

STATUS REPORT ON TELECOM SURPLUS PROJECTS

1. Project Title: Wireless IP Uganda (7UGA03004)

2. Brief Description: Three Wireless IP projects (Bulgaria, Uganda, Yemen) have been selected by the TSSC to pilot the use of Wireless IP technology for facilitating access in remote and rural areas to basic communications, Internet and to support a variety of specific applications (telemedicine, teleeducation, etc).

A Multipurpose Community Telecenter already exists in Nakaseke (Uganda) and the project extends the benefits of IP access to 9 new sites of this rural town (1 hospital, 1 local government office, 1 tribunal, 1 farmers association, 2 schools, 3 vocational training centers . The new network will support specific applications developed by the concerned institutions.