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# GSR-21 Best Practice Guidelines Consultation

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## Regulatory uplift for financing digital infrastructure, access and use

- Coordinated by **Ms Mercy Wanjau** Acting Director-General, Communications Authority, Kenya and **GSR-21 Chair**
- Adoption of the Guidelines by regulators on 21 June 2021 during the Heads of Regulators' Executive Roundtable
- Since 2003, the Guidelines have featured established regulatory mechanisms as well as tried and tested practices
- Contributions focused **on novel, bold, innovative and ground-breaking approaches and tools for digital regulation**, especially now while we are thinking of building back better

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## Regulatory uplift for financing digital infrastructure, access and use

### Main Topics:

- Inducing new, effective and agile **financing mechanisms** to digital infrastructure, access and use
- **Prototyping regulatory** patterns for the post-COVID-19 digital world
- **Transformational** leadership to unleash the power of emerging technologies and business models

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Inducing new, effective and agile financing mechanisms to digital infrastructure, access and use:

- ***Policies and strategies can trigger the multiplier effect of digital by providing predictability and direction***
- ***Investment is the cornerstone of the digital transformation***
- ***Regulatory tools are at hand to bridge the funding and financing gap in digital markets***
- ***A sharp focus on policy implementation is needed to ensure impact***
- ***Regulatory basics still apply***

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Prototyping regulatory patterns for the post-COVID-19 digital world

- *Novel regulatory tools can unlock the power of new and emerging technologies*
- *Spectrum innovation is key for the digital future*
- *Data is the silver bullet of digital regulation*

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Transformational leadership to unleash the power of emerging technologies and business models

- ***Regulators and policy makers are the master builders of the digital transformation***
- ***A regulatory paradigm shift is needed to deliver on the digital dividend for all***
- ***National regulators and policy makers have a role to play at the international arena***