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ITU-T Study Group 20 is pleased to inform TSAG (TSAG-RG-WP) on its progress in preparations for the WTSA-20.

At the TSAG RG-WP rapporteurs meeting in August 2020, the chairmen of ITU-T Study Group 16 and Study Group 20, in consultation with the Study Group 2 Chairmen, were tasked with arriving at a compromise proposal for harmonizing their respective mandates. Consultations were held and a compromise proposal was found and submitted for TSAG’s review (ref. [TSAG-TD869](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSAG-200921-TD-GEN-0869/en)).

TSAG agreed upon this proposal as reflected in the conclusions on study group restructuring (ref. section 5.4 of [TD930-R1](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSAG-210111-TD-GEN-0930)) contained in the [report of the seventh TSAG meeting](mailto:https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSAG-R-0011/en) (virtual, 11-18 January 2021).

The set of Questions agreed by Study Group 20 to be submitted to WTSA-20 were endorsed at the virtual TSAG meeting, 11-18 January 2021. The set of Questions found in [TSAG-R22](https://www.itu.int/md/meetingdoc.asp?lang=en&parent=T17-TSAG-R-0022) became effective on 18 January 2021, for the remainder of the study period.

As ITU-T Study Group 20 plans to have its last meeting in this study period on 11-21 October 2021, depending on the Contributions received, discussions and decision of the meeting, it could propose additional changes at that meeting on the SG20 Questions and title, mandate, lead roles and points of guidance (WTSA Res.2).

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