



# Service Provider/Service Provider Agent Registration Guide for the Reassigned Numbers Database

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## Introduction

## 1.1 Purpose

This document provides instructions for Service Providers and Service Provider Agents to register as Reassigned Numbers Database (RND) users.

## 1.2 Overview

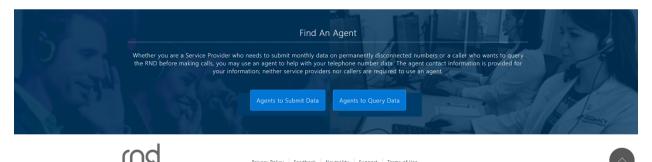
The RND system securely houses all permanently disconnected United States (US) geographic and toll-free numbers and the most recent permanent disconnection of each of those numbers. RND supports submitting permanently disconnected telephone numbers and querying the RND. To gain access to the RND system, the user must be registered.

The RND website can be reached at www.reassigned.us for more information (Figure 1.1). RND Customer Support can be reached at 1-833-763-2366 or via email to support@reassigned.us.



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Figure 1.1

These are the steps for user registration:

Identify the type of user.

Identify the Primary Contact for the user's company.

Gather the required information for registration.

Contact RND Customer Support to receive the online registration link.

Complete the online registration form.

RND Administrator will review the registration request.

Login.

## 1.3 System Settings

The RND uses the following standard date and time format for displaying and downloading data: MM/DD/YYYY HH:MM:SS in Eastern Time. Example: 02/08/2021 14:35:22.

When entering or editing data in the RND, a red asterisk (\*) will appear next to required fields.

## 1.4 Assistance

Questions or issues on the RND may be directed to RND Customer Support at 833-763-2366 or <a href="mailto:support@reassigned.us">support@reassigned.us</a>

## 2 Initial Registration

## 2.1 Step 1: Identify Type of User

The RND will be used by two main groups of users, those who submit data and those who query the data.

## Submit Data:

- **Service Provider** (SP) A user who is a representative of an entity authorized to submit monthly permanently disconnected number reports and query their own data stored in the RND (e.g., telecommunications carrier, interconnected VoIP service provider or other entity that received number resources from NANPA).
- **Service Provider Agent** (SPA) A consultant authorized by a Service Provider to submit monthly permanently disconnected number reports and query their own data in the RND on the Service Provider's behalf.

## **Query Data:**

• Callers – A user who is authorized to query RND data to determine whether a telephone number has been permanently disconnected, and therefore is eligible to have been reassigned before calling the consumer (e.g., Pharmacies, Doctor's offices, Banks, Collection Agencies, etc.)

Caller Agents – A user who has been authorized on behalf of another Caller that
queries the RND to determine whether a telephone number has been permanently
disconnected, and therefore, is eligible to have been reassigned before calling the
consumer.

This Guide contains the steps for SP and SPA registration.

## 2.2 Step 2: Identify Primary Contact

For each company, only one Primary Contact email address can initiate the registration process. Once the Primary Contact is registered, the Primary Contact may invite additional users to their company. After registration, invited users can be transferred and/or elevated to primary contact status and it is possible to have multiple primary contacts for a company. If the company is a Service Provider Agent, the fully registered Primary Contact will also be able to add clients.

## 2.3 Step 3: Gather Required Information

In order to register, the applicant will need following information:

- 1. The following information will be required for the Primary Contact registration and to establish the Company ID in the RND:
  - 1.1. Name
  - 1.2. Title
  - 1.3. Email Address
  - 1.4. Work Telephone Number
  - 1.5. User Type (e.g., Service Provider or Service Provider Agent)
- 2. Authorizer Information The person authorizing the applicant to register in the RND. The Authorizer must be someone in your company, other than the applicant.
  - 2.1. Name
  - 2.2. Title
  - 2.3. Work Telephone Number
  - 2.4. Company Name
  - 2.5. Email Address

## 2.4 Step 4: Contact RND Customer Support

In order to request login credentials to the RND, the Primary Contact shall send an email to <a href="mailtosupport@reassigned.us">support@reassigned.us</a> indicating that the applicant will serve as the Primary Contact for their company as a Service Provider or Service Provider Agent.

Service Provider Agents have Client companies and after registration must send a Letter of Authorization (LOA) for each Client that the SPA intends to add to their profile

in the RND. An SPA <u>LOA</u> template can be found at <u>https://www.reassigned.us/</u> under Agents/Become an Agent.

The LOA must contain the following:

- 1. The LOA must be on the Client SP's company letterhead.
- 2. The following must be included in the LOA:
  - A statement that the SPA is authorized to submit permanently disconnected telephone numbers reports or updates to the RND on behalf of the Client SP company.
  - b. The LOA must be signed by the contact at the Client SP.
  - c. The LOA must be dated.
  - d. The LOA must include the Point of Contact for the Client company information in the RND including the following: Name, Title, Email, Work Phone.

RND Customer Support will send an email back to the Primary Contact. The email will contain a link to an online registration form which is only valid for the Primary Contact and must be used within 7 calendar days (Figure 2.1).

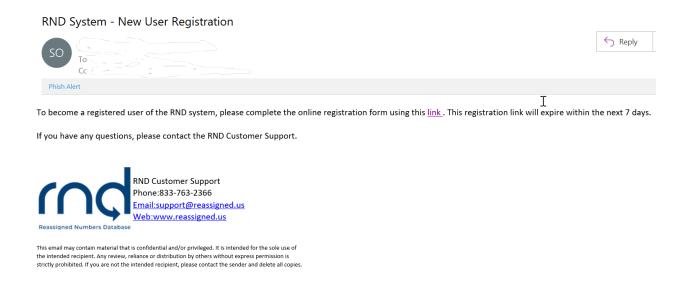


Figure 2.1

## 2.5 Step 5: Complete Online Registration Form

After the applicant selects the link within the New User Registration email, the applicant will be directed to the RND website and information will be collected in an online registration form.

- 1. User Information (Figure 2.2)
  - a. Username This will be used by the Primary Contact to login to the system:
    - i. Minimum of 6 characters, maximum of 25 characters.
    - ii. Letters and numbers are accepted.
    - iii. Special characters including exclamation point "!", dollar "\$", caret "^", asterisk "\*", underscore "\_", hyphen "-", period "." and "`" grave accent (backtick) are accepted.
    - iv. Must be unique in the system.
  - b. Name including First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name.
  - c. **Email** This will be set by the system based on information provided to RND Customer Support at the beginning of the registration process.
  - d. Work Phone including optional Extension and Text-Enabled setting.
  - e. **Secondary Phone** including optional Text-Enabled setting.

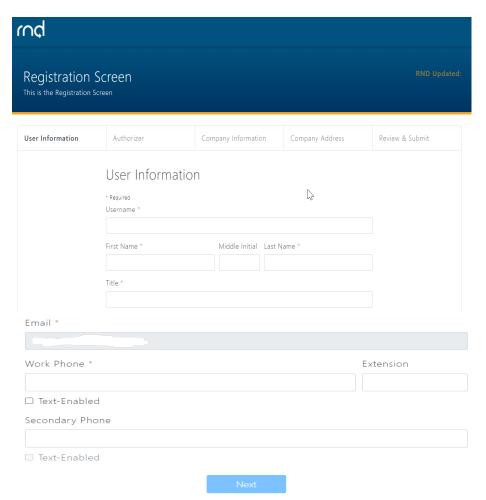


Figure 2.2

Please note that if the applicant fails to enter any of the required fields or enters them in an incorrect format, the **Next** button will not be highlighted and the applicant will not be allowed to proceed to the next step in the registration process.

- 2. Authorizer This information will be collected as additional information on use of the RND for the company (Figure 2.3). The Authorizer must be someone in your company, other than yourself.
  - a. Name
  - b. Title
  - c. Telephone Number and optional Extension
  - d. Company Name
  - e. Email

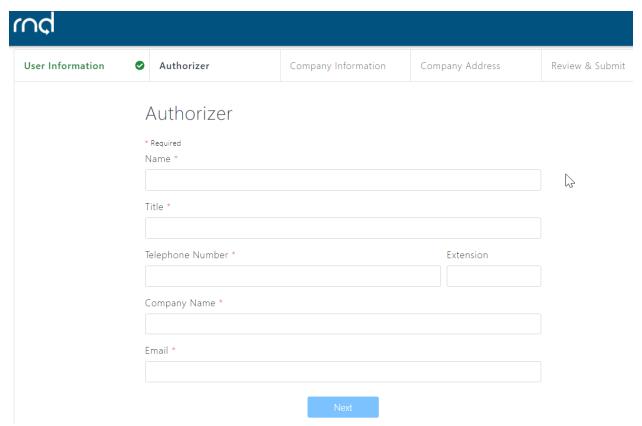


Figure 2.3

- 3. Company Information (Figure 2.4)
  - a. Company Identifier Enter a desired value or leave blank and select the Use System-Generated Company ID checkbox to have one automatically assigned by the system:
    - 1. Minimum 3 characters, maximum 10 characters.
    - 2. Alphabet and numbers.
  - b. Company Name
  - c. **Company Type** Service Provider or Service Provider Agent; will be set by the system based on information provided to RND Customer Support at the beginning of the registration process.

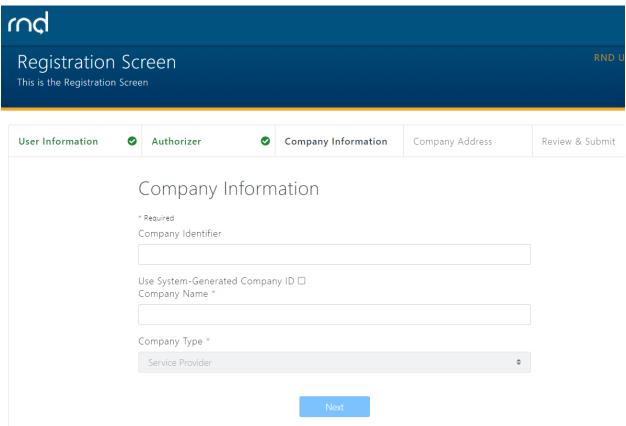


Figure 2.4

- 4. Company Address (Figure 2.5)
  - a. Street Address
  - b. City
  - c. State / Territory
  - d. Zip Code
  - e. Country

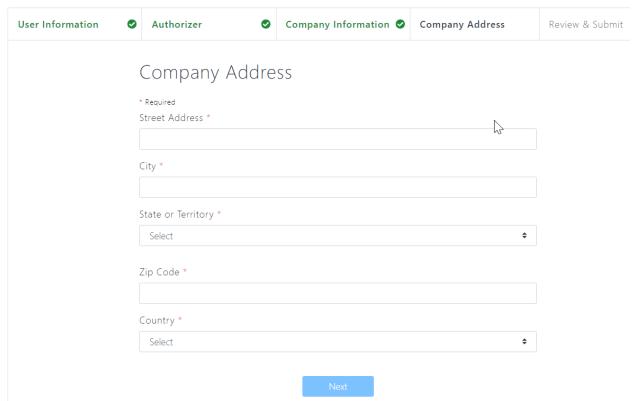


Figure 2.5

## 5. Review & Submit

- a. Review information (Figure 2.6).
- b. Click **Edit** for any updates to the information.

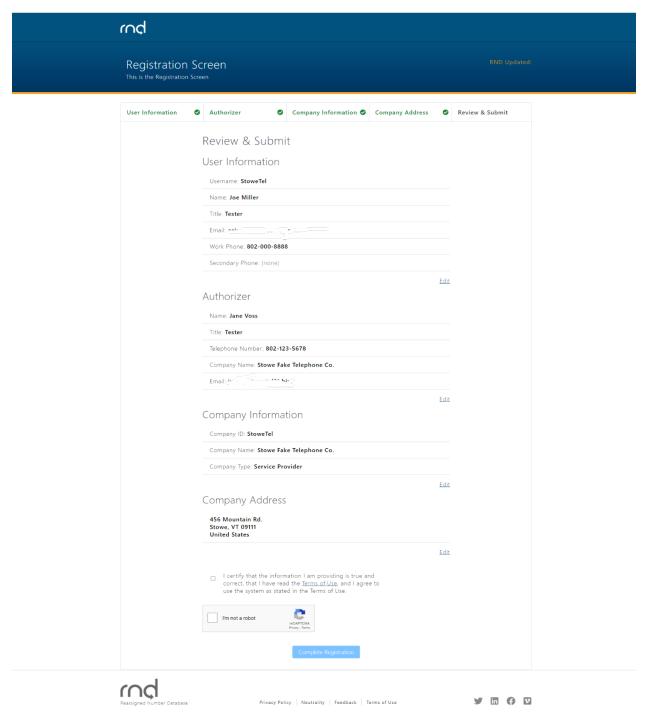


Figure 2.6

After selecting **Complete Registration**, the applicant will be notified of the successful submission (Figure 2.7).

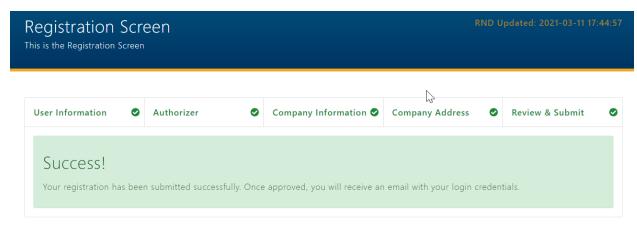


Figure 2.7

The applicant will also be sent an email notification of the submission of the registration application (Figure 2.8).

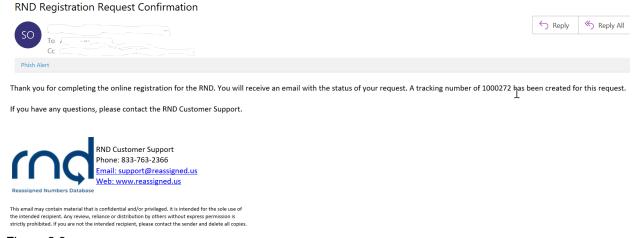
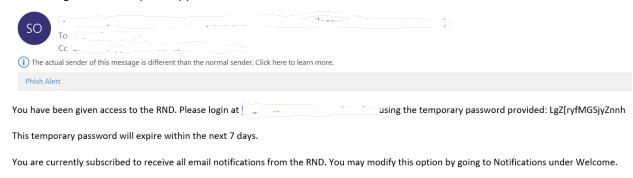


Figure 2.8

## 2.6 Step 6: RND Customer Support Review

RND Customer Support will review the submitted registration request by the Primary Contact within five business days. If approved, the Primary Contact will receive an email confirmation with information to login to the RND and a temporary password which is valid for 7 calendar days (Figure 2.9).

## RND Registration Request Approved



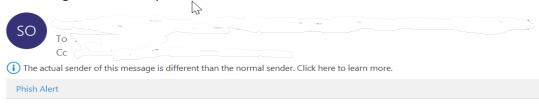
If you have any questions, please contact the RND Customer Support.



Figure 2.9

If denied, the Primary Contact will be sent an email with the reason for denial and may reach out to RND Customer Support with questions (Figure 2.10).

## RND Registration Request Denied



Your user registration request has been denied.

Denied Reason: TEST

If you have any questions, please contact the RND Customer Support.



Figure 2.10

## 2.7 Step 7: Login

After selecting the link in the approval email, the user will be directed to the Login to RND screen (Figure 2.11).

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	Login to RND  * Required Username *  Username is required Password *  Togin  Farsword is required  Forgot Username?  Forgot Password?
	By Logging in to the RND you are agreeing to the following: The user agrees and warrants that it, and any agent acting on its behalf, will access and use the reassingend numbers database solely to determine whether a number has been permanently disconnected since a date selected by the user, or its agent, for the purpose of making lawful calls or sending lawful texts. The date selected will be a date that the user, or its agent, reasonably and in good faith believes the person it intends to call or text could be reached at that number.
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Figure 2.11

After entering the **Username** and temporary password sent in the Approval email, the **Login** button will be highlighted (Figure 2.12).



Figure 2.12

After selecting the <u>Login</u> button, the user will then be prompted to change the temporary password sent in the Approval email to a new password which contains at least 16 characters with at least 1 upper case letter and 1 lower case letter (Figure 2.13).

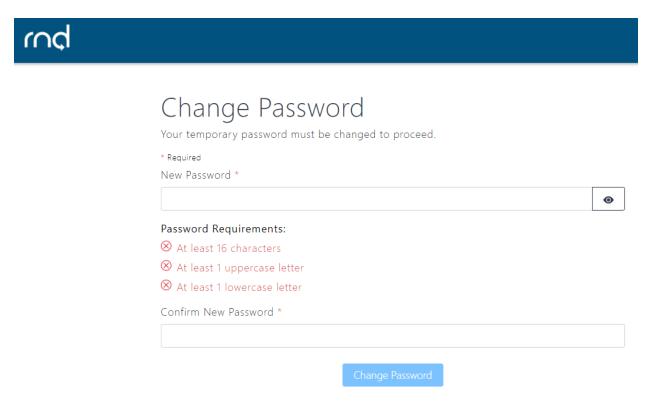


Figure 2.13

The RNDA recommends using a robust password such as a passphrase with combination of uppercase and lowercase letters, symbols and numbers. Passwords will expire every 180 days and the user will be required to set a new password prior to 180 days.

When a user's RND password is about to expire, email notifications will be sent to the user to reset the password (Figure 2.14). The notifications will be sent to 30 days, 14 days, 7 days, 3 days, and 24 hours before expiration.



Figure 2.14

After changing the password, the user will be prompted to perform Multi-Factor Verification (MFA) Set-Up (Figure 2.15). Please note that it may be a good idea to take a screenshot of the barcode with the key in case the computer and/or device is misplaced, etc.



# Multi-Factor Verification Setup

Before you may access the RND application, you must set up MFA following the steps below:

- 1. Install an authenticator app, such as Google Authenticator, on your <u>computer</u> or mobile device from the <u>App Store</u> or <u>Google Play</u>
- 2. Use this authenticator app to scan the QR code below:



Or manually enter your key:

7XWSPNAHVGGJL6VSI73D3YMZCAVXKS6EFRPDFREPXRSQRGNUN76Q

3. Enter the code generated by the authenticator app in the field below and click "Submit"

Verification Code \*

Submit

Figure 2.15

## 2.8 Step 8: Set Up MFA on Computer Browser

To set up MFA, there are two choices: Either install an Authenticator app, such as Google Authenticator, on your <u>computer</u> or install an Authenticator app, such as Google Authenticator on your mobile device from the <u>App Store</u> or <u>Google Play</u>.

When the user selects the <u>computer</u> link, the user's internet browser will redirect the user to add the Authenticator to the user's browser (Figure 2.16).

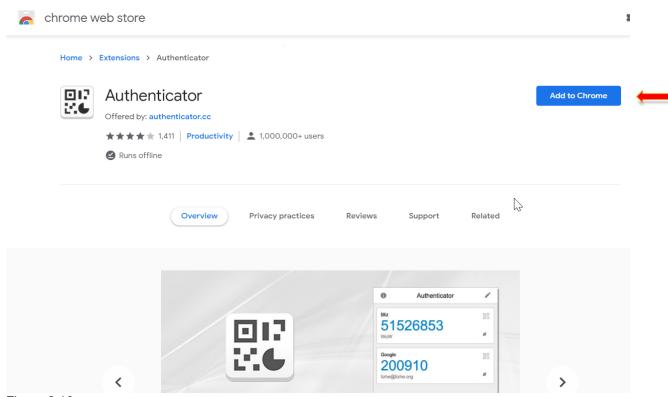


Figure 2.16

After adding the Authenticator, an icon will be added to the user's browser (Figure 2.17).

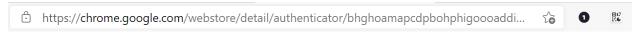
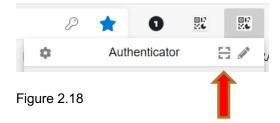


Figure 2.17



After selecting the Authenticator icon, the user will select an icon within the authenticator to **Scan QR Code** (Figure 2.18).



The user will then use the Authenticator app to scan the QR code or manually enter the key. A message will be displayed upon successful addition of the Username to the authenticator in the user's browser (Figure 2.19).

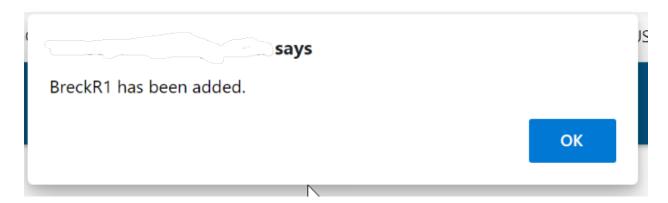


Figure 2.19

The user will then select the Authenticator and enter the code generated by the Authenticator in the **Verification Code** field on the MFA screen (Figure 2.20) and click **Submit**.

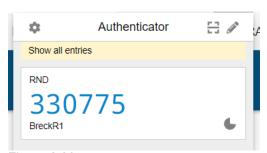


Figure 2.20

After successfully entering the Verification Code, the user will be logged into the system and the registration is complete (Figure 2.21).



Figure 2.21

## 2.9 Step 8: Set Up MFA on Mobile Device

To install an Authenticator app, such as Google Authenticator on your mobile device from the <a href="App Store">App Store</a> or <a href="Google Play">Google Play</a>, follow the steps below:

After installing an Authenticator app on your mobile device, open the app (Figure 2.22), and either scan the QR code (Figure 2.23) or manually enter the key that is presented on the MFA screen (in pink lettering).



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Figure 2.22

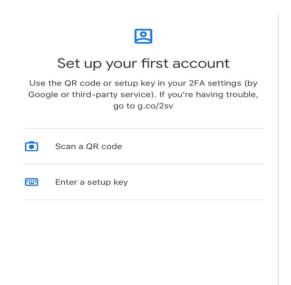


Figure 2.23

If the Google Authenticator App was previously downloaded to your mobile device, when you are opening the App, just click on the + sign which allows the option to add additional accounts. Clicking on the option to Scan a QR code will open up the mobile device camera in order to scan the bar code on the screen above (the MFA screen presented with under Figure 2.15) which will automatically add the additional account to your app. If the Enter a set up key is chosen, this will require manually entering a key,

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and it will be the key highlighted in pink on the MFA screen presented under Figure 2.15 above.

Regardless of which way the MFA is set up, the user will need to continue to use the same method and device for subsequent logins to the RND. It may be a good idea to save the original QR code, so it can be retrieved in case the original device is no longer available.

## 2.10 Editing the User Profile

The RND provides the ability to view your profile information. Edits can be made to Title, Work and Secondary Phone numbers. Edits to Name and Email require assistance from RND Customer Support.

To review Profile information:

1. Navigate to Welcome, **Profile** (Figure 2.24)



Figure 2.24

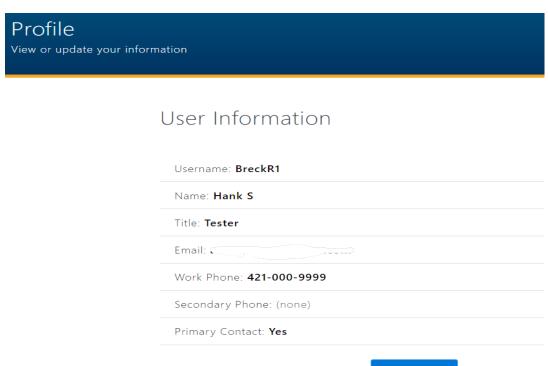


Figure 2.25

Click **Edit** to edit the information (Figure 2.25).

## Click Save or Cancel.

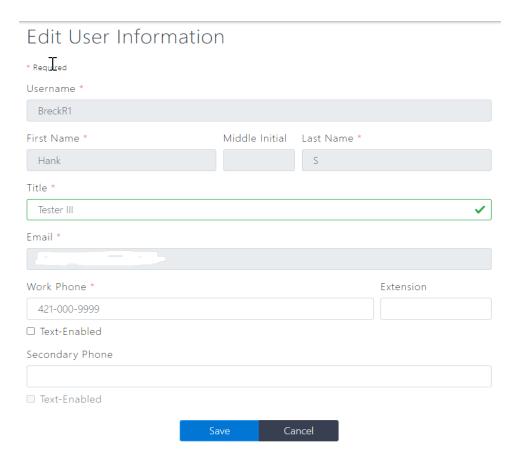


Figure 2.26

The user can log out of the system by selecting their Username and **Logout** (Figure 2.27):



Figure 2.27

# 3 Inviting Additional Users to a Company

The Primary Contact can invite additional user(s) of the RND for their company. By completing the registration, the Primary Contact is authorizing the additional user(s) to have access to the RND. To invite an additional user to the company after logging into the system:

1. Navigate to Welcome then select **Users** (Figure 3.1).



Figure 3.1

2. An option to **Invite User** will appear (Figure 3.2).

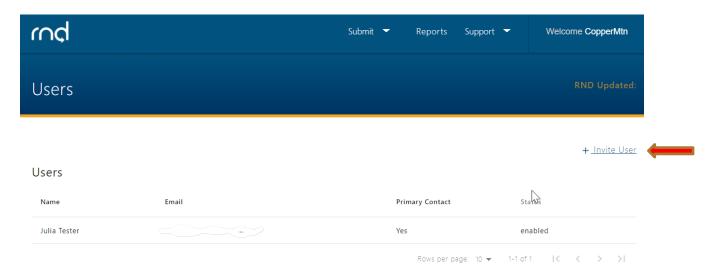
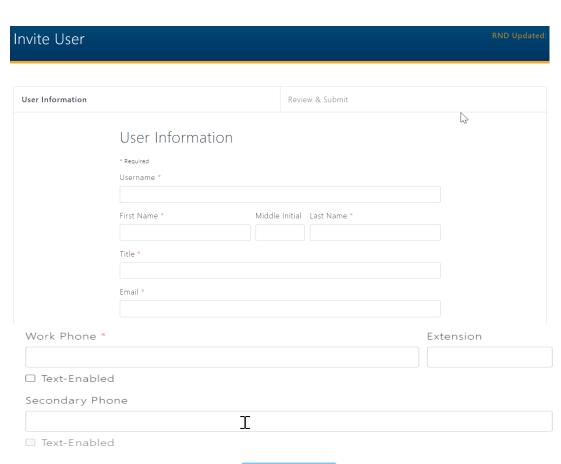


Figure 3.2



3. After selecting **Invite User**, enter the applicable User Information (Figure 3.3):

Figure 3.3

- a. **Username** This will be used to login to the system:
  - i. Minimum of 6 characters, maximum of 25 characters.
  - ii. Letters and numbers are accepted.
  - iii. Special characters including exclamation point "!", pound "#", dollar "\$", caret "^", asterisk "\*", underscore "\_", hyphen "-", period "." and "`" grave accent (backtick) are accepted.
  - iv. Must be unique in the system.
- b. First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name.
- c. Title
- d. Email
- e. Work Phone including optional Extension and Text-Enabled setting.
- f. **Secondary Phone** including optional Text-Enabled setting.

After selecting **Next**, the Primary Contact will have the ability to **Send Invite** (Figure 3.4).

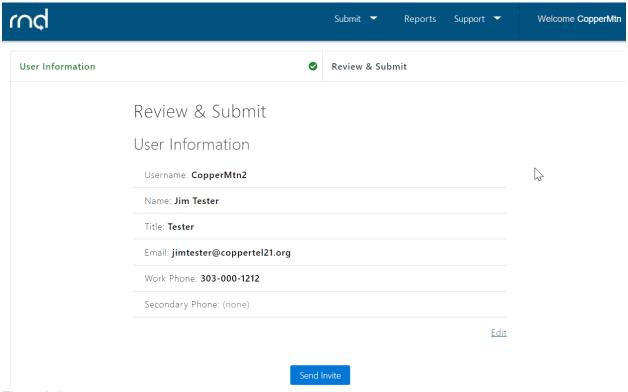


Figure 3.4

The Primary Contact will be notified of a successful invitation (Figure 3.5). The Primary Contact should notify the additional user of the Username that the Primary Contact selected for the invited user.

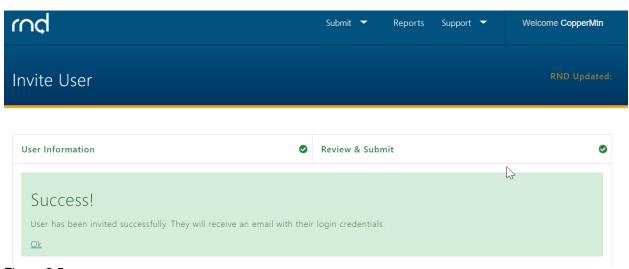


Figure 3.5

The invited user will be sent an email notifying the invited user of the ability to log into RND (Figure 3.6).

# Fw: Invitation to RND Application AC To Phish Alert I You have been given access to the RND. Please login at using the temporary password provided: piDZLXqklQwQeGPT This temporary password will expire within the next 7 days. You are currently subscribed to receive all email notifications from the RND. You may modify this option by going to Notifications under Welcome. If you have any questions, please contact the RND Customer Support. RND Customer Support Phone: 833-763-2366 Email: support@reassigned.usWeb: www.reassigned.us

Figure 3.6

After entering the Username and temporary password, the additional user will be required to change their password and set up MFA for their new Username as described previously for a Primary Contact (see Section 2).

## 3.1 Elevating Invited User

Once the Primary Contact is registered, the Primary Contact has invited additional users to their company, and those users have established their logins to the RND, it is possible to transfer the Primary Contact status to an invited user. It is also possible for a company to have multiple primary contacts for a company. Please contact RND Customer Support to coordinate changing or elevating users to Primary Contact status.

## 4 Client Companies – Service Provider Agents

## 4.1 Adding Client Companies

Service Provider Agents can add Client companies to their profile after logging into the RND:

- 1. Select Welcome, then Company.
- 2. Page down on the screen and select "+ add new client company" (Figure 4.1).

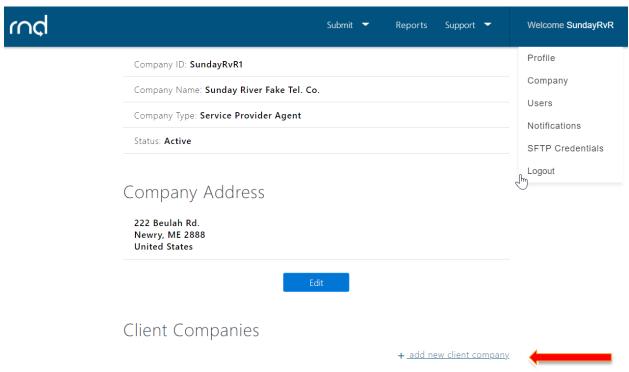


Figure 4.1

- 3. Client Company Information Enter the following information (Figure 4.2)
  - 3.1. **Company Identifier** The SPA can designate the Company Identifier or select the **Use System-Generated Company ID** checkbox to have the RND assign a Company Identifier. The Company Identifier must consist of a minimum of 3 and maximum of 10 characters (alpha and numeric accepted).
  - 3.2. **Company Name -** This is name of the Client company.

Add Client Company	RND Updated:		
Client Company Information	Client Primary Contact	Review & Submit	
Client Com  * Required Company Identifier	1/2		
Use System-General Company Name *			
	Next		

Figure 4.2

- 4. Client Primary Contact Enter the following information (Figure 4.3)
  - 4.1. First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name.
  - 4.2. **Title**.
  - 4.3. **Email**.
  - 4.4. **Work Phone** including optional Extension and Text-Enabled setting.
  - 4.5. **Secondary Phone** and optional Text-Enabled setting.

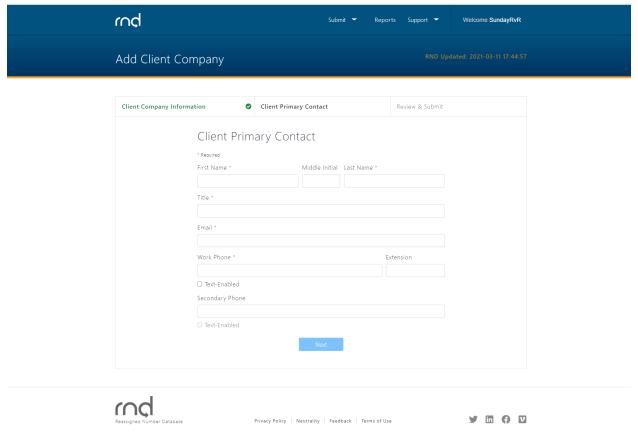


Figure 4.3

- 5. Review & Submit
  - 5.1. Review information entered (Figure 4.4).
  - 5.2. Click **Edit** to modify any information.
  - 5.3. Click **Add Client Company** to complete the request.

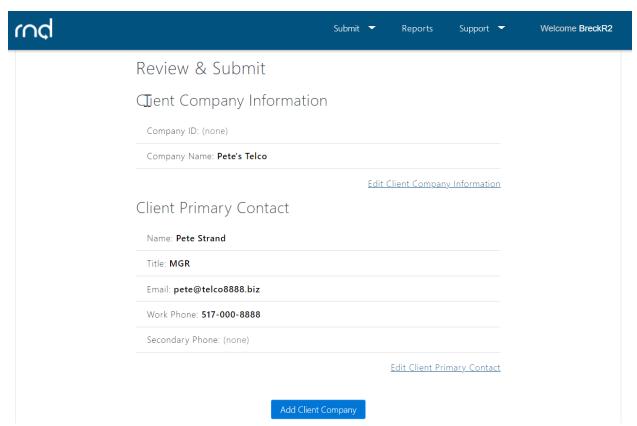


Figure 4.4

After selecting Add Client Company, the user will a notice of successful submission (Figure 4.5).

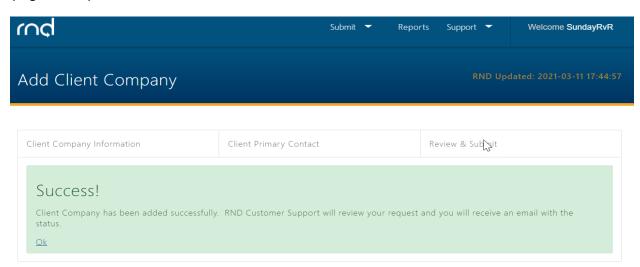


Figure 4.5

Addition of the Client company requires RNDA approval. Prior to approval, the Service Provider Agent can review the addition in pending status by selecting Welcome, then **Company** (Figure 4.6).

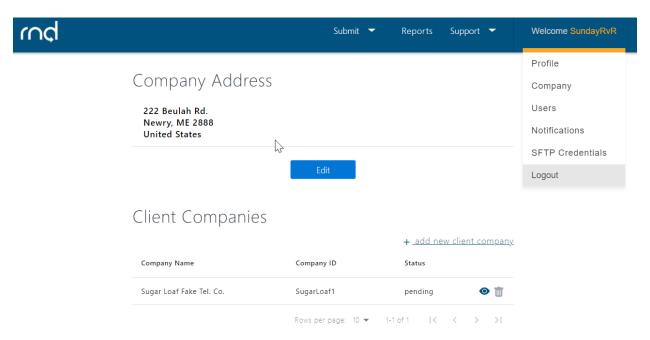


Figure 4.6

Once approved, the Service Provider Agent will receive confirmation of the addition by email (Figure 4.7).

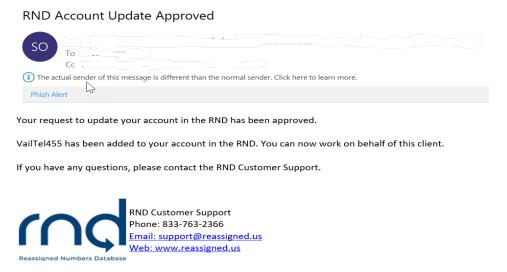


Figure 4.7

The Service Provider Agent can then check that the addition is in active status by returning to the **Company** selection under Welcome (Figure 4.8).

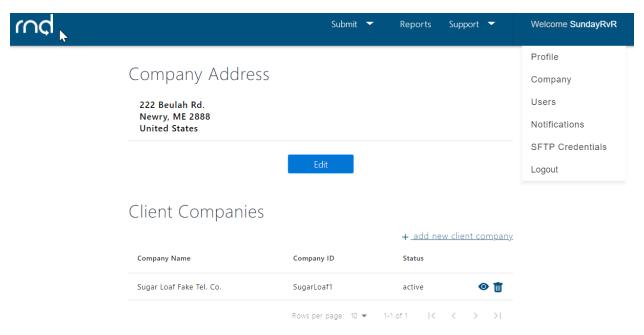


Figure 4.8

If the update is denied, an email will be sent to the Service Provider Agent with a reason for denial (Figure 4.9).



Your request to update your account in the RND has been denied. Test Client has not been added to your account in the RND.

Denied Reason: Test

If you have any questions, please contact the RND Customer Support.



Figure 4.9

## **4.2 Editing Client Company Information**

After a Client company is added to a Service Provider Agent profile, the Client company information can be edited.

- 1. Select Welcome [Company ID], then Company.
- 2. Page down on the screen and select the "eye" symbol to edit (Figure 4.10).

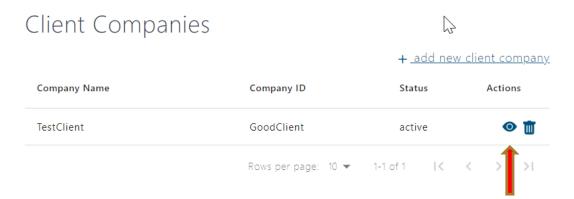
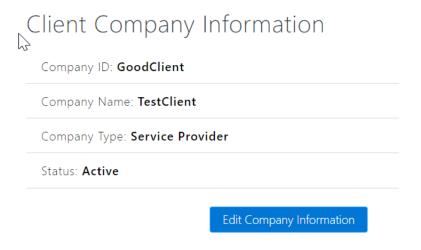


Figure 4.10

3. Client Company and Primary Contact information can then be changed by selecting **Edit Company Information** (Figure 4.11).



# Client Primary Contact

Figure 4.11

Client company information can also be deleted.

4. Page down on the screen and select the "**trash can**" symbol to delete Client company information (Figure 4.12).

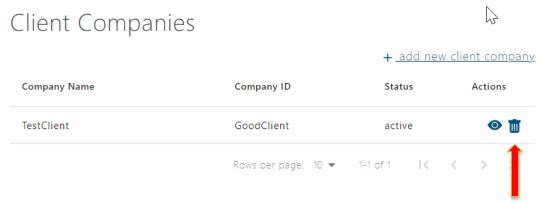


Figure 4.12

## 5 Notifications

Upon registration, SP and SPA users are automatically opted-in to receiving RND email notifications on these subjects:

- System Availability: Scheduled system maintenance and system availability issues.
- **User Education**: Updated forms, instructions and system user guides, new tools, system changes, personnel announcements, changes to RNDA processes, new items on the RND website, system user education opportunities.
- Database Updates: Notification of the availability of updated reassigned number database.
- **Data Submission**: INC guideline changes, data submission schedule/reminders, tips for data submission; other general information directed to data submitters.

To view and update email notification settings after logging into the RND system: Navigate to **Welcome**, **Notifications** (Figure 5.1)

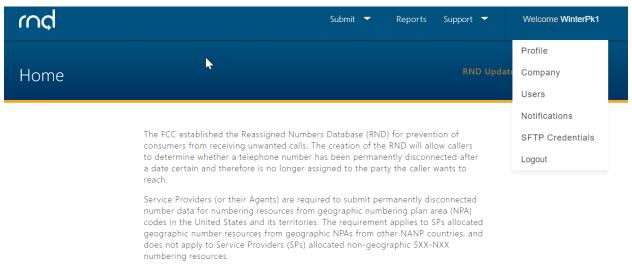


Figure 5.1

- 1. To update notification settings:
  - 1.1. Select **Edit** (Figure 5.2).

# Email Notification Settings

## System Availability

Scheduled system maintenance and system availability issues

## User Education

Updated forms, instructions and system user guides, new tools, system changes, personnel announcements, changes to RND processes, new items on the RND website, system user education opportunities

## Database Updates

Availability of updated reassigned number database

## Data Submission Notifications

INC guideline changes, data submission schedule/reminders, tips for data submission; other general information directed to data submitters

Edit

Figure 5.2

## 1.2. After modifying notification subscriptions, select **Save** (Figure 5.3).

# **Email Notification Settings**

# System Availability

Scheduled system maintenance and system availability issues

## User Education

Updated forms, instructions and system user guides, new tools, system changes, personnel announcements, changes to RND processes, new items on the RND website, system user education opportunities

## Database Updates

Availability of updated reassigned number database

## Data Submission Notifications

INC guideline changes, data submission schedule/reminders, tips for data submission; other general information directed to data submitters



Figure 5.3

## **6** Exception Messages

The following section describes various exceptions or error messages the user may encounter when registering for the RND.

The following are common validation error messages the user might receive while completing <u>Steps 1-5</u> of the registration process:

## Username already exists.

The user must select a unique Username and the system will alert the user that the user should select a different one:

## The Company ID is unavailable.

Please enter a different company ID to proceed or contact the RND Customer Support.

The following are common validation error messages that you might receive while completing <u>Steps 6-7</u> of the registration process.

 After setting up MFA, if the user enters an incorrect validation code from the authenticator, the user may receive this error:

## The code you have entered is not valid.

The user should enter a current and valid code from authenticator. The user should enter the 6 digit code from the Google Authenticator browser extension or Google Authenticator App on a mobile device, depending on which method the user chose for the MFA.

• If after logging in, the user wishes to edit the user's Work Phone but does not list one, the user will receive this error:

## Work Phone is required.

The user should list a work phone number in the required format (e.g., 555-303-4000).

## 7 Acronym List

Company ID - Company Identifier

ET - Eastern Time

INC – Industry Numbering Committee

NANPA – North American Number Plan Administrator

RND – Reassigned Numbers Database

RNDA – Reassigned Numbers Database Administrator

SP – Service Provider

SPA - Service Provider Agent

TN – Telephone Number

VoIP - Voice over Internet Protocol

YYYY-MM-DD – Year-Month-Day