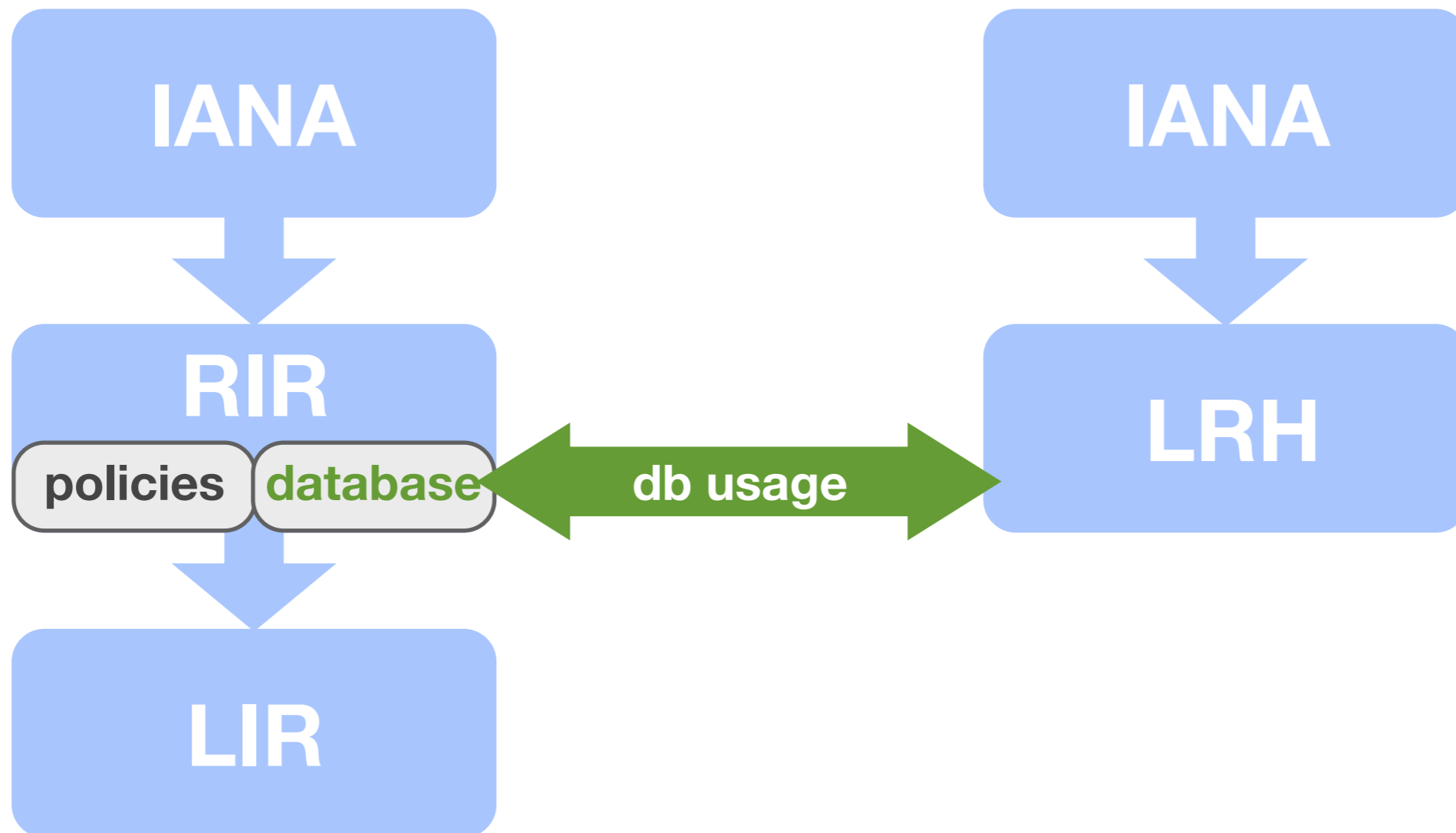
- **Introduction**

  - **Legacy Resources:** assignments pre-date RIRs, from IANA or IR

  - **Holders:**

    - early adopters

    - variety of organizations

    - sustained support for RIPE and RIPE NCC

    - through RARE, provided initial home for NCC

    - gave initial credibility to RIPE DB

    - haven't gone away ...

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- **How Legacy Resource Holders relate to RIRs** *(simplified)*

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- **Situation**

  - NCC and Legacy Resource Holders have drifted apart

    - NCC focus on allocating new resources to LIRs

    - Legacy resource holders typically not LIRs

  - Degradation of data quality

    - sometimes despite efforts of resource holders

    - frustrating nuisance: reflects badly on RIR

  - New NCC focus on registration & certification

  - Need to engage and work together

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- **NCC Proposals**

  - http://www.ripe.net/lir-services/
      resource-management/legacy-space/

  - Axel Pawlik — RIPE 63
    http://ripe63.ripe.net/presentations/110-Legacy_Space_Axel.pdf

    - 4-stage outreach plan, starting with pilot group

  - Options: membership or sponsoring LIR (as for PI)

  - Holdings immediately subject to all RIPE policies

  - Motivation: RIR responsibility (not policy)

  - Charging TF refers to "carrot and stick" approach

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- **What we're looking for**

  - Clear policy basis

    - Derived from stakeholder consensus

    - We expect to have to do some work

  - Clarity as to charges and corresponding services

  - Rectification of outstanding problems

    - **before** proposed freeze

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- **What we think should be avoided** *(from what people tell us ...)*

  - Heavy-handed "RIR responsibility" approach

  - Requirement to submit legacy resources to RIPE policies

    - likely obstacle for holders

    - [the carrot is on the other side of a deep ditch!]

Discussion ...