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Yes, deactivated domain names can be renewed up until the domain name's *deletion date*.

If the domain name is deactivated because the registrant requested deactivation but then have a changes of mind, the registrar can reactivate the domain by "reclaiming" the deregistration request with a cancellation request.

If the domain name is deactivated due to an unpaid annual fee, the registrar must renew the domain in the normal manner (*renew*) to make the domain active again.

When the deactivation period expires, the domain will be transferred to an internal registrar and placed in a 7 day-quarantine. At this stage, the previous registrant cannot reclaim the domain name. The domain will be released when the quarantine period is over.