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shall get his own, personalized pair of credentials to track activities and allow better controlling and suspension of accounts for any reason.

D.6 Access to divisional website content

- 1) It is the responsibility of each respective Division HQ (-DIR/-ADIR) to make sure, that no one except other staff members, which need access to divisions web content has access to this.
- 2) Staff members shall only have access to web content of their own division. Access to foreign divisions content (for example someone from Division X has also access to content of Division Y) is prohibited.
- 3) Abusing the IVAO hosting for private purposes (considering private is everything, which has nothing to do with IVAO) is prohibited. If private action is being detected, this will be sanctioned accordingly by the Executive Council.

D.6 Backup of divisional websites

Every division – regardless if they are being hosted on IVAO HQ servers or not – must regularly (at least once every three months) send backups of their websites to DEVOPs. This backup must contain all files, databases, offered downloads (e.g. Charts, Sectorfiles, ...) and other related things, which are needed for running the website. **Division - DIR/-ADIR/-WM/-AWM** is responsible for this process to be monitored and handled regularly, ~~at least once a quarter.~~

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D.8 Regularly change of access credentials

- 1) To reduce the risk of sabotaging in case of a staff member leaving in no good terms and to protect the divisional website and hosting



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content, access credentials have to be changed upon the following events:

- a. If either the Division -DIR, and/or -ADIR are being removed, Division -WM, or -AWM is responsible to revoke access. If this is – for any reason – not possible, DEVOPs should be contacted as soon as possible.
 - b. If Division -WM is being removed from his position, Division -DIR, -ADIR and/or -AWM is responsible to revoke access. If this is – for any reason – not possible, DEVOPs should be contacted as soon as possible.
 - c. If Division -AWM is being removed from his position, Division -DIR, -ADIR and/or -WM is responsible to revoke access. If this is – for any reason – not possible, DEVOPs should be contacted as soon as possible.
- 2) If – according to regulation D.5, phrase 4 and regulation D.6 – access was handed out to any other staff member of the respective division and this staff member was removed from his position, granted access has to be revoked immediately.
- 3) Even if there is no staff removal of one of these positions, a regular change of login credentials should be considered for security reasons.