

Contribution from the Russian Federation

PROPOSALS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

The coordinators of each Action Line identified in the Annex should periodically prepare a report on the implementation of the Geneva and Tunis Plans of Action based upon the information provided by, and the outputs from collaboration among, stakeholders, focussing particular attention on the progress towards achievement of the internationally-agreed development goals of the Millennium Declaration, and submit it to a defined coordination body. The head of a defined coordination body will submit regular reports to the UN General Assembly, following its existing rules of procedure.

To assign on determined coordinators the preparation of not only reports, but also detailed Global Coordination Programs (GCPs) for the respective Action Lines formed under a «bottom-up» approach on the basis of proposals from the states, regional and international organizations, private sector, civil society with the indication of terms, actors and sources of financing. The level of the activities included in these GCPs can be both international or regional and national or even business - units. The drawing up of GCPs will allow to provide the coordination and information exchange already at planning and implementation stages;

To appoint ITU as the coordinator of the Plan of Action.

Annex

Action Lines	[Moderator/Coordinator]
C1. The role of governments and all stakeholders in the promotion of ICTs for Development	--
C2. Information and communication infrastructure	-- ITU
C3. Access to information and knowledge	--ITU
C4. Capacity building	--ITU, UNESCO
C5. Building confidence and security in the use of ICTs	--
C6. Enabling environment	--ITU
C7. ICT applications	--ITU
● E-government	
● E-business	
● E-learning	UNESCO
● E-health	WHO
● E-employment	ILO
● E-environment	WHO
● E- agriculture	FAO
● E-science	UNESCO

C8. Cultural diversity and identity, linguistic diversity and local content	--
C9. Media	--
C10. Ethical dimensions of the Information Society	--
C11. International and regional cooperation	ITU
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B. Objectives, goals and targets	--
D. Digital Solidarity	--
E. Follow-up and evaluation	--