



Annex 1

## ITU Regional Development Forum for Arab Region (RDF-ARB) Accelerating the digital development in Arab Region

Organized by the International Telecommunication Union with the support of the

Bahraini Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications

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### CONTRIBUTION FORM

Please note that submitted information will be presented during the RDF-ARB P2C Roundtables and it will also be reflected on the pledging platform of the Partner 2 Connect Digital Coalition.

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**ORGANIZATION:** National Communications Authority (NCA) of Somalia

**FOCAL POINT:** Ms Naima Hassan Dimbil, Director of Interconnection, wholesale and Universal access Department National Communications Authority (NCA) of Somalia

**TITLE:** Somalia CIRT development

**DESCRIPTION OF ACTION:**

-- The Somalia Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) implementation is a comprehensive and strategically vital initiative aimed at enhancing the country's cybersecurity posture and protecting its critical information infrastructure.

The primary mission of the Somalia CIRT is to detect, respond to, and mitigate cybersecurity incidents in order to safeguard the country's digital assets, critical infrastructure, and sensitive information. It works towards achieving the following objectives:

- Protecting government systems and networks from cyber threats.
- Enhancing the overall cybersecurity awareness and resilience of organizations and individuals.
- Fostering collaboration and information sharing among public and private sector entities.

**COUNTRIES in FOCUS:** [[Name countries to be impacted by this action](#)]

[Somalia](#)



**YEARS of IMPLEMENTATION:** [Tick the relevant boxes or delete the irrelevant items]

- 2023
- 2024
- 2025

**RELEVANT ITU REGIONAL INITIATIVE:** [Tick the relevant boxes or delete the irrelevant items]

- ARB1: Sustainable digital economy through digital transformation.  
including Pacific Island countries, and landlocked developing countries
- ARB2: Enhancing confidence, security and privacy in the use of telecommunications/Information and communication technologies in the era of new and emerging digital technologies.
- ARB3: Developing digital infrastructure for smart sustainable cities and communities.
- ARB4: Building capacities and encouraging digital innovation, entrepreneurship and future foresight.
- ARB5: Developing means of digital regulation.

Please find more information on the ITU Regional Initiatives 2023-2025, as defined by WTDC-22, <https://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Pages/regional-initiatives-2023-2025.aspx>

**RELATED ITU-D PRIORITIES AS DEFINED BY THE ITU WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE 2022**

- Affordable connectivity
- Digital Transformation
- Enabling policy and regulatory environment
- Resource mobilization and international cooperation
- Inclusive and secure telecommunications/ICTs for sustainable development

Please find more information on the ITU-D Priorities, as defined by WTDC-22, [here](#)

**RELATED ITU PRIORITIES AS DEFINED BY ITU PLENIPOTENTIARY CONFERENCE 2022**

- Spectrum use for space and terrestrial services.
- International telecommunication numbering resources.
- Inclusive and secure telecommunication/ICT infrastructure and services.



Digital applications.

Enabling environment.

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