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| LIAISON STATEMENT FROM ITU COUNCIL WORKING GROUP ON COP TO ITU-D STUDY GROUP 2 - QUESTION 3/2 ON CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION |

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QUESTION 3/2 ON Child online protection**

**ITU-D Study Group 2 Question 3/2:**

**Securing information and communication networks:
Best practices for developing a culture of cybersecurity**

23 January 2024

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| **To:** | ITU-D Study Group 2 (SG2), Question 3/2 |
| **From:** | CWG COP |
| **For:** | Information |
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Following the [19th](https://www.itu.int/en/council/cwg-cop/Pages/First-meeting-after-PP-22.aspx) and [20th](https://www.itu.int/en/council/cwg-cop/Pages/Twentieth-meeting.aspx) meetings of the CWG-COP, the group sends this outcome reports to ITU-D Study Group 2 Question 3/2 on child online protection for information.

**The outcomes of the nineteenth meeting which was held on 10 October 2023 in Geneva, Switzerland were:**

* The chair underscored the event's success as evidenced by the substantial number of contributions received. Consequently, he suggested the formulation of a recommendation to be presented with the goal of extending the allocated time for the Council Working Group to one and a half days.
* The chair proposed enhancing the ITU Child Online Protection Council working group website including but not limited to integrating resources from the CWG-COP contributors to improve user access to presentations and resources shared.
* The chair advised to continue incorporating social media into the Council Working Group discussions through discussion panels.
* The chair provided participants with an overview of the submission process for Council Working Group on Child Online Protection contributions and informed them about the associated deadlines.
* Regarding the two resolutions presented by the Philippines, the chair suggested to the members of the Council Working Group on Child Online Protection that the Philippines consider the comments and suggestions from contributors and merge the two resolutions into a single one for resubmission in January.

**The outcomes of the twentieth meeting which was held on 22-23 January 2024 in Geneva, Switzerland were:**

* The draft resolution proposed and coordinated by the Philippines was adopted by the Group and will be sent to Council for endorsement. It was noted to include a footnote on the source of the numbers presented in the text.
* A Liaison statement will be sent to ITU-D SG2 on the outcomes of the past two CWG COP meetings (October 2023- January 2024).
* A Liaison statement will be sent to ITU-T SG17 informing SG17 about the contribution from euCONSENT on making the internet age aware.
* Recommendation to review the Council Res 1306 on the mandate of the CWG COP.
* Recommendation to define mechanisms to increase access and usability of the invaluable resources and information shared through the contributions to the group.
* Recommendation to enhance the template to better guide the contributors.
* Recommendation to allow follow up on contributions from past meetings.
* Recommendation to reinforce the topic of child sexual exploitation since this is one of the most dangerous crimes to children.

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