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Foreword by the Secretary-General

I have the honour to present the draft four-year rolling operational plan of the General Secretariat for the 2011-2014 timeframe.

The plan highlights the activities of the different General Secretariat departments, divisions and units, both in terms of their support to intersectoral programmes and their support to the work of the Sectors. It focuses on the General Secretariat resource requirements to implement intersectoral objectives and outputs. Sectors contribution to the implementation of intersectoral objectives and outputs are reflected in each Sector's operational plan.

As you may recall, the structure and presentation of the operational plan of the General Secretariat was significantly revised in 2006. This is the last year that this structure and presentation is used. A new format will be adopted for the operational plan of the General Secretariat from 2012, in line with the objectives and outputs of the Strategic Plan 2012-2015. A draft skeleton of the format is submitted for information in Document <u>C10/INF/9</u>. Your feedback and comments would be welcome so that the operational plan of the General Secretariat continues to be enhanced and refined to ensure it provides a transparent and valuable planning tool for the ITU membership, as well as for the management of the Union.

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PART I: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: MISSION, STRATEGIC ORIENTATIONS, OBJECTIVES AND PRIORITIES OF THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT

Mission, strategic orientations and critical success factors

- 1 The mission of the General Secretariat is to provide high-quality and efficient services to the membership of the Union, as identified in the Constitution and Convention and the Strategic Plan. The General Secretariat manages the administrative and financial aspects of the Union's activities, including the provision of conference services, planning and organization of major meetings, information services, security, strategic planning, and corporate functions (communications, legal advice, finance, personnel, procurement, internal audit, etc.). It also carries out other duties and responsibilities as identified in resolutions and decisions of the Plenipotentiary Conference, Council, Conferences and Assemblies.
- 2 The General Secretariat plays an essential role, both in its direct activities, in coordinating the Union's activities and in support of the Sectors, to meet the strategic orientations and goals identified in the Strategic Plan of the Union for 2008-11. In particular, it is involved in Goal 1 (maintaining and extending international cooperation), Goal 3 (widening the Union's membership), Goal 5 (continuing to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of ITU's structures and services), and Goal 6 (disseminating information and know-how). The General secretariat also provides strategic orientations for Goal 2 (digital divide), Goal 4 (cyber security) and Goal 7 (enabling environment).
- 3 From 2012, the General Secretariat activity will be dedicated to one strategic goal, broken down in 6 objectives, as identified in the Strategic Plan 2012-2015: effectiveness and efficiency in the planning, management, coordination and delivery of services to support the Union and its membership, ensuring the implementation of the financial and strategic plans of the Union and coordinating intersectoral activities as identified in the ITU Basic Texts.
- 4 To meet the demands of the membership and to attract new membership, the General Secretariat is constantly striving to improve its services and to organize its operations in the most efficient and cost-effective manner. Increasing use is being made of management tools and techniques (e.g. RBB, TTS, RBM) to facilitate the monitoring of outputs, measurement of costs, and finally the evaluation of results to make better use of resources and improve performance.
- 5 Critical success factors for the period 2011-2014 will be measured in terms of the effective and efficient response provided by the Secretariat to membership and, in particular, services provided for the implementation of PP-10 outcomes.

Priorities and outline of key actions

- 6 The period covered by the current Plan will present new challenges. Due to budgetary restraints, improved efficiency will be required to implement all planned activities and to provide the highest quality services to the membership. Key upcoming events include ITU TELECOM 40th Anniversary Celebration in 2011, as well as annual sessions of the Council and organization of meetings of Council Working Groups. Logistical support will be provided to meetings of the Sectors as well.
- 7 Efforts to modernize management practices will continue throughout the General Secretariat, as well as the progressive transformation to results-based management, better use of KPIs and introduction of new accounting standards in conformity with the UN system. The evolution to fuller use of the six official languages of the Union on an equal footing represents a key element

in the work of the C&P Department. Efforts to raise the visibility of the Union and to attract new membership are vital.

Intersectoral objectives and outputs in 2011

8 In accordance with the Strategic Plan 2008-11, the General Secretariat's five main intersectoral objectives are as follows (listed in no particular order).

Objective 1: Information to membership on activities and financial status

"To provide the membership, the Plenipotentiary Conference and the Council, Sector conferences and assemblies, study groups/working parties, with the necessary modern IT-infrastructure and other services for their work as well as with accurate, timely, coherent and transparent information on the ITU budget, programmes and activities and their financial implications, including the thorough application of the principles of cost recovery and the identification of new sources of funding, and with interpretation and translation services, documentation and publications, as required."

Objective 2: Effective management of the Union

"To progressively improve the efficiency of the operation and management of the Union, by proposing to the Council a sound and balanced budget, by ensuring financial accountability, including the implementation of a results-based approach with appropriate feedback mechanisms, effective and efficient management of conferences and meetings, cost-effective provision of information services, enhanced security, infrastructure and facilities, effective management of human resources and, where appropriate, outsourcing."

Objective 3: Intersectoral coordination of activities

"To facilitate the internal coordination of activities among the three Sectors in their external relations and corporate communications and where work programmes are overlapping or are related, so as to assist the membership in ensuring that it benefits from the full complement of expertise available within the Union."

Objective 4: International cooperation and agreements

"To further enhance international cooperation and, where agreed by membership, to develop innovative mechanisms for such cooperation, and to act as the depository of international treaties and agreements, consistent with the purposes of ITU."

Objective 5: Information exchange and ITU promotion

"To improve the exchange of information among the membership and to promote the activities of the Union in order to increase membership, encourage the use of ITU products and services, and raise the overall visibility of the Union within the ICT industry and the international community as a whole."

Structure of the operational plan

9 The complete four-year rolling operational plan of the General Secretariat for the period 2011-2014 is structured in the following manner:

- **Part I** discusses the mission, strategic orientations, objectives and priorities of the General Secretariat;
- **Part II** describes ITU's intersectoral outputs (description, link to intersectoral strategic objectives, activities, expected results, performance indicators, risk factors), and the General Secretariat resource requirements;
- Part III explains the General Secretariat support for intersectoral and sectoral outputs;
- **Part IV** provides an overview of resource requirements estimated for the timeframe 2011-2014.
- Annex 1 lists the general and specific activities carried out by the General Secretariat.
- Annex 2 provides a list of abbreviations used in the plan.

TO BE NOTED

Service level agreements (SLAs) covering documentation and other shared services are concluded for all intersectoral outputs. Information on documentation is available at <u>Annex J of Document C09/10</u>. For other shared services, SLAs will be drawn up as appropriate for Legal, Finance, Personnel, Procurement, Information Services, Security and Fellowship services to support each activity in accordance with the rules governing SLAs at ITU.

PART II: INTERSECTORAL OUTPUTS DESCRIPTION OF OUTPUT, RELATED ACTIVITIES, RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS, EXPECTED RESULTS AND PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

II.1 PLENIPOTENTIARY CONFERENCE

II.1.1 Description

II.1.1.1 The Plenipotentiary Conference, the supreme policy-making body of the ITU, is convened every four years (Art. 8 of the Constitution). The Conference sets the Union's general policies and, inter alia, considers reports of the Council on activities of the Union, establishes four-year strategic and financial plans and elects the senior management of the Union, the Member States of Council and the members of the Radio Regulations Board.

II.1.1.2 The <u>2010 Plenipotentiary Conference</u> will be held in Guadalajara (Mexico) for a period of three-weeks from 4-22 October 2010. The year 2011 will be broadly dedicated to the implementation of PP-10 decisions.

II.1.2 Link to intersectoral strategic objectives

II.1.2.1 The Plenipotentiary Conference contributes to four intersectoral strategic objectives, namely:

- a) Objective 1 Information to membership on activities and financial status
- b) Objective 2 Effective management of the Union
- c) Objective 3 Intersectoral coordination of activities
- d) Objective 4 International cooperation and agreements

II.1.3 Activities

II.1.3.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out by SG Departments to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.1.4 Resources

II.1.4.1 The figure and table below provide a projected breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for PP:



Figure II.1.1 – Human resources required to support PP ; projection for 2014 required to be similar to 2010 which is next PP year. As follows;

	Budgeted work months	Projection		
ITU Plenipotentiary Conference (PP-10)	2011	2012	2013	2014
SGO	8	4	4	20
SPM	7	4	7	54
C&P	29	15	29	243
A&F	5	1	5	60
IS	2	1	2	15
TELECOM Secretariat	0	0	0	1

Table II.1.A – HF	R (in work months	s) required to support PP
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II.I.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

PLENIPOTENTIARY CONFERENCE (2011-2014 timeframe)				
		KPIs		
Expected results	Description	Measurement	Risk Factor	
 Through the Council, the Plenipotentiary Conference is expected to provide effective and timely follow-up and support to implement its general policy decisions and lay the foundations for the work of the Union: 1. Establish the strategic and financial plans (cf. CS51, CV/Art. 5 and GR) 	 Trends in participation and contributions to PP Quality of output (Final Acts) and impact of decisions Media interest in ITU/PP 	 Number and diversity of contributions/issues Number and level of participation Ratification of FAs Signature of FAs (more appropriate than ratification since FAs are signed at the end of the PP?) Participant journalists & media coverage/reviews/citations/web visits Feedback & reports on activities/achievements (Int'l & National level surveys) 	 National political and socio-economic priorities Changing telecommunication environment Global financial crisis 	
 Review the activities of the Union (cf. CS50) in terms of strategy & policy implementation and financial & human resources management 	 Quality and timely reports on implementation Development & implementation of RBM processes 	 Adherence to CS/CV/GR provisions governing ITU documentation % reports prepared on time by Council & SG 	 Late contributions/Council reps Misunderstanding of RBM 	
3. Set the level of the contributory unit; approve accounts of the Union (cf. CS51A, 53, GR, FinRegs)	 Trend in ITU financial base Trend in other income (cost-recovery activities) Quality and timely input to Council on financial matters 	 Expenditure v/s budget (quarterly review) Accurate assessment of revenue base % increase in collection of debts % increase in other income (cost recovery) adherence to Financial Regulations 	 Increase in number of debtors Late contributions Inaccurate forecasts 	
4. Adopt general directives dealing with the staffing of the Union (cf. CS52, GR, Staff Regs&Rules)	 Trend in attractiveness of ITU as employer Trend in level of staff satisfaction and retention rate of key staff members Trend in innovation and learning and implementing staff training programmes 	 % increase in number and diversity of qualified applicants % staff turnover % of overall budget spent on training Adherence to Staff Regulations & Rules 	- Competition for HR	
5. Elect Member States to serve on the Council, SG, DSG and Directors of the Bureaux of the Sectors, and members of the Radio Regulations Board (cf. CS54,55,56 and GR, in particular election procedures)	 Trend in attractiveness of ITU and number of candidates Effective preparation at regional level Timely preparation and smooth and efficient election process 	- Number and diversity of candidates per region	 Difficulties in defining a clear majority Excessive number of ballots Difficulties in understanding election procedures 	
6. Conclude agreements between the Union and other international organizations, as appropriate (CS58)	- Trend in number + nature of bilateral and multilateral agreements	- Level of implementation of agreements/MoUs - Timely reporting to MS	 Lack of interest Difficulties arising during the negotiating process 	
7. Adopt amendments to the ITU Constitution and the Convention, and to the General Rules of conferences, assemblies and meetings of the Union (cf. CS57, CS 58A, CS Art.55, CV Art.42 and GR)	- Trend in texts adopted/modified - Trend in publishing: type and time to publication	 % input documents prepared on time by MS % documents & publications processed on time by Secretariat % variance documentation & publications: forecast v/s actual 	- Late contributions - Inaccurate forecasts	
8. Plan, organize, manage roll-out and evaluate PP10.	 Customer satisfaction Trend in number of agenda items and time allocated to PP Trend in cost of support for budget for PPs Timely processing and distribution of documents, reports and Final Acts 	 % MS satisfied with meeting preparation, roll-out & follow-up (survey) Completion of PP10 three-week agenda Adherence to PP10 time management plan and budget (& unit cost per delegate) % hours worked in overtime & impact Evaluation agenda items/time allocation/cost/output 	 Late contributions Inaccurate forecasts Conflicting demands on internal resources Controversial issues 	

II.2 COUNCIL & WORKING GROUPS

II.2.1 Description

II.2.1.1 In accordance with No. 68 of the Constitution, the Council acts as governing body of the Union on behalf of the Plenipotentiary Conference, in the interval between Plenipotentiary Conferences. It facilitates the implementation of the provisions of the Constitution, the Convention, the Administrative Regulations, the decisions of the Plenipotentiary Conference and, where appropriate, the decisions of other conferences and meetings of the Union. The Council is composed of 25% of the total number of Member States, at present <u>46 Member States</u>, elected by the Plenipotentiary Conference in accordance with No. 61 of the Constitution.

II.2.1.2 The dates for **Council 2011** have not yet been fixed. The Extraordinary Session of Council, at the end of PP-10, will have to take a decision on the dates of the 2011 session, taking into account the debates at PP-10. Provision is made in the 2010-2011 budget for a nine-day session to allow Council to adopt the budget for 2012-2013. Additional challenges will include implementation of the decisions adopted by PP-10.

II.2.2 Link to intersectoral strategic objectives

II.2.2.1 The Council and its Working Groups contribute to three intersectoral strategic objectives, namely:

Objective 1: Information to membership on activities and financial status Objective 2: Effective management of the Union Objective 3: Intersectoral coordination of activities

II.2.3 Activities

II.2.3.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out by SG Departments to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.2.4 Resources

II.2.4.1 The figure and table below provide a projected breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for Council and Council Groups.



Figure II.2.1 –Human resources required to support Council & Council Groups

	Budgeted work months		Projection	
Council & Working Groups-10200	2011	2012	2013	2014
SGO	20	20	20	20
SPM	46	46	46	46
C&P	132	132	132	132
A&F	25	25	25	25
IS	12	12	12	12
TELECOM Secretariat	1	1	1	1

Table II.2.A – Human resources (work months) to support Council & Council Groups

II.2.4.2 Details of additional resources required to support activities of the Council and Council Working Groups, e.g. Councillors' travel expenses, interpretation, additional staff, and other direct costs, are included in the biennial budget for 2010-2011.

II.2.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

COUNCIL AND COUNCIL GROUPS (2011-2014 timeframe)				
Expected Results		KPIs		
	Description	Measurement	Risk Factor	
1. Follow-up and provide support for implementation of general policy decisions of PP10, inter alia, effective follow-up actions to WSIS, continued study of ITRs, review of the Financial Regulations and Rules, improvement of HRM, use of languages, terminology and definitions in use of ICTs.	 Trend in participation at Council (MS Obs, SMs, Orgs) Trend in level of participation at Council Trend in texts adopted (Res/Dec) Trend in CWGs 	 Number and level of participation (incl. impact of HLS) Number and nature of CWGs Number and diversity of adopted texts Media coverage/web visits 	 Global financial crisis National priorities Demands to lead CWGs 	
2. Coordinate work of the General Secretariat and the Sectors; supervise overall management and administration of the Union between Plenipotentiary Conferences (ref. CS/Art.10, CV/Art.4, CV102, Council RoP, GRs):	 Effective preparation and timely transmission of Council documents and reports to MS on general policy, strategy and planning, financial and HR issues, and reports on activities and events of the Union: 	% actions launched on time % reports prepared and distributed on time	- Heavy workload - Lack of prioritization	
2.1 Monitor the implementation of the strategic plan, the biennial budgets and related operational plans; report annually on activities and expenditure; establish the draft strategic plan for 2012-2015 (cf. CS74A, CV62B, Council RoP and GR);	 Quality and timely preparation and publication of reports Timely preparation and transmission of information to MS to establish the draft strategic plan for 2012-2015 Effective implementation of RBM 	 Adherence to CS/CV/GR provisions governing ITU documentation % reports prepared on time by CWGs/SG % variance documentation & publications: forecast v/s actual % of input/output documents processed on time by Secretariat 	Inaccurate forecastsLate contributions	
2.2 Develop draft financial plan based on draft strategic plan, prepare corresponding biennial budgets; arrange for the annual audit of the accounts and approve thems; implement decisions taken by conferences with financial implications and report on other finance-related issues; draw up GS operational plan (cf. FinRegs, CV87A, Council RoP and GR)	 Timely delivery of financial operating report, budget implementation reports, draft biennial budget for 2012-2013, and auditors reports Timely preparation and adoption of operational plans 	 Adherence to the Financial Regulations % reports prepared on time by CWGs/SG/Ext.Auditor % increase in collection of debts Operational plan delivered on time throughout yearly approval process Harmonized operational plans 	- Debtors	
2.3 Monitor and review Staff Regulations and Rules and staff-related issues (cf. UN common system, Staff Regulations & Rules, Council RoP).	- Timely preparation and publication of reports on staff matters	- Adherence to Staff Regulations & Rules	Competition for HR	
3. Arrange for the convening of conferences and assemblies of the Union provide directives to the General Secretariat and the Sectors of the Union with regard to technical and other assistance in the preparation and organization of conferences and assemblies.	 Trend in number and venue of events to be organized Timely reflection and planning to establish the schedule of future ITU events for 2011-2014 	 % of HCAs approved and signed [3 months before event] Number & cost of preparatory missions 	Capacity of host countries to respect HCA	
4. Resolve questions not covered by the Constitution, the Convention and the Administrative Regulations; Coordinate and/or conclude agreements with international organizations, including the United Nations (cf. CS/Art.8, Art.50, CV269A, B&C)	- Trend in number + nature of agreements	- Level of implementation of agreements – Timely reporting to MS	Inaccurate estimation of the questions to solve Under-estimation of resources for follow-up action	
5. Plan, organize, manage roll-out and evaluate Council sessions, including the Council High Level Segment	 Customer satisfaction Trend in strategic issues discussed at Council HLS Trend in number of agenda items and time allocated to Council Trend in cost of support for Council Timely processing and distribution of documents, reports and Final Res/Dec 	 % MS satisfied with Council preparation, roll-out & follow-up (including HLS) Timely completion of Council agenda Adherence to Council time management plans Expenditure v/s budget (incl. unit cost per delegate) % documents & publication processed on time by Secretariat % hours worked in overtime & impact Evaluation: agenda items/time allocation/output/cost 	 Late contributions Inaccurate forecasts Conflicting demands on internal resources 	

II.3 - WORLD SUMMIT ON THE INFORMATION SOCIETY

II.3.1 Description of output

II.3.1.1 During the period 2011-2014, the main WSIS activity will be implementation and follow-up of the Summit outputs:

- a) Implementation of the Geneva and Tunis outcomes
- b) Moderation/Facilitation of action lines by ITU (C2, C5 and C6)
- c) Participation in other action lines as co-moderator/facilitator (e.g., C1, C3, C4, C7 and C11)
- d) Coordination of multi-stakeholder implementation as leading facilitating agency (e.g., through organization of WSIS Forums, action line facilitators meeting, or other related events)
- e) Chair/Vice-Chair of UNGIS and implementation of activities reflected in the UNGIS work plan
- f) Participation in CSTD and ECOSOC on WSIS related matters
- g) Maintenance of the WSIS stocktaking database and ICT success stories portal
- Research and publication of WSIS related reports and publications, including WSIS Stocktaking Report 2012 and 2014, Implementation and Country Case Studies, World Information Society Reports and others
- i) Organization of World Telecommunication and Information Society Day (May 17) and related events

II.3.2 Link to strategic objectives

- II.3.2.1 Linked to ITU goals in the 2008-2011 strategic plan, including:
 - a) Goal 1: Maintaining and extending international cooperation
 - b) Goal 2: Bridging the digital divide
 - c) Goal 3: Widening the Union's membership, extending participation and facilitating cooperation of an increasing number of administrations and organizations, as well as new actors, such as relevant WSIS stakeholders.
 - d) Goal 4: Developing tools, to promote end-user confidence, and to safeguard the efficiency, security, integrity and interoperability of networks
 - e) Goal 6: Disseminating information and know how
 - f) Goal 7: Development of an enabling environment

II.3.3 Activities related to WSIS

II.3.3.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out by SG Departments to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan. Other activities include:

- a) Coordinate ITU Activities as facilitator of WSIS Action Lines C2, C5 and C6 and their subgroups.
- b) Co-facilitate selected other WSIS Action Lines, including C1, C3, C4, C7 and C11.
- c) Maintain and improve the WSIS Stocktaking Platform, its database reporting system as well as social networking component, ensuring gradual growth of the online community;
- d) Prepare inputs to UN SG's report to CSTD and UN Secretary-General's report to ECOSOC and ITU participation in those meetings.

- e) Maintain and further develop WSIS related pages, including WSIS implementation page, UNGIS, ITU dedicated website, ITU implementation pages, especially on implementation of C2, C5 and C6, including Cybersecurity Gateway, as well as WSIS Stocktaking portal..
- f) Publication of WSIS Stocktaking Report 2012 and 2014, Implementation Case Studies, Country Case Studies, World Information Society Report, UNGIS Publication on Financing Mechanisms for ICT4D and other WSIS-related materials.
- g) Organize the WSIS related meetings including WSIS Forums, UNGIS meetings, UNGIS parallel meeting within the framework of the World Conference on Least Developing Countries,
- h) Coordinate with other UN agencies and programs (UNESCO, UNDP, UNCTAD, etc) and other initiatives (e.g., GAID, WEF).

II.3.3.2 Besides the active involvement of ITU in Action Lines C2, C5 and C6, ITU has undertaken many other activities related to WSIS Action Lines as follows:

- a) Action Line C3 Access to Information and Knowledge: ITU promotes universal access with equal opportunities for all to scientific knowledge and technical information
- b) Action Line C4 Capacity-Building: ITU's work focuses on three themes: Challenges and New Approaches in Building Capacity; Global Capacity-Building Initiatives, and The Way Forward
- c) Action Line C7 ICT Applications: Work on this Action Line includes e-science, eenvironment, e-agriculture, e-business and e-employment, e-health and e-government
- d) Action Line C8: Cultural diversity and identity, linguistic diversity and local content: ITU carries out a number of activities supporting cultural diversity and identity, linguistic diversity and local content.
- e) Action Line C9: Media: ITU carries out various studies for IPTV that will enable enhanced, media rich delivery of contents to users of ICTs
- f) Action Line C1 (The role of public governance authorities and all stakeholders in the promotion of ICTs for development) and Action Line C11 (International and regional cooperation): In accordance with its mandate, the ITU continues to foster international and regional cooperation.

II.3.4 Resources to support activities related to WSIS

II.3.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



	Budget work months		Projection	1
WSIS-10250	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	23	48	48	48
C&P	1	1	1	1
A&F	0,04	0,04	0,04	0,04
IS	0,29	0,29	0,29	0,29

Figure II.3.1 –Human resources required to support WSIS

Table II.3.A –Human resources (work months) required to support WSIS

II.3.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs):

World Summit on the l	Information Society (2011-2014	timeframe)
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors
• Play a lead role within the UN system i outcomes (As UNGIS chair or co-chair	ementation process, alongside UNESCO and UN n coordinating substantive policy issues related). lementation process as moderator/coordinator f	to implementation of WSIS
Organize meetings of Council WG-WSIS	Effectiveness and outcome of the meetings	Declining interest following conclusion of WSIS.
Ensure a leading facilitation role in the implementation of WSIS Action Lines together with UNESCO and UNDP.	Success, effectiveness and outcome of WSIS Action Line Facilitator meetings Increased coordination between Actions Lines Increased participation in WSIS-related meetings Key achievements in implementing WSIS Action Plan.	Declining interest of some Action Line facilitator in the WSIS implementation
Successful organization of WSIS Forums. Preliminary dates should be agreed and room bookings should be made as soon as possible.	Effective coordination, avoidance of duplication of efforts in overall process.	Insufficient coordination among all stakeholders.
Facilitate the coordination of actions with the Sectors, via the WSIS Task Force.	Avoidance of duplication/overlap with the work of the sectors Effective collaboration on the implementation of the WSIS action plan among sectors Definition of strategic guidance on ITU's role in WSIS implementation.	Leadership role of ITU challenged by other organizations, including within UN system.
Coordinate ITU's role in UNGIS	UNGIS members' satisfaction Raised visibility of ITU and ICTs in the UN System	Lack of interest from some members
Facilitate coherent annual reporting to show progress made in WSIS implementation.	Avoidance of duplication of efforts Timely delivery of the annual report	Lack of relevant information
Active participation in wider policy dialogue on WSIS issues.	Increased participation on policy dialogue on WSIS issues	Lack of interest
Increasing ITU visibility in ICTs and in WSIS	Stronger representation of the Union in	Inadequate and insufficient

implementation. Represent the Union in	relevant WSIS-related international	preparation within ITU.
relevant WSIS-related international meetings	meetings and conferences.	
and conferences.	Enhanced relation with the other UN	
	Agencies.	
	ITU positioning as a leading ICT player.	
Ensure the active participation in the WSIS	Increased participation in the WSIS Task	Insufficient human and
Task Force in providing advice and guidance	Force	financial resources.
to the Secretary-General on the current and	Effectiveness of advice of the WSIS Task	
future developments on the ITU WSIS	Force to the Secretary-General on ITU	
implementation.	WSIS implementation	

II.4 – ITU TELECOM

II.4.1 Description of output

II.4.1.1 ITU TELECOM output 2011-2014 will entail the organization and execution of ITU TELECOM Events. Resolution 11 (Rev, Antalya 2006), if revised by PP-10 as proposed, will state that events are to be organized on a "predictable and regular basis, taking due account of the need to ensure the financial success of such events."

This revised resolution does, however, include some key changes which will mean changes to ITU TELECOM's output 2011-2014, as follows:

New Event Frequency: Revised resolution 11 proposes that events are now to be organized "on a predictable and regular basis." The proposed new frequency would see a ITU TELECOM event held annually, alternating between a fixed location and, on the years when not in a fixed location, to be a rotated between regions and Member states.

New Event Format: Core focuses for the event will be networking, knowledge sharing- done through multiple summits and debates, and creating the environment and providing participants with the tools for deal making and consensus building.

New Event Features: Upcoming TELECOM events will incorporate new features, many of which were measures that were instructed to the Secretary-General in Resolution 1292 (Council 2008) and which were well received at the last World event. These will include Ministers/Heads of State debates, Forum panel debates, mainstreaming of the TDS, focus on the Telecom Village and networking opportunities and national, regional and thematic pavilions.

II.4.1.2 Taking into account these amendments, ITU TELECOM events seek- in the most effective way possible- to provide a "major networking platform" for the global ICT community. Under this "platform" the top names from both government and industry – drawn either from across the globe– can come together, meet, network, take part in groundbreaking debate and truly shape the world's future ICT landscape.

Showcase options will enable participants to display the latest technologies, while national pavilions will provide a way for different countries to showcase their ICT industries to a global audience.

II.4.1.3 ITU TELECOM events are commercial in nature, and represent a fundamental business platform for the ITU, providing a privileged link between the private and public sectors.

II.4.2 Link to strategic objectives:

II.4.2.1 ITU TELECOM events are related to ITU Strategic Orientation Goals 1 (international cooperation), 2 (digital divide), 3 (widening membership), 6 (information dissemination), and 7 (promoting the development of an enabling environment).

II.4.2.2 ITU TELECOM events contribute to General Secretariat objectives 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the strategic plan, namely:

- a) Objective 2: Effective management of the Union;
- b) Objective 3: Intersectoral coordination of activities;
- c) Objective 4: International cooperation and agreements;
- d) Objective 5: Information exchange and ITU promotion.

II.4.3 Activities related to the ITU Telecom events

II.4.3.1 ITU TELECOM activities can be categorized as follows:

- 1) General administration, policy definition and management
- 2) Venue selection and negotiations with Host Country and contractors
- 3) Product definition, promotion, marketing and sales (including production of material)
- 4) Client relations (including exhibitors, visitors, and VIPs)
- 5) Event operations (including build-up, registration, security, freight, event logistics, dismantling, service providers management)
- 6) Leadership Program (including Heads of States, Heads of Governments, CEOs)
- 7) Forum (Programme definition, speaker relations and on-site conference management)
- 8) Media and public relations
- 9) Financial services
- 10) ICTs (applications, network design and management, databases, office services)
- 11) Other administrative services (travel, personnel, headquarter logistics, etc.)

II.4.3.2 Activities 1 to 6 are mainly performed by the ITU TELECOM Secretariat staff, while activities 9 to 11 are mostly performed by other ITU staff and charged through cost recovery.

Expected outputs and results

II.4.3.3 The expected outputs for the years 2011 to 2014 are: ITU TELECOM 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011) and ITU TELECOM WORLD 2012, 2013, and 2014.

2011 detailed activities:

II.4.3.4 In 2011, the following activities will be performed by the ITU TELECOM Secretariat and other ITU staff on cost recovery:

- 1) General administration, policy definition and management
 - a. Contribution to Council 2011
 - b. Implementation of PP-10 decisions (revised Resolution 11).
 - c. Development of strategic relationships with key partners
- 2) Venue selection and negotiations with Host Country and contractors :
 - a. Venue selection for WORLD 12.
- 3) Product definition, promotion, marketing and sales (including production of material)
 - a. Product definition, promotion, marketing and sales for 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011) and for WORLD 12
 - b. Preliminary work, including concept and design, for World 2012.
 - c. Implementation of global campaign definition for 2010-2011
- 4) Client relations (including exhibitors, visitors, and VIPs)
 - Event manual production and client relations for 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011)
- 5) Event operations (including build-up, registration, security, freight, event logistics, dismantling, service providers management)
 - a. Preparation for 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011)
- 6) Leadership Programme

- a. Design and management for 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011)
- 7) Forum (Programme definition, speaker relations and on-site conference management)
 - a. Design and management of Forum Programme of 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011)
- 8) Media and public relations
 - a. Develop and implement a communication plan for 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011)
 - b. Revitalization of the ITU TELECOM Brand
- 9) Financial services
 - a. 40th Anniversary Celebration (2011) budgets
- 10) ICTs (applications, network design and management, databases, office services)
 - a. Update client relations management software
 - b. TELECOM database maintenance

II.4.4 Resources to support activities related to ITU Telecom

II.4.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.4.1 – Human resources required to support ITU TELECOM

	Budget work months	Projection		l
ITU TELECOM Events-12100	2011	2012	2013	2014
SGO	5	5	5	5
SPM	18	11	11	11
C&P	9	9	9	9
A&F	56	55	55	55
IS	40	34	34	34
TELECOM Sec	252	252	252	252

Table II.4.A –Human resources (work months) required to support ITU TELECOM

Further information on activities and resources can be found in Part III.4 (TELECOM Secretariat) of this plan.

ITU TI	ITU TELECOM (2011-2014 timeframe)						
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors					
ITU TELECOM 40 th Anniversary Celebration 2011	Hospitality Suites Number of Showcases Trade Visitors	Low Sales Low Number of Participants					
	VIPs Event Participants						
	Accredited Media Media Coverage Total Participants	Financial Loss					
	Financial Result						
ITU TELECOM World 2012, 2013, and 2014	Hospitality Suites Number of Showcases	Low Sales					
	Trade Visitors VIPs	Low Number of Participants					
	Event Participants Accredited Media						
	Media Coverage Total Participants	Financial Loss					
	Financial Result						

II.4.5	Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

II.5 - WORLD CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS

II.5.1 Description of output

II.5.1.1 Res. 146 (Antalya, 2006) resolves "that a world conference on international telecommunications (WCIT) be convened at the seat of ITU in 2012, on the basis of recommendations arising from this process of review". The cited process of review consists of two separate activities:

- a) ITU-T should undertake a review of the existing ITRs (International Telecommunication Regulations), engaging with the other Sectors as may be required, with ITU-T as the focal point; and
- b) The fourth WTPF (World Telecommunication Policy Forum, (see Decision 9 (Antalya, 2006)) should consider emerging telecommunication policy and regulatory issues, with respect to international telecommunication networks and services, for the purpose of understanding them ad possibility developing opinions as appropriate.

Res. 146 further instructs the Secretary General, following the above studies

c) To undertake the necessary preparatory arrangement for WCIT, in accordance with the applicable rules and procedures of ITU.

II.5.2 Link to strategic objectives:

II.5.2.1 Linked to General Secretariat objectives 3 and 4 in the 2008-2011 strategic plan namely:

- a) Objective 3: Intersectoral coordination of activities
- b) Objective 4: International cooperation and agreements

II.5.3 Activities related to the WCIT

II.5.3.1 In the 2010-2011 budget, this activity is funded under the ITU-T budget for the ITU-T review and under the General Secretariat budget for the WTPF. The review has been completed and the final report of the group has been presented to Council 2009. The WTPF has taken place and its outputs have been presented to Council 2009.

II.5.3.2 Council 2009 examined the reports of the ITU-T review and the WTPF and, by its Resolution 1312, created a working group to prepare for the World Conference on International Telecommunications (WCIT) in 2012.

II.5.3.3 That working group (CWT-WCIT) met twice prior to Council 2010 and reported its work to Council 2010. Having examined contributions from Member States and the reports of CWG-WCIT, Council 2010 set, in its Resolution 1317, the dates and agenda for WCIT-12. CWG-WCIT also prepared a report that it submitted to Council and to the Plenipotentiary Conference, and agreed a tentative schedule for its future meetings.

II.5.3.4 For planning purposes, this Operational Plan (as well as the Operational Plan for ITU-T) assumes that some preparatory meetings will take place starting in 2011. The ITU-T Operational Plan contains further details in that respect. The total number of planned meeting days is consistent with the tentative schedule agreed by CWG-WCIT.

II.5.4 Resources to support activities related to the WCIT

For planning purposes, the Operational Plan assumes that five preparatory meetings for WCIT would be held in 2011-2012 (total of 15 days) and a WCIT of 7 to 10 days will be held back-to-back with WTSA. This plan will be adjusted in accordance with decisions taken during the Plenipotentiary Conference.



II.5.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:

Figure II.5.1 –Human resources required to support WCIT

	Budget work months	Projection		
WCIT	2011	2012	2013	2014
SGO	3	3	0	0
SPM	2	2	1	1
A&F	6	6	0	0
IS	2	2	0	0

Table II.5.A -Human resources (work months) required to support WCIT

II.5.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs) for the WCIT WORLD CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS (2011-2014 timeframe)

	``	KPIs	
Expected Results	Description	Measurement	Risk Factor
Resolution 146 foresees the convening of the WCIT in 2012. Council would have to agree the agenda and issue the convocation at least one year in advance (Res 146; 49 CV; 35. 12, 5 GR; 2 CV). There may be preparatory meetings for the WCIT. These might start in 2011 and continue in 2012. Budget for such preparatory meetings would have to be made available.	Development of preparatory process by 2010, reflecting consensus on how to proceed, on the basis of the two review processes. Adequate budget allocated for preparatory process. Wide scale participation in the preparatory meetings. Efficient organization of WCIT in 2012 and elaboration of new ITRs	 % variance input documentation: forecasts v/s actual adherence to document work plans and time management plans % reports & materials processed within deadlines expenditure v/s budget (incl. unit cost per delegate) % membership and management satisfaction (survey) % hours worked in overtime 	Difficulty in reaching consensus regarding the structure or budget of the preparatory process for the WCIT.

II.6 – BUDGET, CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND COMMUNICATIONS

II.6.1 SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

II.6.1.1 Description of output, policy

After-service health insurance scheme

Health insurance scheme after separation from service: Staff members (and their spouses, dependent children and survivors) separating from service at age 55 or over are entitled to health insurance after such separation, provided they have worked at least ten years at the United Nations or in a specialized agency and were insured by the ILO/ITU Staff Health Insurance Fund during the five years immediately proceeding their separation from service. The same benefits also apply to staff members in receipt of a disability benefit from the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and to the members of the ITU closed pension funds, the SS&B Funds. This scheme is funded by the combined contributions of ITU (two thirds) and the insured persons (one third) and covered 737 retirees on 31 December 2009.

Cost-of-living allowance paid to Retired staff of the SS&B Funds

The cost-of-living allowance is paid from the Union's budget to members of the ITU Staff Superannuation and Benevolent Funds (SS&B). This allowance covers the difference between the benefit due from the SS&B Funds and that guaranteed benefit adjusted for cost of living. These are the set of funds that guarantee the pensions of staff who were in service prior to 1 January 1960, the date on which ITU became affiliated to the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund. They originally comprised several individual funds and accounts. At present remains the Provident Fund covering only one widow of retired staff members who were subject to the regime in force prior to 1 January 1949; the Reserve and Complement Fund, which pays out a number of retirement pensions and survivors' pensions; and the Assistance Fund, which serves to assist staff members and pensioners in difficult financial situations.

II.6.1.2 Trends and Strategy

After-service health insurance scheme (ASHI)

The cost of this scheme is expected to rise since the number of retirees opting for the scheme is increasing as well as the cost of the insurance. It must be noted that since 1 January 2008 an additional contribution equivalent to 30% of the retiree's own contribution is levied for dependent spouses. Furthermore, as of 1 January 2010, extra contributions of up to 20% of the retiree's own contributions will be charged for dependent children.

Cost-of-living allowance

Given that the funds are all closed, allowing no further admissions, the amounts paid out as allowances have decreased over the years. The number of periodic benefits paid continues to fall and stood at **81** at the end of **2009**. The related expenditure is therefore expected to decline during the period 2011 - 2014.

II.6.1.3 Link to intersectoral strategic objectives

II.6.1.3.1 The main objective is to ensure that ITU meets its social obligation towards former staff members who have acquired certain rights.

II.6.1.4 Activities related to social responsibility

II.6.1.4.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.1.5 Resources to support activities related to social responsibility

II.6.1.5.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.6.1.1 – Human resources required to support Social Responsibility

	Budget work months	Projection		
Social Responsibility-11100	2011	2012	2013	2014
A&F	12	12	12	12
IS	2	2	2	2

Table II.6.1.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Social Responsibility

II.6.1.6 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (2011-2014 timeframe)					
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk factor			
Adherence to plan regulations and rules	Adherence to plan regulations and rules	Regarding the cost of the ASHI, financial risk which is dependent on the number of the former staff opting for the scheme and their pensions			
Accurate payment of benefits	Timeliness and accuracy of benefits paid; processing deadlines	Difficulty in obtaining relevant information			
Provision of quality and timely client services	Client feedback	Inadequate resources to achieve result			

II.6.2 GS PUBLICATIONS

II.6.2.1 Description

The publishing output consists of the following product formats: physical (paper), physical electronic (CD and DVD), virtual (downloadable) and bundled (subscription). Publishing is carried out in the six official languages of the Union. The Output GS Publications include the following:

- Publications on Intersectoral activities
- Publications WTPF
- Final Acts
- Resolutions and Decisions of Council
- ITU Activities Report and Corporate Annual Report
- Global Directory
- WSIS publications
- ITU TELECOM publications
- Souvenirs and Royalties
- ITU News

II.6.2.1.1 ITU News

Council 2008 endorsed the proposal of the *Consultation Meeting on options for use of the six languages* to produce ITU News in six languages, in print and online as early as possible in 2009. The English version will continue to be produced in-house and production of the A, C, F, R and S versions are to be outsourced.

II.6.2.2 Link to intersectoral strategic objectives

II.6.2.2.1 The Union's publishing activities contribute to three of the five intersectoral strategic objectives:

- a) Objective 1: providing a modern infrastructure and services, providing publications.
- b) Objective 3: facilitating coordination among the sectors, assisting the membership to benefit from the Union's expertise.
- c) Objective 5: improving exchange of information, encouraging use of ITU products and services, raising visibility.

II.6.2.3 Activities related to GS publications

II.6.2.3.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.2.4 Resources to support activities related to GS Publications

II.6.2.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:





	Budget work months	Projection			
ITU SG-Publications-12000	2011	2012	2013	2014	
SGO	3	3	3	3	
SPM	54	54	54	54	
C&P	73	73	73	73	
A&F	6	6	6	6	
IS	2	2	2	2	

Table II.6.2.A – Human resources (work months) required to support activities related to GS Publications

II.6.2.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

GS PUBLICATIONS (2011-2014 timeframe)				
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk factors		
Number / accuracy / relevance of publications	Number and quality of publications	Low quality of documents		
Publications timely available in the six languages	Ratio of publications available in six languages within planned deadlines / total number of publications in the six languages.	Late submission of publications		
Quality of language versions	Reader satisfaction. Number of complaints	Insufficient staff / Short delays		
Production of high-quality content in ITU News, as the flagship magazine of the Union. The magazine's timely publication both in print and online in all language editions	Number of new readers added to the subscription database and ever-growing traffic on the magazine's website. Increased revenue from advertising. Readership surveys for both the print and online editions to gauge customer satisfaction and make the necessary adjustments.	Delays from outsourced company		

II.6.3 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, STRATEGY AND COMMUNICATION

II.6.3.1 Description of output and link to strategic objectives

Corporate Governance

II.6.3.1.1 Developing and maintaining sound relations with Members States and Sector Members; developing and maintaining sound external relations with the Host Country, private and public, regional and international organizations, the United Nations and its specialized agencies; providing the secretariat for the Plenipotentiary and other conferences and meetings of the Union; acting as the ITU's legal representative and depositary of treaties and other agreements concluded by ITU or under its auspices; managing the overall resources of the organization and coordinating its work; coordinating the implementation of the strategic plan; managing the Union's legal affairs, providing advice and legal opinions on a wide range of important documents including formal agreements and international treaties.

Corporate Communication

II.6.3.1.2 Providing a voice and visibility to the wide range of programmes, initiatives and other activities of the organization by, *inter alia*, defining and implementing a full range of communication and promotion activities targeting defined, corporate priorities and clearly identified strategic audiences and events; carrying out a press and public information function serving ITU management, major conferences, programmes and projects; developing informed constituencies, heightening and strengthening ITU's image as a dynamic, competent and effective organization to build or strengthen confidence; advocating a stronger and more comprehensive support for its work, thus facilitating broader membership; managing ITU's brand to enhance the perceived value of the Union through a series of products including its website and serves as a one-stop knowledge shop to the outside world.

Corporate Strategy

II.6.3.1.3 Initiating and coordinating the preparation of the draft Strategic Plan for the Union; Coordinating the development of an ITU Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework; Establishing key performance indicators related to the achievement of ITU's Strategic Goals within its mandate, and assessing progress towards these Goals; Assisting the Union and its membership, in close collaboration with the Sectors of the Union, with the anticipation and analysis of the challenges facing the telecommunication and ICT environment and their strategic implications; Assessing emerging trends in the industry and in ICT evolution, providing advice on broad corporate strategy and identifying key strategic objectives; Facilitating the internal coordination of the activities of the Sectors of the Union relevant to the achievement of ITU's Strategic Goals and supporting the implementation by the Sectors of work programmes in line with those Goals.

Gender mainstreaming

Resolution 70 (Rev. Antalya, 2006) and Resolution 48 (Rev. Antalya 2006) provide the broad framework for the mainstreaming of a gender perspective in ITU's activities. In accordance with these Resolutions, gender mainstreaming is considered as part of the intersectoral objectives of the Union. It is therefore appropriate to include ITU gender mainstreaming activities in the operational plan of the General Secretariat.

II.6.3.2 Link to strategic objectives

Linked to General Secretariat objectives 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in the 2008-2011 strategic plan

II.6.3.3 Activities related to Corporate Governance, Strategy and Communication

Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.3.4 Resources to support activities related to corporate governance, strategy and communication

II.6.3.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.6.3.1 – Human resources required to support Corporate Governance, Strategy & Communication

Corporate Governance, Strategy &	Budget work months	Projection		on
Communication 12300	2011	2012	2013	2014
SGO	56	56	56	56
SPM	176	176	176	176
A&F	22	22	22	22
C&P	31	31	31	31
IS	46	46	46	46
TELECOM Sec	1	1	1	1

Table II.6.3.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Corporate Governance, Strategy & Communication

II.6.3.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, STRATEGY & COMMUNICATION (2011-2014 timeframe)				
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors		
1. High ITU profile and more informed decision-makers and opinion-makers in government and industry	Timely dissemination of information to an expanding client base	Failure to attract new Sector Members and/or associates; withdrawal by existing members; Negative media coverage if		

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, STRATEGY & COMMUNICATION (2011-2014 timeframe)

	(2011-2014 timetrame)	
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors
		ITU fails to meet its objectives or conferences are not successful.
2. Strong support for the work of the organization and increased use of ITU products and services	Coverage. Benchmarking of how ITU is perceived in key target audiences. Sales figures on client base. Number of tracked web visitors to specific products and services	
3. High-quality and efficient services to the membership, including effective handling of the Union's communications and other customer services. Effective and efficient support for plenipotentiary conferences, the Council, conferences, assemblies and meetings	Number and quality of products and services developed. Timeliness of distribution of documents, materials and contributions for meetings and conferences	Poor evaluation of services and products to be developed
4. Support to substantive and operational units in communicating their achievements worldwide	Based on availability of media monitoring tools and related human resource, number of stories filed in relation to the number of press releases issued/number of articles placed in newspapers and magazines	
5. New communication channels between ITU, its various constituencies and external audiences in order to communicate ITU's message to a broader audience	Number and breadth of new contacts added to the database reflecting the breadth of outreach/number and effectiveness of distribution channels	
6. Enhanced relations with the United Nations and proactive participation to foster ITU's leadership role in ICT	Based on the availability of appropriate external technical resource, benchmarking of how ITU is perceived in the UN system on ICT leadership.	Lack of interest
7. Clear, accurate and transparent information to the Council as the basis for informed decisions	Council members' satisfaction	Lack of resources
8. Effective management support	Elected officials' satisfaction	*
9. Efficient provision of protocol services	Sound advice on official/diplomatic procedures and relations. Compliance with established protocol standards (visits, events, correspondence). Maintenance of up-to-date protocol databases and website	
10. Enhanced relations with members and other segments of the industry	Based on the availability of appropriate external technical resource, members' satisfaction with benchmark surveys. Net membership increase. Better understanding of ITU's role and increased support for the Union.	Poor survey/campaign Economic crisis
11. Representation of the Union	ITU positioning as a leading ICT player	Lack of visibility
12. Depositary of cooperative international arrangements and instruments	Number of arrangements for which ITU is depositary in relation to number of other depositaries chosen for ICT-related arrangements	Lack of interest Difficulties encountered during the negotiating process
13. Legal advice on administrative decisions, conference documents and contracts and agreements	Timeliness and relevance/soundness of legal advice	Workload (lack of resources)
14. Follow-up and effective implementation of Resolution 70 (Rev. Antalya 2006)	Benchmarking ITU's progress in: - capacity building; - incorporating gender perspective in its activities	Lack of interest Inadequate/insufficient financial resources
15. Building the capacity among staff to adopt a gender mainstreaming approach to all professional activities	Gender Balance Targets all professional activities	
16. Timely and accurate publication of reports to Council, PP10 and others, on issues related to the Mission of CSD (e.g.	Number of reports published on time Assessment of quality of Reports	Delay in obtaining relevant information

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, STRATEGY & COMMUNICATION (2011-2014 timeframe)

(2011 2011 timetrume)						
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors				
Emerging Trends, Cybersecurity, Internet Policies and Governance, Strategic Plan)						
17. Efficient coordination of intersectoral activities related to the Mission of CSD (e.g. activities relevant to the CWGs)	Assessment of stakeholders perception on the result/impact of Intersectorial activities Number of activities successfully organized	Lack of agreement in approaches by sectors				

II.6.4 CORPORATE STRATEGIC PLANNING AND EVALUATION FRAMEWORK

II.6.4.1 Description of output

This Output aims to coordinate the development and facilitate the implementation of an ITU Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework. In particular working closely with the Sectors in establishing key performance indicators related to the achievement of ITU's Strategic Goals within its mandate, assessing progress towards these Goals and preparing an Annual Progress Report on the implementation of the Strategic Plan, according to Res. 71 (Antalya. 2006).

II.6.4.2 Link to strategic objectives

The Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework is linked to all Strategic Goals of the Union and all Intersectoral Objectives.

II.6.4.3 Activities related to Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework

Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.4.4 Resources to support activities related to Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework

The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities for this output:



Figure II.6.4.1 – Human resources required to support Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework

	Budget work months	Projection		n
Corporate Strategic Planning and evaluation framework	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	14	14	14	14

 Table II.6.4.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Corporate Strategic

 Planning and evaluation framework

II.6.4.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

The table below provides a statement of expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs).

CORPORATE STRATEGIC PLANNING AND EVALUATION FRAMEWORK (2011-2014 timeframe)				
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk factors		
Progress Reports on the Implementation of the Strategic Plan including some measurements based on some KPIs are accurately and timely published	Reports to Council 10 and C11 noted with minor comments by Councellors. Quality of reports (by a survey)	Incoherence between data sources and storage methods across ITU		
By 1 st Q 2011, an ITU wide framework for performance measurement and reporting has been established	Report to Council 2011 on the ITU wide framework for performance measurement and reporting is endorsed	Differences between the 2008-2011 and 2012-2015 Strategic Plans could complicate the implementation of the framework as from 2012		
By 1 st Q 2011, a set of guidelines and procedures for data collection across ITU have been developed and are used by the Sectors in their OPs	Level of implementation by Sectors and GS	Lack of interest or cooperation by relevant stakeholders		

II.6.5 ICT PROJECTS

II.6.5.1 Description of output

Funding via the ICT Capital Fund to finance the procurement and development of major IT systems, covering both new systems and the replacement and upgrading of existing systems.

II.6.5.2 Link to strategic objectives

Goal 5 and Intersectoral Objectives 1, 2 and 5.

II.6.5.3 Activities related to ICT Projects

The complete list of activities to support this output is provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.5.4 Resources to support activities related to ICT Projects:

Budget resource of CHF 1'750'000 per biennium (CHF 3.5M over 4 years) is transferred to the ICT Capital Fund. Staff resources to execute ICT projects are accounted for mainly in the IS Department Operational Plan, with some Sector and other General Secretariat staff resources also being used. Cost allocation for all these staff resources is made according to the Outputs which benefit from the specific ICT projects.

ICT PROJECTS (2011-2014 timeframe)			
Expected results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors	
Project priorities are set in accordance with overall ITU strategy, established on a financial cost/benefit basis and governance process with consensus between the General Secretariat and ITU Sectors6	Link between project proposals, the Strategic Plan and the underlying risk management frameworks	 Lack of alignment with the ITU Strategic plan, the IM/IT strategy and the established risk management framework a) Missed opportunities b) Non compliant with the ITU recommended Control framework (COBIT) c) Inefficient use of resources 	
		Lack of adherence to standard project management framework could result in unclear deliverables, difficulty in managing projects, inconsistent methodology	
ICT tools and systems to support the changes needed to make ITU's business	Efficiency gains (speedier processes, reduced inputs, greater outputs), enhanced reliability and availability	Incomplete IT project portfolio Costly customizations instead of streamlining/changing business processes and procedures.	
processes more efficient ensuring business continuity and disaster recovery.		Fragmentation of the corporate IT architecture, and technical infrastructure	
		Not leveraging expertise and resources from Service Providers.	
Expedite work of ITU participatory activities: Study Groups, Forums, and	Satisfaction of users and Sector advisory groups	Inadequate SLA management prevents clear service definition and measurable performance	
Conferences.		Infrastructure services are not up to date with respect to performance, functionality and ease of use.	

II.6.5.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs) for ICT Projects

II.6.6 BUILDINGS INFRASTRUCTURE

II.6.6.1 a) Description

II.6.6.1.1 The buildings infrastructure output relates to the physical infrastructure of the Union, comprising the three buildings and related installations in Geneva owned by the Union. It includes conference facilities and various common areas used by delegates, as well as the cafeteria facilities.

II.6.6.1.2 The Capital Budget Fund is the source of project funding for all capital expenditure for the upkeep of buildings and facilities, the costs of major repair or maintenance works and the costs of maintaining and renewing the equipment of the restaurants, cafeterias and bars of the Union, not including the salaries of staff that organize and supervise construction / renovation projects.

II.6.6.1 b) Trends and strategy

II.6.6.1.3 The major trend within the Union has been the difficulty of allocating resources to the Capital Budget Fund sufficient to allow the needed maintenance works. The planning of minimum maintenance works for the next four years (2011 - 2014) aside from any allowance for works as yet unknown shows that a total commitment of more than CHF 76 million is needed, i.e. more than CHF 19 million per year. The recent strategy has been to stagger potential projects, by evaluating in

detail those projects of higher priority/urgency and to submit only those projects for executive approval: this strategy is not sustainable for the coming biennia.

The foreseen projects assume that maintenance is carried out on all three of the Union's Geneva buildings.

II.6.6.1.4 The projects listed in the tables that follow assume that maintenance is carried out on all three of the Union's Geneva buildings.

II.6.6.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.6.6.2.1 The buildings infrastructure output is linked to the strategic objective 'Goal 5' of Res.71 (Rev. Antalya 2006) 'Continuing to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of ITU's structures and services and their relevance to the requirements of membership and the wider global community.'

II.6.6.3 Activities related to buildings infrastructure:

Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.6.6.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

The tables below provide a statement of expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs). Since the 'buildings infrastructure' output requires planning beyond a four to five year horizon, information is also given for the period to 2015:

BUILDING INFRASTRUCTURE (2011-2014 timeframe)			
Expanded Desults	KPIs		
Expected Results	Description	Measurement	Risk Factors
Timely authorization and initiation of construction / renovation projects	New buildings or renovation of buildings on time, in accordance with ITU schedule.	Waiting period for the realization of the project	Unforeseen calls on facilities during the planned periods of works / incorrect evaluation of necessary works period.
Correctly executed and managed projects	Intensive follow up of quality, cost and time progress for each project.	General estimate, detailed schedule of the activities, analysis of the quality of the current and prior constructions, protocols of official acceptance of work.	Mistake in costs and time limits planning. Bad construction, failure of a company.
Cost-effective quality of buildings and facilities for delegates and staff	Search for acceptable quality for least cost.	Resolution 1142 of the Council of the UIT. Laws and regulations of the state host. Normes SIA (Société suisse des ingénieurs et des architectes).	Mistakes in cost and time planning. Bad workmanship, failure of a contracting company
For buildings projects: clear, accurate and transparent information delivered to the Union's management as the basis for informed decisions	Description of the projects, general estimate, plans, any relevant document, verbal explanations if needed.	Good management understanding, good decision-making, good execution.	Documents insufficiently clear.
Effective and efficient support of the Union's sectoral and intersectoral activities, including conferences and meetings	Preparation of meeting rooms. Technical support to the President in the starting up of the meeting.	Good progress of meetings. Satisfaction of the President and the delegates. No complaints.	Quality and availability of human resources.

Effective management support	Assistance and recommendation to management as appropriate.	Sound decisions by management	Limited visibility of the constraints of the Union.		
Projects planned to the end of 2011, dependent on financing					
Modification of low voltage cabinets: new -option to allocate current distribution flexibly between installations, both current and future.					
Replacement of emergency generator controller (Tower): increased reliability of emergency electricity supply in Tower and Varembé buildings.					
Replacement of surge compensation batteries: lowering of peak electricity consumption.					
The three projects above must be realised together.					
Rearrangement and renovation of "Salle des pas perdus" (Tower).					
Renovation of sanitary installations for delegates (men) in the 2nd basement (Tower).	KPIs as listed above		Funds from CBF		
The two projects above must be realised together.					
Complete renovation of pumps for rain/waste water drainage (Tower).					
Replacement of sunblind control system (Montbrillant).					
Refurbishment of hot water production system (Tower and Varembé)					
Conference room renovations (A, Popov, C)					
Anti-blast film to windows					
Delegate locker replacement (Montbrillant)					
Telepresence installations, and consequential delegate space reprovisioning					
Refurbishment of Tower garden area, including parking zones.					
Security works for centralised facilities, including electronic access restriction.					
ITU Visitors' Centre Project					
TV Studio					

Projects planned 2012-2015, dependent on financing			
Connecting to the "Genève Lac Nations" network if the contract is signed between ITU and SIG (Services industriels de Genève).			
Replacement of lighting of the Tower and works related			
Refurbishment of the kitchen and replacement of furniture and equipment, 15 th floor of Tower	KPIs as listed above	Funds from CBF	
Refurbishment of hot water production system (Tower and Varembé)			
Replacement of the façades of Varembé			
Replacement of radiators of Varembé			
Replacement of the façades of the Tower			
Replacement of the blinds of the Tower			
Waterproofing work of the "garden roofs" around the tower			
Furniture and machines for the cafeteria, 15 th floor of the tower			
Furniture and machines (kitchen) for the cafeteria, extension C			
Cold room extension C			
Air conditioning and ventilation offices, extension C			
Replacement of the compactus of the sales service and heat insulation of the premises			

II.7 - INTERSECTORAL COORDINATION

II.7.1 CYBERSECURITY

II.7.1.1 Description of output

II.7.1.1.1 Cybersecurity activities are related to:

- a) The intersectoral coordination of initiatives related to the Global Cybersecurity Agenda;
- b) Further elaboration of relevant policies and strategies to facilitate the achievement on ITU's goals in relation to the Child Online Protection (COP) and IMPACT initiatives. In particular, following a call by Secretary General launched for action on COP on all Members States;
- c) Facilitation of WSIS Action Line C5; and
- d) Facilitation of the implementation of PP-06 Resolutions 130 (cybersecurity), 140 (WSIS implementation) and 149 (security definitions and terminology)
- e) Facilitate the intersectoral coordination resulting from the implementation of WTSA-08 Resolutions 50, 52 and 58.

II.7.1.1.2 ITU organizes WSIS Action Line C5 Facilitation Meetings, proposes possible mechanism for measuring progress on C5 and participates in the organization of the WSIS Forum on C5 related matters.

II.7.1.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.7.1.2.1 This output is linked to the intersectoral Objectives 1, 3, 4 and 5 in the 2008-2011 strategic plan. It is directly linked to the Strategic Goal of the Union 4, and also linked to Strategic Goals 2, 6 and 7.

II.7.1.3 Activities related to Cybersecurity

II.7.1.3.1 Details of the general and specific activities carried out to support this output are provided in Part III of this plan.

II.7.1.4 Resources to support activities related to Cybersecurity

II.7.1.4.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.7.1.1 – Human resources required to support Cybersecurity
	Budget work months	Projection		n
Cybersecurity -12400	2011	2012 2013 2		2014
SPM	15	15	15	15
C&P	9	9	0	0
A&F	3	3	3	3
IS	 2	2	2	2

Table II.7.1.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Cybersecurity

II.7.1.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

CYBERSECURITY (2011-2014 timeframe)						
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors				
During 2010 – 2013, ITU's role as facilitator of Action Line C5 continues and C5's meetings and activities are successfully organized	Level of participation in WSIS action line C5 facilitation meetings Level of satisfaction of stakeholders (by means of a survey)	Lack of interest or cooperation by relevant stakeholders				
By 2011 the number of initiatives generated through the Global Cybersecurity Agenda has increased	Level of participation and support in the work of the GCA Number and impact of activities around the world generated through the GCA	Lack of support in the work of GCA from relevant stakeholders				
During 2010 – 2013, collaboration on Cybersecurity among Sectors and other stakeholders increases	Number and impact of new projects, initiatives, programmes triggered or facilitated by the work on Cybersecurity, in particular in the framework of Al C5's facilitation by ITU	Lack of interest or cooperation by relevant stakeholders Lack of coordination with Sectors				
By 1 st Q 2010, some practical tools to help governments, organizations, industry and educators minimize risk, are implemented (COP related result)	Number of Administrations having implemented the tools Number and geographical distribution of other entities using the tools	Lack of interest or cooperation by relevant stakeholders				
By 4th Q 2010 the percentage of Member States which have taken action in response to SG's call for action on COP has increased as compared to 4 th Q 2009.	Number of Member States that have taken action in response to SG's call for action	Lack of interest from Member States				

II.7.2 INTERNET POLICY AND GOVERNANCE

II.7.2.1 Description of output

II.7.2.1.1 The Internet Policy and Governance's output includes activities on IP-based networks (Res 101), Internet resources (Res 102), and IDN (Res 133).

II.7.2.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.7.2.2.1 This output is linked to the intersectoral objectives 1, 3, 4 and 5. It is linked to Strategic Goals 2, 6 and 7.

II.7.2.3 Resources to support activities related to Internet Policy and Governance

II.7.2.3.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.7.2.1 – Human resources required to support Internet Policy and Governance

	Budget work months	Projection		
Internet Policy and Governance	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	 12	19	19	19
C&P	1	1	1	1

Table II.7.2.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Internet Policy and Governance

II.7.2.4 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

INTERNET POLICY AND GOVERNANCE (2011-2014 timeframe)						
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors				
INTERNET POLICIES, GOVERNANCE and ACTIVITIES						
Providing effective secretariat support to various ITU bodies (including CWGs) in the area of Internet. This would include drafting information documents for the benefit of membership.	Number of meetings, participation level, and number of contributions received from membership	Support of membership				
During 2011-2014, active cooperation with other intergovernmental and international organizations is maintained and enhanced.	Number and impact of Open Consultations, Workshops, Forums and Seminars (co- organized by ITU)	Participation of stakeholders.				
During 2011- 2014, increased collaboration among Sectors on implementation of the mentioned Resolutions, avoiding duplication/overlap.	Number of sectoral and/or intersectoral activities related to the implementation of resolutions 101, 102 and 133	Lack of consensus in reaching an agreement among stakeholders on a common strategy.				

II.7.3 GMPCS

II.7.3.1 Description of output

II.7.3.1.1 By Council Resolution 1116 the Secretary-General acts as depository of the GMPCS-MoU and its arrangements, acts as the registry for terminal type-approval procedures and terminal types that have been granted type approval and authorizes the use of the abbreviations "ITU" as part of the GMPCS-MoU mark.

II.7.3.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.7.3.2.1 GMPCS related activities serve to fulfil the General Secretariat intersectoral objectives 1) to enhance international cooperation and develop innovative mechanisms for such cooperation and to act as depository of international treaties and agreements (GMPCS-MoU) (Objective 4); and 2) to improve the exchange of information among the membership and to promote the activities of the Union in order to increase membership, encourage the use of ITU products and services, and raise the overall visibility of the Union within the ICT industry and the international community as whole (Objective 5).

II.7.3.3 Activities related to GMPCS

II.7.3.3.1 The complete list of activities to support this output is provided in Part III of this plan.

II.7.3.4 Resources to support activities related to GMPCS

II.7.3.4 .1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output. C&P is not included in Table II.7.3.A due to the very limited amount of resources provided to this output (0,01 per year).



Figure II.7.3.1 – Human resources required to support GMPCS

	Budget work months Projection			
GMPCS-12500	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	1	1	1	1
A&F	1	1	1	1
IS	0,29	0,29	0,29	0,29

Table II.7.3.A - Human resources (work months) required to support GMPCS

GMPCS (2011-2014 timeframe)							
Expected Results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors					
Authorize the GMPCS-MoU Mark; Maintain the GMPCS-MoU Registry	Timely authorization to affix the GMPCS- MoU Mark on GMPCS terminals; Accurate registry information for the global circulation of GMPCS terminals	Scheduling and timing risks; Budget and personnel estimated incorrectly; Shortfalls in externally performed tasks: in number of terminal registered and in payments for cost recovery					

II.7.3.5 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

II.7.4 EMERGING TRENDS AND ICT EVOLUTION

II.7.4.1 Description of output

II.7.4.1.1 To assess emerging trends in the telecommunication and in ICT sector, with a view to

- a) providing membership with the necessary knowledge and capabilities to further leverage the benefit of a growing information society, as well as;
- b) providing advice on broad corporate strategy and identifying key strategic objectives.

II.7.4.1.2 To feed the results of the above assessment into ITU work programmes in order to facilitate or enhance the Union's role in the telecommunication and ICT sector, and in the international community as a whole, as well as, to propose options and any revisions to current ITU strategy that may be required to meet the strategic goals of the Union.

II.7.4.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.7.4.2.1 The Emerging Trends and ICT Evolution related activities serve to fulfill ITU Strategic Goals on bridging the digital divide (Goal 2), Safeguarding Networks (Goal 4), information dissemination (Goal 6) and fostering an enabling environment (Goal 7).

II.7.4.2.2 The programme is also related to General Secretariat objectives 4 and 5, namely:

- a) Objective 4: International cooperation and agreements
- b) Objective 5: Information exchange and ITU promotion

II.7.4.3 Resources to support activities related to Emerging trends and ICT evolution

II.7.4.3.1 The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.7.4.1 – Human resources required to support Emerging Trends & ICT evolution

	Budget work months	Projection		
Emerging Trends & ICT evolution -12610	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	24	24	24	24
A&F	5	5	5	5
C&P	4	4	4	4
IS	1	1	1	1

 Table II.7.4.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Emerging Trends & ICT evolution

II.7.4.4 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

EMERGING TRENDS AND ICT EVOLUTION (2011-2014 timeframe)

Expected Results	Key Performance Indicators	Risk Factors
Production and presentation to ITU Secretary-General of monthly executive briefings on Emerging Trends in ICTs which may include recommendations to adapt ITU corporate strategy to the challenges and opportunities of the ICT sector.	Number of briefings produced during the year (expected: 10). Average time between briefings Number of activities initiated as a follow up action from the briefings	Failure to identify relevant emerging trends Lack of interest Change of priorities by ITU senior management
Adjustment by Council of ITU's work programme as a result of the Emerging Trends outputs and feedback.	Number of proposals included into SG's report to Council, resulting from work on Emerging Trends and ICT evolution	Failure to identify relevant emerging trends Late submission Lack of interest
Increased and enhanced collaboration with other similar or overlapping initiatives.	Number of common activities initiated with other initiatives, e.g. joint publications with ITU-T's Technology Watch or collaboration with the Observatoire Technologique of Geneva.	Lack of interest by other stakeholders Lack of coordination

II.7.5 ICTs and climate change

II.7.5.1 Description of output

This Output aims to contribute to ITU and its Membership's work to lead efforts to increase awareness and promote information sharing on the role of ICTs in combating climate change, to study the issue of climate neutrality for all ITU activities and take appropriate actions, taking into consideration the United Nations commitment to lead by example, to work towards climate-neutrality in operations as well as to continue to cooperate and collaborate with other entities within the United Nations in formulating future international efforts for the effective addressing of climate change. Activities include coordination of ITU's activities on climate change through ITU Climate Change Task Force, participation and contribution.

II.7.5.2 Link to strategic objectives

II.7.5.2.1 The Climate Change related activities help to fulfil the Strategic Goals of the Union 1, 2, 6 and 7. It is related to the Intersectoral Objectives 1, 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Resolution 71

(Antalya, 2006); WTSA Resolution 73 (Johannesburg 2008) and WTPF Opinion 3 on ICT and the Environment (Lisbon, 2009).

II.7.5.2.2 The programme is also related to General Secretariat objectives 4 and 5, namely:

- a) Objective 4: International cooperation and agreements
- b) Objective 5: Information exchange and ITU promotion

II.7.5.3 Resources to support activities related to Climate Change

The figure and table below provide a breakdown of the human resources required to support activities and services for this output:



Figure II.7.5.1 – Human resources required to support ICTs and Climate Change

	Budget work months Projection		jection	
Climate Change	2011	2012	2013	2014
SPM	4	6	6	6
A&F	4	4	4	4

Table II.7.5.A – Human resources (work months) required to support Climate Change

II.7.5.4 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

ICTS and Climate Change (2011-2014 timeframe)					
Expected results	KPIs description & measurement	Risk Factors			
During 2011- 2014, collaboration with ICT industry to promote the use of ICTs to combat climate change is increased.	Number of conferences and meetings organized	Insufficient human and			
By 2011, within the mandate of the ITU, cooperation and collaboration with other entities within the UN in formulating future international efforts for the effective addressing of climate change is continued.	Number of accepted contributions to United Nations Conferences and publications from ITU. Number of accepted contributions to ITU events and publications from UN AFPs	financial resources. Lack of interest by other			
The report on the contribution to the UN Delivering as One on Climate Change is accurately presented to Council.	Report is noted by Council	stakeholders Lack of			
During 2011-2014, efficient secretariat support is provided to the ITU Climate Change Task Force.	Number of meetings organized and number of summaries of meetings posted.	coordination			

Transparent publication of ITU environmental performance	(Annual) ITU Environmental Footprint Inventory, conforming to UN Standards	Lack of contributions from managers
Creation and maintenance of Policy and Strategy on Operational Climate Neutrality	Validation of Policy and Strategy	Insufficient resources Lack of agreement

PART III: GENERAL SECRETARIAT SUPPORT FOR SECTORAL AND INTERSECTORAL OUTPUTS

Introduction

Within the context of Article 11 of the Constitution and Article 5 of the Convention, i.e. the General Secretariat provides services to the membership of the Union and serves and coordinates the activities of the Sectors in undertaking intersectoral activities as well as support for the activities of the Sectors.

Part III of this Operational Plan provides a statement of objectives and programme orientation for each Department of the General Secretariat, along with details of activities and human resources required to support activities for both intersectoral and sectoral outputs. Details of expected results, key performance indicators and risk factors related to achieving objectives are also provided for each Department.



Annex 1 to this plan provides a link to the detailed list of both the general and specific activities carried out by the General Secretariat to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs.

Annex 2 refers to the abbreviations used in this plan.

III.1 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Objectives and programme orientation/Description of main activities

III.1.1 The Secretary-General is responsible for the overall management of the Union and acts as its legal representative. He coordinates all administrative aspects of the Union's activities to ensure the most effective and economic use of its resources. The Deputy-Secretary-General assists the Secretary-General in the performance of his duties and performs other specific tasks entrusted to him by the Secretary-General.

The main activities are:

- a. Representation of the Union
- b. Management and coordination
- c. Legal advice
- d. Internal audits and enquiries
- e. Activities related to the work of the external auditor
- f. Participation in meetings, conferences and workshops
- g. Reporting

Legal Affairs Unit

III.1.2 The main objective of the Legal Affairs Unit (JUR) is to provide legal advice and assistance to the General Secretariat and the Bureaux on issues related to the functions, structure and activities of the Union. Major JUR activities for 2011-2014 will include: a) providing legal advice and support to the General Secretariat and the Bureaux in connection with the preparation and holding of conferences, assemblies and other meetings of the Union and TELECOM events, and providing advice and assistance in resolving procedural and substantive legal issues at such conferences, assemblies and meetings;; b) acting as secretary to Council working groups and providing legal advice to such groups; c) drafting and reviewing various legal instruments of the Union; d) drafting and reviewing administrative decisions and internal regulations ,rules and policies aimed at increasing the efficiency of internal administrative procedures and the functioning of the Union; e) representing the Secretary-General before the ILO Administrative Tribunal; f) negotiating, drafting and reviewing contracts, agreements and other legal documents.

Internal Audit Unit

III.1.3 The overall objective of the Internal Audit function is to support the activities of the Union with the aim of ensuring the effective, economic and efficient use of resources in achieving the overall goals, strategies and priorities set in the Strategic Plan. To this end the Internal Audit function helps managers to practice and promote economy, efficiency, effectiveness, transparency and accountability in managing the resources entrusted to ITU for its activities. The responsibility of the Internal Audit function is to carry out audits, inspections, investigations and other oversight work to ensure the effective, efficient and economical management and use of the financial, human, technological and intangible resources of ITU. The Internal Audit function reports to Secretary-General on the adequacy of internal controls to ensure compliance with the Union's regulations, internal instructions and established procedures. The Internal Audit function also acts as a focal point for external audit matters so as to ensure effective audit coverage and minimize duplication of efforts.

Ethics Office

The overall objective of the Ethics function is to reinforce and promote ITU ethics policies and ensure that they are clearly understood throughout ITU. To this end, the Ethics Officer: a) administers the ITU's financial disclosure programme in accordance with the Financial Disclosure Policy; b) undertakes the responsibilities assigned under the ITU policy for the protection of staff against retaliation for reporting misconduct; c) provides guidance to the Human Resources (HR) divisions to ensure that ITU policies, procedures and practices reinforce and promote the ethical standards called for under the Standards of Conduct and the Staff Rules and Regulations; d) provides confidential advice and guidance to staff on ethical issues; and e) develops standards, training and education, in collaboration with HR Divisions, and as appropriate, with his/her counterpart in other UN system organizations. The Ethics Office function reports to the Secretary-General.



Figure III.1 - SGO support to sectoral and intersectoral outputs and activities (chart based on RBB data for the period 2010-2011)



Figure III.2 - SGO breakdown of activities to support sectoral and intersectoral outputs

SGO	Budget work months		Projection	
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014
G6	24	24	24	24
G7	48	48	48	48
P2	12	12	12	12
P3	36	36	36	36
P4	12	12	12	12
P5	30	36	36	36
D1	12	12	12	12
E1	12	12	12	12
E2	12	12	12	12

Table III.A - SGO human resources required to support sectoral and intersectoral outputs

III.1.4 Expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

LEGAL AFFAIRS UNIT (2011-2014 timeframe)			
Expected results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk factors	
1. In respect of ITU conferences, assemblies and other meetings of the Union: Provision of timely and adequate legal advice and assistance, preparation of notes and statements for the chairmen. Preparation of procedural documents.	Timeliness and relevance/soundness of legal advice. Adequacy of legal instruments with decisions of relevant organs. Absence of challenges as to clarity or accuracy of legal advice.	Understaffing.	
 In respect of the negotiation, drafting and review of contracts/agreements: Protection and defense of the legal standpoint and the interests of the Union, and coherence in ITU contract policy Drafting and review of administrative decisions and internal rules 	Small number of contractual disputes arising from ambiguous or poorly drafted documents.	Understaffing. Lack of, or incomplete, information.	
INT	ERNAL AUDIT UNIT (2011-2014 tim	neframe)	
1. Audit reports according to the internal audit work plan approved by the Secretary- General	Percentage of completion of the approved internal audit work plan	Additional requests may interfere with the completion of the work plan	
2. Completion of ad-hoc enquiry reports requested by the Secretary-General	Timeliness of enquiry reports	Recommendations not implemented by respective managers	

3. Internal consulting requested by Elected Officials	Number of consulting tasks completed versus number of consulting tasks requested	Lack of response by respective managers to the external audit requests or reports
4. Effective liaison with the External Auditor	Number of unresolved issues between ITU and the External Auditor	
]	ETHICS POLICY (2011-2014 timefra	me)
Reinforce and promote the ethics policies and ensure that they are clearly understood throughout ITU.	Develop and implement policies, standards, procedures and practices on Ethics as well as outreach, training and education.	1. Low compliance level for filing financial disclosure statements.
		2. Abuse of Policy for the Protection of Staff Against Retaliation for Reporting Misconduct.
		3. Insufficient of resources for outreach, training and education.
		4. Complexity of harmonizing ITU standards, policies and practices with organizations across the United Nations system.

III.2 STRATEGIC PLANNING AND MEMBERSHIP DEPARTMENT

III.2.1 Mission of the Strategic Planning and Membership Department

The mission of the Strategic Planning and Membership Department is as follows:

- a) Anticipate and analyze strategic challenges and their implications for the Union in the fast evolving telecommunications/ICT environment and develop forward-looking strategic proposals to the ITU management team with a view to ensuring that the organization meets the objectives assigned by the membership.
- b) Plan and coordinate the corporative and strategic activities with a view to ensuring their accordance with membership objectives.
- c) Develop and maintain sound relations with Member States, Sector Members and other entities, the UN and other international organizations.
- d) Provide expert advice on communication and promotion strategies, and develop and implement the Union's corporate communication plan in cooperation with the three Sectors and with the view to promote ITU leadership in the field of telecommunications and ICT.
- e) Organize and provide secretariat services to the Plenipotentiary Conference, Council, and other meetings in the general secretariat in order to achieve a high level of involvement from member states and Sector Members.
- f) Initiate and coordinate the preparation of draft strategic plans.

III.2.2 Office of the Chief

Objectives and programme orientation

III.2.2.1 The Office of the Chief oversees the analyses of developments and trends in the telecommunication/ICT environment in the context of the global information economy and society, and assesses their challenges and implications for ITU. It also oversees the development of strategic options, proposals and plans relating to the purposes of the Union in a changing environment. It initiates and coordinates the development of the draft strategic plan of the Union, and directs the preparation of reports and publications entrusted by ITU's competent authorities. In cooperation with the Bureaux, the Office plans, directs and reviews cross-sector activities of the Union, such as the World Telecommunication Policy Forum, and World Telecommunication and Information Society Day (WTISD) celebrations and related events; it also directs the development of plans for implementing the results of the World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS). The Office oversees the development and management of ITU's sound relations with Member States and Sector Members; with the United Nations and its specialized agencies and other international organizations; with regional and subregional telecommunication organizations; with satellite organizations; with non-governmental international organizations, and with academic institutions. It is also called upon to direct ITU's corporate communication programme, promoting the Union's leadership role in the international community. It provides expert advice to the Secretary-General and senior managers on communication strategies and opportunities to enhance ITU's public image. It oversees and organizes the services of the Secretariat to the Council, Plenipotentiary Conference and other conferences of the Union. The Office supervises the Corporate Governance and Membership Division (CGM), the External Affairs and Corporate Communication Division (EACC) and the Corporate Strategy Division (CSD) and the liaison office in New York.

III.2.2.2 The main activities of the Office are:

a) Overall coordination of the draft strategic plan of the Union.

- b) Overall planning, management and coordination of Council sessions and follow-up of Council activities, including provision of the executive secretariat for Council and working group meetings. This involves report writing and editing; supporting meetings of the Troika; advising management; implementing recommendations for reform; preparing agendas; coordinating the preparation of reports; producing summary records, and coordinating follow-up activities.
- c) Overall planning, management and coordination of Plenipotentiary Conferences and followup activities, including taking the role of Executive Secretary of the Plenipotentiary Conference. This involves coordination of substantive preparation with the conference's host country; acting as chairman of the Plenipotentiary Preparatory Group; briefing the Chairman-designate of the Plenipotentiary Conference; advising management; preparing conference schedules and agendas; coordinating the preparation of reports; producing summary records, and coordinating follow-up.
- d) Overall planning and follow-up of meetings of the Coordination Committee and Management Coordination Group.
- e) Provision of strategic advice to the Secretary-General.
- f) Preparation of ITU's participation in CEB and representation at HLCP, including preparation and coordination of ITU's substantive contributions.
- g) Coordination and preparation of reports to the United Nations, and coordination of followup activities entrusted to ITU.
- h) Coordination of ITU's participation in UNDG, ECOSOC, and GAID.
- i) Preparation of ITU's participation in UNGIS and coordination of WSIS Action Line meetings.
- j) Overall planning, management and coordination of the WTPF, WTISD and of the ITU website.

III.2.3 Corporate Governance and Membership Division (CGM)

Objectives and programme orientation/Priorities and activities

III.2.3.1 In the corporate governance and coordination part of CGM, the main objective is to plan, organize and coordinate the work of intersectoral (SG) conferences and meetings (PP, Council, Council Working Groups). While identifying substantive, administrative and logistical issues that must be addressed by conferences and meetings, the Division's achievements will be measured in terms of improved functioning and efficiency of events, improved operational and financial planning, analytical reporting, budget controls, and improved overall customer service. Coherent with PP and Council decisions, CGM will continue to develop new and improved document management strategies and work methods to ensure deliverables to conferences in an efficient, effective, economic and ethical manner. CGM shares responsibility with peers for the implementation of many cross-organizational PP and Council decisions and provides substantive input to working groups as required. In collaboration with SG Departments, CGM formulates a streamlined and comprehensive operational plan for the general secretariat and ensures appropriate and rationalized linkages to the other planning instruments (strategic and financial plans) together with the necessary assessment of its financial implications, based on Resolution 72. It also provides guidelines for reporting on activities, and ensures the consolidation and publication of the annual report on activities of the Union to Council, the publication of Council rules of procedure, resolutions and decisions, and the final acts of plenipotentiary conferences.

III.2.3.2 The Membership part of CGM manages effective relations with Member States, Sector Members and Associates, and other entities from the business community and civil society dealing with telecommunications and its activities include: handling membership inquires, follow-up and applications; maintaining membership records, preparing and publishing membership information in the Global Directory; publishing official notifications of the deposit of instruments by Member States and their position in relation to the basic instruments and status reports, including the right to vote; managing membership access to a number of services, including TIES accounts; conducting consultations of the Member States; and preparing documents for Council on its activities.

III.2.4 External Affairs & Corporate Communication Division (EACC)

Objectives and programme orientation

III.2.4.1 Main objectives of the External Affairs and Corporate Communication Division (EACC) are two fold:

- to manage effective relations with permanent missions of Member States to UN organizations, the UN System, international organizations and other entities from the business community and civil society dealing with telecommunication matters; and
- 2) to promote and manage the ITU brand in order to raise ITU's visibility worldwide, especially within the ICT industry; design and implement a full range of promotion and communications activities around defined corporate priorities; to maintain sound relations with the media, the ICT community, academia and the general public; carry out a press and public information function; implement effective public relations activities.

Description of main activities

External Affairs

a) Develop and maintain good relations with the Permanent Missions to UN organizations and the UN System. Provide advice on and coordinate relations with the UN System by assisting elected officials in their preparation to and participation in UN meetings; coordinating participation of ITU staff in meetings and ITU input to UN system reports and maintain database of such participation and input;

b) Plan and coordinate relations with other international organizations (IOs) and nongovernmental organizations (NGOs). Negotiate and monitor ITU agreements with UN System and other IOs;

c) Coordinate and organize the World Telecommunication and Information Society Day (WTISD), every 17 May, and the ceremony for the World Telecommunication and Information Society Award, including the procedure for the selection of laureates. Prepare relevant PP and Council documents;

d) Schedule official visits to ITU and prepare meeting reports and maintain database and statistics of such visits. Coordinate and organize protocol services for major ITU conferences and meetings and for elected officials. Coordinate replies to invitations to attend or give speeches at meetings. Issue Notes verbales;

- e) Manage the ITU visitors' centre project which will:
 - 1) increase awareness of the importance of telecommunications/ICTs and the role of ITU in facilitating modern communication systems;
 - 2) promote and raise the profile and visibility of ITU, especially within the ICT industry;
 - 3) provide a venue to welcome visitors to ITU, including official delegations to ITU;
 - 4) anticipate and analyze trends in the fast-evolving telecommunications/ICT environment;

5) bring a new dimension to ITU relations with Member States.

Corporate Communication

- a) Manage media relations by organizing news conferences, briefings and interviews for ITU elected officials and senior management;
- b) Manage media relations and services for ITU events (the Plenipotentiary Conference and other major conferences, Council, ITU TELECOM, study group activities, workshops, symposia, etc); coordinate media-related activities internally and with host country media team; set standards and requirements for onsite media activities such as Media Centres, amenities, journalist registration; maintain database; prepare and produce internal communication materials, "Daily Highlights", during ITU events;
- c) Develop and implement promotion and media campaigns for ITU activities, with emphasis on Internet tools and news outlets;
- d) Develop effective communication toolkits including speeches, articles, briefings, brochures, annual reports, features/press releases and other media information, fact sheets, Web content, etc.) and ensure their effective and timely dissemination;
- e) Prepare, revise and ensure compliance with communication policies, provide advice to senior management and act as the official spokesperson for ITU;
- f) Develop corporate style guidelines;
- g) Research, write, edit, produce, distribute and manage the circulation of *ITU News* and other publications both in print and online;
- h) Handle and respond to public enquiries or requests for information.

III.2.5 ITU Liaison Office in New York

III.2.5.1 The main objectives of the ITU liaison office in New York are:

- a) Ensure effective monitoring of UN activities in New York related to ICTs
- b) Ensure effective participation in UN meetings in New York
- c) Increase visibility and awareness of ITU in UN System
- d) Strengthen cooperation with other UN agencies in the field of ICTs.

Description of main activities

III.2.5.2 the ITU Liaison office will have the following activities

- Enhance ITU cooperation, develop and implement partnerships with the United Nations system, other international organizations and institutions located in New York;
- Inform and assist decision making at ITU Headquarters in relation to developments in the UN system, mainly through representation at meetings in New York, through liaison with representatives of Member States of the UN and specialized agencies, and through liaison with the secretaries of these organizations;
- Provide support services to managers and staff on official mission to the host country;
- Establish contacts and engage with the media, private sector entities, civil society entities and the general public.

III.2.6 Corporate Strategy Division (CSD)

Objectives and programme orientation

III.2.6.1 The mission of the Corporate Strategy Division (CSD) is to assist the ITU and its membership, in close collaboration with the Sectors of the Union, with the anticipation and analysis of the challenges facing the telecommunication and ICT environment and their strategic

implications. The CSD assesses emerging trends in the industry and in ICT evolution, provides advice on broad corporate strategy and identifies key strategic objectives.

III.2.6.2 The Corporate Strategy Division facilitates the internal coordination of the activities of the Sectors of the Union relevant to the achievement of ITU strategic goals and supports the implementation by the Sectors of work programmes in line with those strategic goals.

III.2.6.3 The CSD initiates and coordinates the preparation of the draft Strategic Plan for the Union. It works closely with the Sectors in establishing key performance indicators related to the achievement of ITU strategic goals within its mandate, preparing an annual strategic plan progress report and providing relevant recommendations in response to industry changes - all for the consideration of ITU Council.

Main areas of activities

III.2.6.4 The main areas of activities of the CSD have been identified in line with the mandate of the General Secretariat, in accordance with Article 11 of the Constitution and Article 5 of the Convention. Each area comprises one or more operational activities that are relevant to the mandate of the General Secretariat in assisting the Sectors to reach the Strategic Goals of the Union. Listed below are the main activities and the relevant areas of interest.

Intersectoral coordination

III.2.6.5 Facilitates the coordination of intersectoral activities that cut across the mandates of the Sectors in relation to ITU strategic Goals 1, 2, 4, 6, 7. Facilitates the coordination related to the implementation of Council and PP Resolutions and Decisions relevant to the mission of CSD.

Strategic Plan Elaboration and Progress Report

III.2.6.6 Participates in the elaboration of the Strategic Plan of the Union (during previous and actual year of a PP) and prepares an annual strategic plan progress report and the relevant recommendations for adjustments in response to changes in the industry environment for the consideration of the Council.

Emerging trends and ICT evolution

III.2.6.7 Performs research and analysis on emerging telecommunication and ICT trends and organizes global strategic events and high-level meetings of experts.

Support to Council and Plenipotentiary Conference

III.2.6.8 Provides, as appropriate, secretariat support to the ITU Plenipotentiary Conference, ITU Council, and Council Working Groups relevant to the mission of CSD (e.g., WSIS, the elaboration of the strategic plan).

Performance Measurement and Reporting intersectoral work

III.2.6.9 Coordinates the intersectoral work on Performance Measurement and reporting.

Cybersecurity

III.2.6.10 Coordinates intersectoral activities in cybersecurity, including WSIS Action Line C5, the Global Cybersecurity Agenda (GCA), and Child Online Protection (COP). The GCA is an ITLL framework for international cooperation to enhance confidence and security in

The GCA is an ITU framework for international cooperation to enhance confidence and security in the information society

Internet Policy and Governance

III.2.6.11 Coordinates the intersectoral work on Internet Policy and Governance



Figure III.3 - SPM support to intersectoral and sectoral outputs (chart based on RBB data for the period 2010-2011)



Figure III.4 - SPM breakdown of activities to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs

SPM	Budget work months		Projection	
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014
G5	108	108	108	108
G6	84	84	84	84
G7	12	12	12	12
P2	24	24	24	24
P3	84	84	84	84
P4	108	108	108	108
P5	48	48	48	48
D2	12	12	12	12

Table III.B- SPM human resources required to support sectoral and intersectoral outputs

III.2.6 SPM expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

STRATEGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP (SPM) (2011-2014 timeframe)			
Expected Results Description & Magazine and Expected Results			
	Description & Measurement	Risk Factor	
	OFFICE OF THE CHIEF (SPM)		
1. High-quality and efficient services to the membership, including effective handling of the Union's communications and other customer services. Effective and efficient support for plenipotentiary conferences, the Council, conferences, assemblies and meetings	1. Number and quality of products and services developed. Timeliness of distribution of documents, materials and contributions for meetings and conferences		
2. Enhanced relations with the United Nations and proactive participation to foster ITU's leadership role in ICT	2. Benchmarking of how ITU is perceived in the UN system on ICT leadership; quality oral and written inputs to UN, CEB, HLCP, etc.	Understaffing - Inefficient time planning of meetings	
3. Clear, accurate and transparent information to the Council as the basis for informed decisions	3. Council Members satisfaction - Competition firentities involves		
4. Effective management support	4. Elected officials' satisfaction	field	
5. Effective representation of the Union	5. ITU positioning as a leading ICT player		
6. Coordinate WSIS meetings and ITU role in UNGIS	 Accelerate ITU implementation of WSIS outputs Raise visibility of ITU & ICT in UN System 		
7. ITU role in CEB and HLCP	8. Member satisfaction		
8. Quality services to MBG and other Council Groups	9. Complete work & outputs in allotted time; Input documents distributed on time		
9. Efficient organization of Council	10. More and better use of web; user and members feedback		
10. Revamp ITU website	11. Facilitate timely decision-making of Senior Management and follow-up		
11. Smooth functioning of CoCo , MCG & Management Retreat			

STRATEGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP (SPM) (2011-2014 timeframe) (continued)		
Expected Results	KPIs	
Expected Results	Description & Measurement	Risk Factor
	MEMBERSHIP & CORPORATE GOVERNANCE (CGM)	
Corporate Governance:		
1. Quality and timely support for follow-up and implementation of decisions of PP, the Council, Council Groups, and other intersectoral conferences and meetings as appropriate.	Improved roll-out of Council, Council Groups and PP-10 Accurate assessment of operational needs and related financial implications Efficient and effective service delivery Innovative management techniques and work methods	- Late contributions
2. Plan, organize, manage and evaluate support	% membership and management satisfaction (survey) adherence to document work plans and time management plans % reports & materials processed within deadlines	- Inaccurate forecasts
services for Council 2011and consecutive sessions 3. Effective management support	 % respect for document publication policies and guidelines Expenditure v/s budget (incl. unit cost per delegate) % variance documentation: forecasts v/s actual % hours worked in overtime Remote conference services, e-working & and cost impact Harmonization of document publication policies 	- Conflicting demands for internal resources
Membership:	Measure satisfaction with services	- Impact of economic
4. Enhanced services and information to the existing membership and improvements to the website and depositary function.	Quality services to major meetings of the Union Quality information provided to membership Accuracy of official correspondence Number of website hits and ease of use of Global Directory	cycles in sector on membership - Poor services from ITU
5. Further enhancements to the Global Directory and membership databases.	Timely notification to the membership % membership satisfaction	
6. Provide vital services to major meetings and conferences.		
GMPCS	See Part II (Intersectoral outputs), Section II.8.3	

STRATEGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP (SPM) (2011-2014) (continued)			
Expected Results KPIs			
	Description & Measurement	Risk Factor	
	EXTERNAL AFFAIRS & CORPORATE COMMUNICATION (EACC)		
1. Effective relations with permanent missions of Member States to UN organizations	Sound advice on official/diplomatic relations and procedures High % of client satisfaction	Unwritten procedures	
2. Effective participation in the UN System	Reduction of costs in human and financial resources of participation in meetings and contributing to reports Decreased % in ineffective participation or contributions		
3. Effective cooperation with international organizations and other entities from the business community and civil society	Development of cooperation mechanisms such as agreements, MoU, partnerships Higher % Client surveys	Lack of human and financial resources for implementation	
4. Effective handling of official correspondence	Timely and effective replies; using electronic filing system, databases and website High percentage of correspondence routed digitally from a central registry	Unwritten rules and procedures; no database software	
5. Higher ITU profile and more informed decision- makers and opinion-makers in government and industry	Timely and targeted dissemination of information to government and industry leaders Higher % of media interest in ITU activities	Failure to target proper client base	
6. Strong support for the work of the organization and increased use of ITU products and services	Coverage. Benchmarking of how ITU is perceived in key target audiences. Sales figures on client base. Number of tracked web visitors to specific products and services Increased membership and inquiries about ITU activities	Inadequate measurements tools	
7. Support to substantive and operational units in communicating their achievements worldwide	Number of positive or neutral stories filed in relation to the number of press releases issued/number of articles placed in newspapers and magazines	Difficulty in measuring full impact	
8. New communication channels between ITU, its various constituencies and external audiences in order to communicate ITU's message to a broader audience	Higher % of media interest in ITU activities Number and breadth of new contacts added to the database reflecting the breadth of outreach/number and effectiveness of distribution channels % new items and inquiries prepared on time	Lack of human and financial resources	
9. Production of high-quality content in ITU News, as the flagship magazine of the Union. The magazine's timely publication of each issue both in print and online in all official languages.	Number of new readers added to the subscription database and ever-growing traffic on the magazine's website. Increased revenue from advertising. Readership surveys for both the print and online editions to gauge customer satisfaction and make the necessary adjustments. High % of satisfaction from readership surveys	Lack of human and financial resources	

STRATEGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP (SPM) (2011-2014) (continued)				
Expected Results				
	Description & Measurement	Risk Factor		
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS & CORPORATE COMMUNICATION (EACC)(continued)				
10. High quality protocol services for missions visits and events	Compliance with established protocol standards	Negative consequences of failure to follow established procedures		
11. ISO 3166 Maintenance Agency,	Develop, maintain and use procedure manual	Inability to influence decision		
11. 150 5100 Mantenance Agency,	Enhance relations with standards bodies on terminology and country symbol codes.	making process for country		
	None	symbol and codes		
12. ITU Visitors' Centre Project				
13. Increase awareness of the importance of	Number of visitors	Insufficient visitors; Exhibits are		
telecommunications/ICTs and the role of ITU in facilitating modern communication systems	Contents of the exhibits	poorly funded or poorly displayed.		
14. Promote and raise the profile and visibility of ITU,	Increase in number and amount of sponsorship	The visitors' centre does not		
especially within the ICT industry.	Number and type of visitors.	contribute to raising the profile of ITU.		
15. Provide a venue to welcome visitors to ITU,	Number of visitors	Insufficient visitors and		
including official delegations to ITU.	Number of official delegations visiting ITU	inadequate interest.		
16. Anticipate and analyze trends in the fast-evolving	The number of sponsors	Insufficient sponsors and		
telecommunications/ICT environment.	Number of exhibitors	exhibitors; insufficient interest.		
	Exhibitions on ICTs of the future			
17. Deepen ITU's relations with Member States, Sector	Number of sponsors	Insufficient sponsors and		
Members and other entities, the UN and other international organizations	Number of exhibitors	exhibitors; exhibits are poorly funded or poorly displayed;		
international organizations	Number of displays	insufficient interest.		
	LIAISON OFFICE IN NEW YORK			
1. Effective monitoring of UN activities in New York related to ICTs	Quality information provide to Membership	Difficulty in assessing full impact of activities.		
		Lack of relevant information		
2. Effective participation in UN meetings in New York	Number of meetings attended. Number of quality oral and written inputs to UN, CEB, HLCP, etc.	Inefficient time planning of meetings		
	Number of quarty of a and written inputs to ON, CEB, TECF, etc.	Difficulty in measuring full impact		
3. Increase visibility and awareness of ITU in UN System	ITU positioning as a leading ICT player in the UN System. Number of times ITU mentioned in UN documents.	Inadequate measurement tools.		
4. Strenghten cooperation with other UN agencies in	Number of new initiatives, projects, etc.	Inadequate internal coordination.		
the field of ICTs		Competition from other entities involved in ICT field.		

	EGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP (SPM) (2011-2014) (continued)	
Expected Results	KPIs Description & Measurement	Risk Factor
	CORPORATE STRATEGY (CSD)	
1. Progress Reports on the Implementation of the Strategic Plan published with some measurements based on some KPIs	Reports to Council noted with minor comments by Councillors.	Insufficient human and financial resources
2. SG's proposals to Council meetings in 2011-2014 on	Number of reports drafted by CSD and presented by SG to the Council on related matters	Insufficient human and
strategic options for adaptation of ITU work activities	Number of proposals related to review of ITU work programme on Emerging Trends and ICT evolution; and evaluation of KPIs taken into account by Council.	financial resources
	Impact and scope of these modifications (qualitative indicator tbd)	
3. All CSD's WSIS related activities during the period 2011-2014 successfully completed	Success, effectiveness and outcome of WSIS Action Line Facilitator meetings and related actions measured by means of:	Declining interest following conclusion of WSIS.
4. Increased coordination between Actions Lines	 Stakeholders perception (e.g. through a survey) Number and impact of generated initiatives, projects, etc. (qualitative indicator tbd); 	Insufficient human and financial resources
5. Increased participation in WSIS-related meetings	Number of participants in WSIS related meetings Degree of coordination (qualitative indicator tbd)	
6. All CSD's Council and PP related activities during the period 2011-2014 successfully completed7. Increased intersectoral coordination	Number and impact of intersectoral initiatives, projects, etc. (qualitative indicator tbd) Sectors' satisfaction with CSD coordination (through a survey) Councillors and delegates satisfaction with meetings secretariat (through a survey)	Insufficient human and financial resources

III.3 ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT

III.3.1 Objective and programme orientation

III.3.1.1 The main objective of the Administration and Finance Department is to ensure effective human, financial and facilities resources management of the Union, at headquarter and in the field.

III.3.1.2 In the field of **Human Resources**, the objective is to ensure effective human resources management and consistency with ITU strategies, policies, regulations and rules providing advice and services on staff development, management and planning, social protection and welfare services. The Human Resources Administration Division, manage the administration services, at HQ and in the field, such as appointment, contracts, end of service and benefits and entitlements, travel arrangements, pension, insurances and compensation and ensure recruitment services. The Human Resources Policies Division, harmonize and streamline policies, regulations and rules; develop competencies; manage performances appraisal systems, ensure job classification services and social welfare.

III.3.1.3 In the field of **Finance**, the objective is to ensure sound financial management of the Union and to provide support and advice on financial and budgetary matters to senior management and members of the legislative and supervisory bodies. The Budget and Financial Analysis Division, develop and implement budget and planning, cost analysis and budget control. The Accounts Division, manage accounts payable, accounts receivable, general ledger and treasury.

III.3.1.4 In the field of **Procurement**, the objective is to provide an efficient, centralized procurement service to the Union, ensuring compliance with all relevant normative documents. The Procurement Division, leading and coordination of procurement actions; improve method and find economies through negotiation and consolidation of procurement actions. Through increased public web based tendering the visibility of ITU as a buyer in the UN system will be increased and new suppliers will be identified. The usage of a self service electronic procurement tool integrated in ITU's Enterprise Resource Management (ERP) system will increase the efficiency of procurement operations.

III.3.1.5 In the field of **Security and Safety**, the objective is to ensure the safety and security of staff, visitors and premises of the Union, including its field offices, within the resources available. The Security and Safety Services manage the reception services, chauffeuring, occupational safety coordination, etc.

III.3.1.6 In the field of **Facilities Management**, the objective is to manage the centralized services of the division with improved cost-benefit. The Buildings and Technical Installations Service ensures the construction and renovation of the physical infrastructure of the Union, with priority to essential works and services. The Logistics Service manages the centralized services: office supplies and furniture, management of offices, removals, telephone service, mail distribution; and provides technical support and operation of conference facilities. The division acts as the focal point for work towards climate neutrality in ITU operations.

III.3.1.7 During the plan period, the Department will pursue its effort to simplify and streamline workflows and processes while maintaining high quality services for internal and external clients. Service level agreements will continue to be entered into where applicable.

III.3.1.8 Continued effort will be made to improve financial accountability in respect of ITU's work programme by linking costs more clearly with the related activities through appropriate operational plans, financial plans and budgets; and to account for income and expenditure for

products and services provided under cost recovery in an open and transparent manner, in close cooperation with the Sectors' Bureaux and the Departments of the General Secretariat.

III.3.2 Linkage with the Strategic Plan of the Union (Resolution 71, Rev. Antalya 2006)

- a) Goal number 5: Improving Efficiency and Effectiveness;
- b) Intersectoral strategic objective 1: providing services to the membership, the PP and the Council for their work;
- c) Intersectoral strategic objective 2: improving the efficiency of management of the Union in the related fields of activities.



Figure III.5 – A&F support for intersectoral and sectoral outputs (chart based on RBB data for the period 2010-2011)



Figure III.6 – A&F breakdown of activities to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs

A&F	Budget work months		Projection	
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014
G2	48	48	48	48
G3	144	144	144	144
G4	156	156	156	156
G5	396	396	396	396
G6	216	216	216	216
G7	144	144	144	144
P2	72	72	72	72
P3	192	192	192	192
P4	60	60	60	60
P5	84	84	84	84
D1	12	12	12	12
D2	12	12	12	12

Table III.C - A&F human resources required to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs

III.3.3 A&F expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

III.3.3.1 The key performance indicators (KPIs) of the A&F Department are linked to the Strategic KPI number 9 "efficiency", to introduce cross-organization measures for optimization of resources and simplification and rationalization of workflows and processes which can be monitored by means of management indicators.

Administration and Finance Department (2011-2014)		
Expected Results	KPIs description, measurement and risks	
HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION DIVISIO		
1. Support Member States, Council and other ITU meetings		
 ✓ High quality documents and statistics on HRM ✓ Effective time management 	Description and measurement ✓ Transparency and accurate information provided to the administrations in a timely manner. New enquiries prepared on time ✓ Adherence to document work plan ✓ Output of meetings. High % of Member States satisfaction Risks factors: ✓ ✓ Inadequate ICT tools ✓ Lack of HR ✓ Lack of consensus	
2 Coordinate development of HPM policy strategy and regulatory fram		
2. Coordinate development of HRM policy, strategy and regulatory fram		
 ✓ Improve HR policy and strategy development and coordination. HR Strategic Plan implementation ✓ Ensure application of the UN common system employment conditions ✓ Represent ITU in inter-agency meetings 	 Description and measurement ✓ UN policies harmonization. Timely applications of UNGA decisions. High percentage of new applied policies ✓ ITU visibility. Level and effective participation in interagency meetings Risks factors: ✓ Lack of HR and budgets constraints ✓ Deadlines of the UNGA sessions 	
3. Ensure recruitment and job classification services		
 Ensure fair and equitable post classification in a timely manner Establish generic job descriptions and implement cyclical review program Ensure smooth implementation of reorganizations Carry out efficient recruitment services. Consider geographical and gender balance, at HQ/in the field Ensure timely recruitment of temporary staff 	Description and measurement ✓ Number of Job classification actions and posts reviewed ✓ Coherence of the organizational structure. Number of actions related to reorganizations ✓ Transparency and equity in the process. ✓ Number of vacancy notices submitted to PANELAPB: Average of processing time in weeks: 4 weeks for panel And 7 weeks for APB's after VN closing date. ✓ Number of short-term contracts and average of staff request treated in time. Risks factors: ✓ ✓ Lack of or incomplete information. Pre-selection or evaluation reports not submitted on time / Staff requests not submitted in time and inaccurate forecasts ✓ Availability of APB members - Difficulty in convening meeting ✓ Inadequate ICT tools	
4. Manage administrative and travel services	•	
 Manage contracts, allowances, entitlements and benefits; new contractual policy, reporting in a timely manner Implement mobility and redeployment programmes Administer travel entitlements, removals etc.; negotiate air fares reductions 	 Description and measurement ✓ Timely and effective replies to the staff and managers. High percentage of processed NPA and number of administrative actions ✓ Number of processed leaves and overtime. Facilitate duty travel and ensure smooth conditions. ✓ Quality of deliverables. High percentage of satisfaction. Users comments. Number of staff request and claims and processing time. <u>Risks factors:</u> ✓ Lack of or incomplete information ✓ Inadequacy of available tools for data gathering 	

Administration and Finance Department (2011-2014)		
Expected Results	KPIs description, measurement and risks	
	 Claims/evidences/TA not submitted in time Inefficient time planning Lack of human and financial resources 	
5. Provide social protection and welfare services		
 Improve and review social protection benefits provided to staff Manage effectively social benefits schemes Provision of quality client services 	 Description and measurement Adequacy of benefits provided Accurate and timely processing of social benefit claims Client feedback <u>Risks factors:</u> Impact of external financial factors Decisions of joint bodies UNJSPB and SHIF Insurance market Difficulty in obtaining relevant information Inadequate human and financial resources to achieve results 	
6. Manage training and performance appraisal programmes		
 Organize, plan, develop and manage training activities Provide assistance for effective implementation of the periodic performance appraisal (PPA) report as a tool for managing performance in a timely manner 	 Description and measurement ✓ Development of staff competencies. ✓ Adherence to budgetary ceilings ✓ High number of staff trained; number of learning days. Percentage of successful candidates in language examinations ✓ Enhance the performance of staff. Compliance rate of performance appraisal reports Risks factors: 	
7. Improve communication process and implementation of the new integration of the new integ		
 ✓ Enhance the communication between Bureaux and Departments ✓ Enhancement of the computerization and rationalisation process ✓ Reduce administrative procedures barriers 	 Description and measurement ✓ Openness and transparency in HR process perceived by the management and staff. Time spent in informing/coaching staff and management ✓ Innovative management techniques and work methods in simplifying process. Volume of data processed and paperless ✓ Number and percentage of appeal/tribunal cases processed. Number of problem cases solved 	
	Risks factors: ✓ Budget constraints ✓ Rules and regulations constraints. ✓ Software standard	
BUDGET AND FINANCIAL ANALYSIS		
 Preparation of the financial and programme budget for 2012-2013 in 2011and for 2014-2015 in 2013 (within a strict framework geared to results and efficiency). 	 Timeliness in the submission of input. Review and adoption by PP / Council. Risks factors Late submission of Sectors/Department contributions Lack of consensus Unbalanced Budget / Financial Plan 	
 ✓ Optimization of internal controls. 	 Conformity to internal control and financial procedures. Internal / external audit findings and opinions. Risks factors Misallocation of costs/invoices, inaccurate payments Recommendations not implemented 	
 Strict application of accounting procedures in accordance with applicable regulations, rules and standards. Implementation of IPSAS. 	 Timely payment of invoices. External Auditor's approval of accounts. Risks factors Late payment interest charges Delays in implementing IPSAS 	

 Enhancement of the financial management and reporting systems 	 ✓ Timely production of financial management reports and timely delivery of financial information to ITU Members and to the management of ITU. ✓ Efficient workflow and accounting control systems (error detection and frequency). Risks factors ✓ Delays in the production of reports/ financial information ✓ Inadequate ICT tools
PROCUREMI	ENT DIVISION
 Efficiency and effectiveness of procurement function Create transparency through public web based tendering (United Nations Global Marketplace – ungm.org) Application of ITU procurement rules assured Support the widespread usage of Supplier Relation Management (SRM) for public service procurement (electronic self service procurement tool) in ITU 	 Percentage of target dates for purchase orders and contracts as established in the SLAs met Internal/External auditors' reports Increase public visibility of ITU as potential buyer in UN system Attract new suppliers <u>Risk factors:</u> Late submission of related documentation by the service recipients Budget constraints Percentage of irrecoverable errors below 1% <u>Risk factors:</u> Adapting business processes to fully exploit potential efficiency of SRM Lack of user training
SECURITY AND S	AFETY SERVICES
✓ Efficiency and effectiveness of safety and security functions	 Feedback from ITU personnel, visitors and all stakeholders external to the ITU Compliance with Standard Operating Procedures (such as MOSS) Low level of security or safety incidents Rapid response time. Risks factors: Adequate and proportionate measures and response Lack of appropriate resources allotted

	BUILDING AND LOGISTICS SERVICES							
Expected Results	KPIs							
Expected Results	Description	Measurement	Risk Factor					
Timely authorization and initiation of construction / renovation projects	New buildings or renovation of buildings on time, in accordance with ITU schedule.	Waiting period for the realization of the project	Unforeseen calls on facilities during the planned periods of works / incorrect evaluation of necessary works period.					
Correctly executed and managed projects	Intensive follow up of quality, cost and time progress for each project.	General estimate, detailed schedule of the activities, analysis of the quality of the current and ended constructions, protocols of official acceptance of work.	Mistakes in cost and time planning. Bad workmanship, failure of a contracting company.					
Cost-effective quality of buildings and facilities for delegates and staff	Search for acceptable quality for least cost.	Resolution 1142 of the Council of the Union. Laws and regulations of the state host. Normes SIA (Société suisse des ingénieurs et des architectes).	Mistakes in calls for tender planning (description of the works). Bad execution of the works by a company.					
For buildings projects: clear, accurate and transparent information delivered to the Union's management as the basis for informed decisions	Description of the projects, general estimate, plans, any relevant document, verbal explanations if needed.	Good management understanding, good decision-making, good execution.	Documents insufficiently clear.					
Effective and efficient support of the Union's sectoral and intersectoral activities, including conferences and meetings	Preparation of meeting rooms. Technical support to the President in the starting up of the meeting.	Good progress of meetings. Satisfaction of the President and the delegates. No complaints.	Quality and availability of human resources.					
Effective management support	Assistance and recommendation to management as appropriate.	Sound decisions by management	Limited visibility of the constraints of the Union					
Environmental strategy and	Policy and Strategy on Operational Climate Neutrality.	Validation of Policy and Strategy.	Insufficient resources. Lack of agreement.					
measurement data	Transparent publication of ITU environmental performance	(Annual) ITU Environmental Footprint Inventory, conforming to UN Standards.	Lack of contributions from managers					

III.4 ITU TELECOM SECRETARIAT

III.4.1 Overview of Activities

III.4.1.1 The TELECOM secretariat is responsible for most aspects of the planning, implementation and promotion of ITU TELECOM events. This mandate includes the following core activities:

- a. General administration, policy definition and management
- b. Venue selection and negotiations with Host Country and contractors
- c. Product definition, promotion, marketing and sales (including production of material)
- d. Client relations (including exhibitors, visitors, and VIPs)
- e. Event operations (including build-up, registration, security, freight, event logistics, dismantling, service providers management)
- f. Leadership Program (including Heads of States, Heads of Governments, CEOs)
- g. Forum (Programme definition, speaker relations and on-site conference management)
- h. Media and public relations
- i. Financial services
- j. ICTs (applications, network design and management, databases, office services)
- k. Other administrative services (travel, personnel, headquarter logistics, etc.)

III.4.2 How ITU TELECOM Events contribute to ITU's Profile

III.4.2.1 ITU TELECOM events attract participants from across the ICT industry as well as ministers, regulators and other top-level participants. Because of their potential for broad reach, they constitute a valuable tool for promoting ITU as a whole. ITU as organizer of TELECOM event and leading UN agency for ICT helps position TELECOM events as networking platforms for the global ICT community. TELECOM events provide an ideal "springboard" for global visibility for the ITU brand by showcasing ITU activities, such as promoting new initiatives and launching publications. TELECOM events promote ITU to trade participants which are not ITU members. Additionally, ITU benefits directly from media interest surrounding TELCOM events.

III.4.3 Human resources to support ITU TELECOM activities

III.4.3.1 In 2010, the ITU TELECOM (core) Secretariat consists of 21 posts which complete most of the activities listed above in categories a) to h). Activities in categories h) to k) are performed mainly through other units and departments and mostly charged through cost recovery (CHF 2.931M in 2010 and CHF 3.354M in 2011 budgets).

In terms of outputs, human resources should be used as follows:

TELECOM events as per 2010-11 and World Telecom 2011	
ITU TELECOM World 2011	90%
FUTURE EVENTS/STRATEGY	10%
Total	100%



Figure III.7 – TELECOM Secretariat breakdown of activities to support outputs

TELECOM	Budget work months	Projection		
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014
G4	12	12	12	12
G5	36	36	36	36
G6	48	48	48	48
G7	12	0	0	0
P3	72	84	84	84
P4	24	24	24	24
P5	36	36	36	36
D1	12	12	12	12

Table III.D – TELECOM Secretariat human resources required to support outputs

III.5 CONFERENCE AND PUBLICATIONS DEPARTMENT

III.5.1 Objectives and programme orientation/Description of main activities

III.5.1.1 The role of the Conferences and Publications Department (C&P) is to facilitate communication within the Union, between Member States, Sector Members and other global players involved in the telecommunication industry. Multilingualism ensures maximum equality of treatment as well as adequate dissemination of ITU's work, policies, regulations and documentation at the global level.

Office of the Chief, including Management and Planning Unit

III.5.1.2 The Office of the Chief is responsible for ensuring overall and efficient implementation of strategy and policy as set out, *inter alia*, in relevant resolutions of the Plenipotentiary Conference and decisions of the Council. It provides the secretariat as well as substantive input to the Council Working Group on Languages. It advises the management, Sectors and departments on issues relating to conferences and meeting organization, language issues, document production and publications. In this context, the Management and Planning Unit (MPU) collaborates with the Sectors and departments, coordinates workload forecasts and budgetary requirements, and plans and monitors C&P's financial and human resources, as well as assisting in the evaluation and analysis of new management techniques and tools for ongoing improvement.

<u>Objectives</u>: To implement ITU language policy and meet the Union's conference, language, documentation and publications needs.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To ensure that this is achieved within approved budget limitations, keeping expenditure in line with the financial regulations of the Union.

Conference Management and Interpretation

III.5.1.3 Conference Management provides logistical and organizational support for the Union's meetings/conferences, both in and outside Geneva. This service is responsible for the provision of conference evaluation, support and advisory services to Sectors and Member States in terms of the requirements for smooth organization and functioning of conferences and meetings. It also plans and manages interpretation services for the Union's events in the six official languages.

<u>Objectives</u>: To oversee smooth running of meetings and conferences in a timely manner and to ensure that quality is maintained at all times.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To maintain same quality level and to improve conference and meeting services still further on the basis of regular analysis of results obtained and potential innovations. In particular, to prepare and implement, *inter alia*, PP-10 RA/WRC-12 and associated CPM, WTSA-12, WCIT-12.

Translation/Terminology/References

III.5.1.4 All major ITU policies, decisions and activities end up as texts submitted to and/or generated by the Plenipotentiary Conference, the Council or other major conferences, assemblies or meetings. Thus, the translation, terminology and references services play a decisive role in fulfilling ITU's function as a secretariat, research body and publishing house, as they ensure the availability of such texts in the six official languages of the Union. This entails not only ongoing operational production and delivery, but also regular monitoring, research and reflection to ensure continuous

improvement of working methods in order to enhance efficiency where possible. The six translation sections also provide expert language support to Editorial Committee, and produce all official records (minutes and summary records) of treaty-making conferences, the Council and RRB.

<u>Objectives</u>: To offer six-language documentation services, including round-the-clock availability at conferences and meetings, maintaining the expected accuracy, quality, efficiency and timeliness.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To pursue the efficient production of ITU documents in the six official languages. Emphasis will continue to be placed on optimizing the staffing in the six languages, expanding rosters of reliable freelance translators for temporary assignments and outsourcing, as well as following up on all aspects of PP and Council decisions on languages. In addition, the six-language terminology database – available not only to translators but to the entire ITU community - will continue to be enhanced and supplemented.

Document Composition Service

III.5.1.5 The activities of Document Composition Service (DCS) include capture and finalization of ITU documentation in the six languages, in electronic form using the requisite software and templates, including in particular Recommendations and conference and meeting documents. DCS provides high-level text capture services to the entire ITU secretariat, support to translation services and to the Sector publication services, and support to Editorial Committee for the production of Final Acts at treaty-making conferences. This service also encompasses Quickpub and Electronic Document Management (EDMG).

<u>Objectives</u>: To offer six-language documentation services, including round-the-clock availability at conferences and meetings, maintaining the expected accuracy, quality, efficiency and timeliness. To ensure rapid composition of ITU Recommendations required by the market.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To assure optimum quality levels in all six languages, while managing available human and technical resources as efficiently as possible.

Document Production and Administration

III.5.1.6 The Document Production and Administration (DPA) unit acts as a focal point and front-office for liaison with C&P's customers - the Sectors and departments - on document production issues (translation and composition) in the six languages. DPA ensures that work orders are duly received, logged and tracked in the Document Production System (DPS). It negotiates production deadlines with customers to set realistic time-frames for quality production with smooth distribution of workload.

<u>Objectives</u>: To provide an interface for C&P customers, coordinating and monitoring the smooth and timely processing of work orders.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To ensure that deadlines are met and documents are distributed to the respective production units in a timely manner, particularly for and during conferences and meetings.

Publications and Electronic Publishing

III.5.1.7 The publications services provide a complete range of services including text processing, graphic design for documents and production of cover pages for publications, page layout, CD-Roms, and posting on the website. They also produce informational material such as promotional flyers, ITU News graphic layout work and other publication design work for the Union.

<u>Objectives</u>: To ensure timely preparation and printing of conference/meetings documents (paper and CD-Rom), update consistently the Union's publication website, and ascertain that presentation of publications are appealing to the telecommunication community.

<u>Programme orientation for 2011-2014</u>: To ensure that quality is maintained in order to improve the Union's visibility amongst members and the world community and provide timely services.

III.5.1.8 **Printing and Dispatch Division**: whose activities comprise printing and binding of documents and publications (paper and CD-ROM); management of external printers; distribution and dispatch of documents for conferences and meetings; and dispatch of publications, mailings and parcels.

III.5.1.9 The **objectives** are: to provide printing and distribution services to the membership, to delegates and to publication customers; and to maintain team spirit with key partners (Sector document control units, Publications Sales Service).

III.5.1.10 **Sales and Marketing Division**: whose activities comprise management of ITU publications for sale; processing of customer orders; inventory operations and reporting; management of distributor contracts; customer information (Catalogue of Publications); analysis of customer demand and market trends; and marketing and promotional campaigns.

The **objective** is to maintain and increase the sale and dissemination of publications, and income.



Figure III.8 - C&P support for intersectoral and sectoral outputs (chart based on RBB data for the period 2010-2011)



Figure III.9 - C&P breakdown of activities to support intersectoral and sectoral output

C&P	Budget work months	Projection		
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014
G3	216	216	216	216
G4	372	372	372	372
G5	744	744	744	744
G6	300	300	300	300
G7	72	72	72	72
P1	12	12	12	12
P2	60	60	60	60
Р3	252	252	252	252
P4	264	264	264	264
P5	102	108	108	108
D1	12	12	12	12

Table III.E - C&P human resources required to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk factors
1) Office of the Chief, including Managemen	t and Planning Unit	
Implementation of relevant PP and Council decisions	Council and PPapproval of relevant documents under C&P responsibility Successful management and outputs of the Working Group on Languages	
Successful ITU conferences and meetings Effective resource and financial planning and control	Membership and participants' satisfaction Efficient and cost-effective service delivery Expenditure maintained within the limits of the approved budget. Compliance with financial regulations. Remain within the approved budget limitations and objectives.	Impact of non-rational scheduling, location and planning of ITU events and work programme Inaccuracy of Sector workload forecasts
2) Conference Management and Interpretation		
Provision of logistical support for meetings and conferences.	Holding and smooth running of conferences and meetings	Unavailability of rooms and facilities in Geneva Timely invitations
		Strict compliance with requirements
Identification of areas of improvement to maintain/enhance the level of participation in meetings and conferences of the Union	Feedback from participants and organizing Sectors/departments	
Evaluation and planning of interpretation for meetings and conferences for the Union around the globe	Availability of quality Interpretation in the required languages for quality dissemination of conference debates and information. Feedback from participants.	Labour market for interpreters
3) Translation/Terminology/References		
Timely delivery of high-quality texts in the six languages of the Union Relevant language versions provided at meetings/conferences	Feedback from authors/readers Target dates met Annual and monthly statistical reporting Prompt availability of conference documents in required language versions in group/committee/plenary meetings	Accuracy of Sector forecasts Non-compliance with document submission deadlines Timely planning
Language expertise, including support to Editorial Committee	Accurate, aligned Final Acts Availability of editorial tools	Labour market for translators
Quality minutes/summary records for conferences, the Council and RRB	Accurate records published in agreed time-frame	Organization and clarity of debates. Timely planning Labour market for précis- writers
Application of suitable ICT developments in translation and other areas of document production	Impact on service delivery Annual and monthly statistical reporting	Availability of adequate tools.
Enhance terminology, references and full text retrieval tools for translation	Impact on service delivery Avoidance of duplication/inconsistency	Training

III.5.5 C&P expected results and key performance indicators (KPIs)

CONFERENCES AND PUBLICATIONS DEPARTMENT (2011-2014) (continued)					
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk factors			
4) Document Composition Service					
Timely delivery of high-quality documents in the six languages of the Union, in electronic form on required software platforms Relevant documents provided at meetings/conferences Timely delivery to market of ITU	Feedback from authors/readers Target dates met Annual and monthly statistical reporting Prompt availability of conference documents in group/committee/plenary meetings, and of Final Acts Quickpub annual and monthly statistical reporting.	Non-compliance with document submission deadlines Labour market for operators			
Recommendations	Annual and monthly statistics				
5) Document Production and Administration					
Effective interface with clients to coordinate document requirements	Smooth and mutually satisfactory negotiation of workflow and target dates Coordinated production of six-language documents for and during conferences SLAs concluded and implemented	Non-compliance with document submission deadlines			
6) Publications and Electronic Publishing					
Contribution to promotion and increased visibility of ITU publications.	Feedback from delegations and the Union's external contacts Sales/download statistics				
Creation and production of public-information material, e.g. catalogues, forum programmes, flyers and promotional materials	Availability and impact of promotional material Annual and monthly statistical reporting	Timely provision of stable requirements and specifications could			
Development and maintenance of publication programmes Develop and support the Production of CD- ROM/DVD	Publication programme issued Monthly and annual statistical reporting Feedback from customers/users Target delivery dates met, especially during conferences. Delivery measurement	impact on the costs and delivery schedule.			
Increase in automation for faster and accurate output	Monthly and annual statistical reports				
7) Marketing					
 (a) Dissemination of ITU publications: Increased visibility of ITU publications via promotions and updated publications website and electronic access for related publications for on-going conferences or event (with IS department) (b) Promotion and publications during ITU forum, conference and Telecom event (c) Sustained/Improved sales, improved awareness through analysis of customer demand and market trend, customer information, promotional campaign 	 Monthly and annual sales statistics System performance Customer feedback and satisfaction Reseller and value-added contracts (number of income/royalties) Visitor feedback, number of sold publications, number of contracts Number of e-mails, new reseller contracts, mailings, flyers, surveys Number of new customers developed 	Sales, market and political impacts of download without charge of: ITU-T Recommendations; ITU-T Operational Bulletin (from 2010); ITU-R Recommendations Collection of the Basic Texts.			
		Inappropriate forecasts			

CONFERENCES AND PUBLICATIONS DEPARTMENT (2011-2014) (continued)				
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk factors		
8) Sales				
 Maintained and increased sales, through improved products and services Timely delivery of appropriate quality within the planned cost Effective CRM and reporting system 	 Monthly and annual statistics (orders and income) Customer feedback Time to complete, quality of monthly and annual statistics statistical variance in volume of sales 	Competitor action Reduced spending on publications due to external (global or regional) financial pressure on ITU's clients Possible future decisions to extend access without		
		charge to publications that were previously available for payment.		

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III.6 INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT (IS)

III.6.1 Objectives and programme orientation/Description of main activities

III.6.1.1 The objective of this programme is to provide information and communications technology (infrastructure and basic services) for all ITU Sectors and departments and provide IT support to meetings, conferences and events. The activities of the Information Services Department are focused on strategic ICT objectives relating to the management and dissemination of information. These strategic ICT priorities can be summarized as:

- a) efficient working of the entire ITU (including field offices) and good management of ITU resources;
- b) expediting the work of ITU participatory activities: study groups, forums and conferences;
- c) maximizing the value of ITU information for the membership and the global telecommunication community, thereby promoting ITU and strengthening its public presence.

This programme is implemented by the IS Department. The organizational units include: User Services, Infrastructure Services, Applications Services, Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP, including a CRM Unit), ICT Security, and Library and Archives Service.

Objectives include:

- a) Optimize and integrate current information systems and services based upon a riskmanagement framework (COBIT) and through multi-sourcing.
- b) Establish and centralize all functions related to systems development so as to avoid the risk of systems development becoming fragmented.

c) Enhance staff competence and improve job performance through knowledge and use of information technology and resources.

III.6.1.2 The department's activities include: operation of the ITU information technology infrastructure; user support and training; telecommunication services (voice, image, video, data); network services (file, print and computing); information exchange services (messaging, database, document base); desktop services (office productivity tools); administrative applications; software development environments; and coordination with the United Nations common system on operational information and communication technology matters.

III.6.1.3 The Library and Archives Service ensures preservation of and access to accurate, trusted, and essential information and research materials in all formats and media, for the general public, ITU stakeholders and staff; and thus facilitates the ability to analyse & synthesize information and supports timely decision-making. In 2010-2014 the Library and Archives Service will further develop and enhance the "<u>History of ITU Portal</u>" and set up a comprehensive <u>digitization program</u> for ITU in its continuing efforts to improve multilingual, electronic access to the ITU documentation.

III.6.1.4 During 2011-2014, continued efforts will be made to improve operational availability and reliability of the ICT infrastructure, user satisfaction and cost-effectiveness of ITU's ICT services. An Information Communication Technology and Information Management (ICT/IM) strategy for the ITU has been approved to provide a coherent framework for achieving these objectives. This strategy outlines policy, governance, and operational initiatives and proposes measures to increase accountability, transparency, reliability, and efficiency of ICT services. In addition, business continuity and cost reductions will be improved through the judicious use of multi-sourcing. The adoption of a project management framework and establishment of a project portfolio, an ICT risk register, and a service catalog will help in the prioritization of project and operational activities and investments. The ITU Enterprise Architecture will continue to evolve. III.6.1.5 Enhancements will be made, within the limits of available resources, in information exchange; document management (including more efficient workflow for documents and publishing), introduction of collaborative tools, facilities for tele-working for staff, unified communication, customer relationship management (CRM) and consolidation, integration and simplification of major administrative processes within the SAP ERP and other off-the-shelf packages, and office automation. This includes web-based, self-service. Web-based access to ITU information will be improved for members and the general public, with enhancements to search engine capabilities and website publishing, and with new self-services for access to budget and HR administrative information for ITU staff and councilors. Facilities for remote participation of delegates to ITU meetings are being piloted. Deployment of an integrated IP-based communications capability (including VoIP and messaging) is anticipated.



Figure III.10 - IS support for intersectoral and sectoral outputs (chart based on RBB data for the period 2010-2011)



Figure III.11 - IS activities to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs

IS	Budget work-months	Projections			
Grades	2011	2012	2013	2014	
G4	24	24	24	24	
G5	96	96	96	96	
G6	84	84	84	84	
P2	48	84	84	84	
P3	360	324	324	324	
P4	132	108	108	108	
P5	60	60	60	60	
D1	12	12	12	12	

Table III.F - IS human resources to support intersectoral and sectoral outputs

III.6.5	IS expected results an	d key performance	e indicators (KPIs)

INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT (IS)							
Expected Result	Expected Results, KPIs and Risk Factors (2011-2014)						
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk Factors					
1 Computer and network : Highly reliable and available (24x7) ICT infrastructure, including network connectivity with adequate bandwidth. Safeguarding of ITU computing and information resources through adequate security measures including BC and DR	Infrastructure and network capacity, availability and reliability. Reduction in the number of single points of failure introducing redundancy. Level of end user satisfaction	Maintain existing and acquire new technologies without ongoing investments (obsolescence) Inability to provide 24x7 services with existing staff. Increasingly sophisticated cyber security threats could compromise ITU operations and information resources.					
2 Conferences and meeting IT support: Effective services including rapid	Number of delegates able to simultaneously work	Adaptation to changing working					

INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT (IS)						
Expected Result	Expected Results, KPIs and Risk Factors (2011-2014)					
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk Factors				
availability for electronic access to documents, remote translation and interpretation needs, and intensive delegate WLAN requirements. Enabling "paperless meetings." Preparation of meeting rooms. Technical support to the Chairman in the starting up of the meeting, Facilitating remote participation in ITU meetings.	electronically; number of disruptions to electronic working during conferences; reduction in paper documents requested by delegates Satisfaction of the chairman and the delegates with services delivered.	methods and conditions. Quality and availability of Technical and human resources Host Country willingness to provide facilities in line with ITU's requirements				
3 Information exchange : Facilitating the work of participants in ITU study groups and conferences. Making ITU information widely available via reliable websites and enhanced electronic collaboration tools with adequate capacity and security. Giving remote office staff improved access to ITU information resources	Volume of traffic, number of messages, website response time, webpage hits and visits, etc. Number of registered users. Sales and free download volume of electronic publications.	Limited resources to expand capabilities and maintain services. Failure to continue development of ICT Architecture and adhere to standard technical architecture				
4 Office systems: Provision of an effective, reliable desktop computing environment. Development and delivery of customized courses to improve staff skills. Coordination of IT training. Provision of technical consulting and support services	Reduction of the total cost of ownership of the desktop infrastructure User satisfaction. Mean times for Service Desk incident response and closure.	Failing to evolve office and management tools and streamline technical architecture Inadequate training of staff				
5 Database applications : Improved efficiency and effectiveness through consolidation and integration of fragmented databases and systems.	User satisfaction with functionality and performance of database applications. Use of standard (off-the-shelf solutions) with a minimum of customization and development	Multiple systems increase complexity, maintenance and costs Risk of obsolescence				
6 Enterprise Resource Planning: Enhanced efficiency through integrated handling of business processes, reducing redundancy of data, activities, controlling, coordination and interfaces. Adaptation to meet IPSAS accounting standards. Optimization of technical services by having only a minimum number of different software applications to be supported and maintained. Introduction of a commercial CRM solution for the organization	Fully electronic administrative procedures driven by end-user input. Easily accountable and auditable applications. User-friendly handling of transactions and functions. Increased productivity of administrative staff (number of operations per staff per year). Compliance with IPSAS. Increased number of electronic self services to delegates and meeting participants	Adapting business processes to fully exploit potential efficiency of off-the shelf systems. Changes to infrastructure and application systems in production are not properly coordinated, tested, or communicated				
7 Library and Archives Service: Facilitate and encourage the usage of knowledge and information resources by staff, delegates, and the general public; ensure that reliable and complete institutional records are available as long as	Number of (paper/electronic) consultations, research requests and documents delivered Volume of alerting services delivered, journals, books, electronic documents, records	Lack of policy and procedures to effectively manage ITU information assets, inc. organizational archives				

INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT (IS)						
Expected Results, KPIs and Risk Factors (2011-2014)						
Expected Results	KPIs description and measurement	Risk Factors				
required to support business functions and to meet present and future evidential and accountability uses; provide assistance /guidance to the staff, delegates, and the general public with their telecommunication-related information needs; Setup a digitization program, build a historical digital repository of key ITU documents and publications, and build and maintain the "History of ITU Portal".	processed and circulated Number of documents and/or files processed for historic archives and for semi-active archives Number of documents scanned and made available/consulted on the history portal					

PART IV: SUMMARY OF RESOURCES

PART IV PROVIDES A SUMMARY OF PLANNED HUMAN RESOURCES FOR THE PERIOD 2011-2014. ESTIMATES ARE BASED ON FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ACTIVITY PROGRAMMES DRAWN UP TO SUPPORT SECTORAL AND INTERSECTORAL OUTPUTS.

EVOLUTION OF STAFFING LEVELS FOR THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT (2011-2014)

Work months	SGO	SPM	A&F	C&P	IS	TCOM Sec	Total
2011 (budgeted)	198	480	1536	2406	816	252	5688
2012 (projection)	204	480	1536	2412	792	252	5676
2013 (projection)	204	480	1536	2412	792	252	5676
2014 (projection)	204	480	1536	2412	792	252	5676



BREAKDOWN OF PLANNED HUMAN RESOURCES BY GS DEPARTMENT (2011-2014)



PLANNED DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT INTERSECTORAL OUTPUTS

Intersectoral Outputs Planned Documentation for 2011-2014							
	2011 (budgeted)	2012 (projection)	2013 (projection)	2014 (projection)			
Translation (Pages)	4'684	4'543	4'637	4'637			
Typing (Pages)	4'684	4'543	4'637	4'637			
* Reprography (1,000 PSS)	5'201	5'045	5'149	5'149			





Annexes: 2

- ANNEX 1: General Secretariat General and specific activities
- ANNEX 2 : List of abbreviations

	SECRETARIAT'S BUDGET BY ACTIVITY					
			Plani	ned Expense	es, in '000 CHF	
Code	Description	Driver	2010	2011	2010-2011	
ITU Gene	ral activities					
GA001	Database & website management	HR	2,323	2,335	4,659	
GA002	Documentation (prep/res/writ/edit)	HR	3,056	3,069	6,125	
GA003	Electronic document management	HR	1,078	1,077	2,155	
GA004	Financ/oper/Strat Planning & control	HR	2,469	2,598	5,066	
GA005	General administration	HR	14,496	14,457	28,953	
GA006	Management & coordination	HR	13,363	13,931	27,294	
GA009	Organization/Participation meetings	HR	7,419	7,721	15,140	
GA012	Publication (prep/research/writ/edit)	HR	2,240	2,159	4,398	
	Total		46,444	47,347	93,790	
500 Spor	ific activities					
SG002	Internal audits and inquiries	HR	478	477	955	
SG004	Legal advices & revision legal texts	HR	918	917	1,836	
SG005	Representation/Coord/Mgmt of Union	HR	1,174	1,155	2,330	
00000	Total		2,570	2,550	5,120	
			_,			
-	ific activities					
SPM01	EACC Activities	HR	2,277	2,409	4,686	
SPM02	Corp. Govern. Membership Activities	HR	932	931	1,863	
SPM03	Corporate Strategy Activities	HR	1,246	1,245	2,491	
	Total		4,456	4,585	9,040	
C&P Spec	ific activities					
CNF01	Conference management (doc. Logist.)	HR	935	945	1,881	
CNF03	Arabic text processing	PAG	679	627	1,306	
CNF04	Chinese text processing	PAG	651	602	1,254	
CNF05	English text processing	PAG	567	566	1,133	
CNF06	French text processing	PAG	822	820	1,643	
CNF07	Russian text processing	PAG	666	686	1,352	
CNF08	Spanish text processing	PAG	787	786	1,573	
CNF10	Processing ITU Publications	PAG	1,978	1,974	3,952	
CNF12	Arabic translation	PAG	1,360	1,196	2,556	
CNF13	Chinese translation	PAG	1,318	1,162	2,479	
CNF14	English translation	PAG	682	640	1,322	
CNF15	French translation	PAG	1,587	1,485	3,071	
CNF16	Russian translation	PAG	1,339	1,190	2,529	
CNF17	Spanish translation	PAG	1,494	1,374	2,868	
CNF18	Linguistic/Edit advice-Précis writing	HR	171	160	331	
CNF20	Creation & mgmt of terminology base	PAG	910	896	1,805	
CNF21	Provision of reference support	PAG	116	116	232	
CNF22	Training on IT language tools	HR	15	15	29	
011500	- DeD/inter accord/ Coordination	HR	55	53	108	
CNF23	R&D/inter-agency Cooperation					
CNF23 CNF24	Publishing activities	PAG	2,354	2,349	4,703	

ANNEX 1: General Secretariat - General and specific activities

CNF29	Dispatch Service	KG	698	696	1,39
CNF30	Document Distribution	ST	794	790	1,58
CNF31	External Printing Service	HR	126	125	25
CNF32	Sales and marketing activities	SAI	1,495	1,493	2,98
CNF33	Reprography	PSS	3,563	3,550	7,11
CNF35	CD-ROM Production	ST	207	207	4
	Total		25,974	25,093	51,06
A&F Spec	cific activities				
ADM40	Accounts Activities	ST	2,011	2,015	4,02
ADM41	Payroll	EMP	637	636	1,2
ADM42	Budget Activities	HR	1,675	1,751	3,42
ADM43	Staff Administration Activities	EMP	3,433	3,504	6,93
ADM44	Staff Policy Activities	EMP	1,727	1,747	3,4
ADM45	Security & Safety Activities	EMP	1,986	2,143	4,12
ADM46	Procurement Activities	HR	1,352	1,359	2,71
ADM47	BATLOG Activities	EMP	7,558	7,612	15,1
	Total		20,378	20,768	41,14
IS Specif	ic activities				
IS001	Application Hosting	ST	1,525	1,525	3,0
IS002	Application Services	ST	3,164	3,164	6,3
IS003	Information Services	EMP	899	898	1,7
IS004	Infrastructure Services	EMP	3,497	3,495	6,9
IS005	Service Support	EMP	1,410	1,408	2,8
IS006	Projects/Outputs Activities	HR	1,847	1,845	3,6
	Total		12,342	12,334	24,67
BR Speci	fic activities				
BR001	Invoicing cost recovery	HR	347	347	6
BR002	IT assistance and support	HR	86	86	1
BR004	Prep. Sp. sections & IFIC contents	HR	2,321	2,319	4,6
BR005	Regulatory/technical examination	HR	4,242	4,158	8,40
BR006	Regulatory/technical training	HR	256	171	42
DRUUD	regulatory, teermear training				
	Software development	HR	2,306	2,221	4,5
BR008 BR007 BR008			2,306 858	2,221 816	
BR007 BR008	Software development	HR			1,6
BR007 BR008 BR009	Software development Software maintenance	HR HR	858	816	1,6 2,4
BR007 BR008 BR009	Software development Software maintenance Software specification & testing	HR HR HR	858 1,239	816 1,197	1,6 2,4 8,7
BR007 BR008 BR009 BR010	Software development Software maintenance Software specification & testing Validation-Data preparation	HR HR HR	858 1,239 4,439	816 1,197 4,357	1,6 2,4 8,7
BR007 BR008 BR009 BR010	Software development Software maintenance Software specification & testing Validation-Data preparation Total	HR HR HR	858 1,239 4,439	816 1,197 4,357	1,6 2,43 8,70 31,76
BR007 BR008 BR009 BR010 TSB Spec TSB01	Software development Software maintenance Software specification & testing Validation-Data preparation Total	HR HR HR	858 1,239 4,439 16,093	816 1,197 4,357 15,671	1,6 ⁻ 2,4: 8,7 ⁰ 31,7<i>6</i> 6,90
BR007 BR008 BR009 BR010 TSB Spec	Software development Software maintenance Software specification & testing Validation-Data preparation Total	HR HR HR HR	858 1,239 4,439 16,093 3,377	816 1,197 4,357 15,671 3,531	4,52 1,67 2,43 8,79 31,76 6,90 88 82

BDT Spec	BDT Specific activities				
BDT01	Creation of tools & guidelines	HR	923	950	1,873
BDT02	Preparation & delivery of training	HR	1,240	1,268	2,508
BDT03	Assisting Members and related tasks	HR	2,740	2,751	5,491
BDT04	Sharing information	HR	1,347	1,472	2,819
BDT05	Handling of special needs	HR	173	186	359
BDT06	Coordination within ITU	HR	1,400	1,408	2,808
BDT07	Resource mobilization/Partnership	HR	421	437	859
BDT08	Financial Administrative services	HR	690	701	1,391
BDT09	BDT Staff/Expert administrative serv.	HR	420	421	841
BDT10	Contracts & procurements services	HR	79	79	158
BDT11	Fellowships services	HR	528	574	1,103
	Total		9,960	10,248	20,208
	ITU ACTIVITIES TOTAL		142,447	142,977	285,424

ITU TELECOM Specific activities

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TLC01	TLC - Exhibition - Plan & Client Relation	HR
TLC02	TLC - Forum – Plan & implementation	HR
TLC03	TLC - Host & Venue select. & Relation	HR
TLC04	TLC - Marketing, Promotion, Products	HR
TLC05	TLC - Media Relations & Services	HR
TLC06	TLC - Planning and General Management	HR
TLC07	TLC – Registration, Security & Protocol	HR
TLC08	TLC - Sales & Sponsorships	HR
TLC09	TLC - Service Providers & Logistics	HR
Note: ITU TELECOM Activities are not included in the Budget of the Union.		

Driver	Description
HR	Hour
PAG	Pages of documentation
MD	Master Disc
KG	Kilo
SAI	Sales Revenue
PSS	Passages
ST	Items
EMP	Employees

ANNEX 2

List of abbreviations

A&F	ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE DEPARTMENT
APB	APPOINTMENT PROMOTION BOARD
BDT	TELECOMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT BUREAU
BMF	BUILDINGS MAINTENANCE FUND
BR	RADIOCOMMUNICATION BUREAU
C&P	CONFERENCES AND PUBLICATIONS DEPARTMENT
CEB	CHIEF EXECUTIVE BOARD
CGM	CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND MEMBERSHIP DIVISION
COCO	COORDINATION COMMITTEE
CS	CONSTITUTION
CSD	CORPORATE STRATEGY DIVISION
CSTD	COMMISSION ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT
CV	CONVENTION
CWGS	COUNCIL WORKING GROUPS
DCS	DOCUMENT COMPOSITION SERVICE
DM	MULTIPLE DESTINATION
DOC	DOCUMENTS
DPA	DOCUMENT PRODUCTION AND ADMINISTRATION
DSG	DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL
DTP	DESK-TOP PUBLISHING
EACC	EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND CORPORATE COMMUNICATION DIVISION
ECOSOC	ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL
EDMG	ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT GROUP
EMP	EMPLOYEES
ERP	ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING
FAS	FINAL ACTS
FINREGS	FINANCIAL REGULATIONS
GAID	GLOBAL ALLIANCE FOR ICT AND DEVELOPMENT
GCA	GLOBAL CYBERSECURITY AGENDA
GMPCS	GLOBAL MOBILE PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS BY SATELLITE
GR	GENERAL RULES
HCAS	HOST COUNTRY AGREEMENTS
HLCP	HIGH LEVEL COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMS
HLEG	HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS GROUP

HLS	HIGH LEVEL SEGMENT
HR	HUMAN RESOURCES
ICANN	INTERNET CORPORATION FOR ASSIGNED NAMES AND NUMBERS
ICT	INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY
IDN	INTERNATIONALIZED (MULTILINGUAL) DOMAIN NAMES
IGF	INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM
ILO	INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANIZATION
IO	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION
IPPC	ITU PUBLISHING POLICY COMMITTEE
IPSAS	PUBLIC SECTOR ACCOUNTING STANDARDS
IS	INFORMATION SERVICES
IT	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES
ITRS	INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATION REGULATIONS
JUR	LEGAL AFFAIRS UNIT
KPI	KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
MB	MEGABYTES
MBG	MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET GROUP OF THE COUNCIL
MCG	MANAGEMENT COORDINATION GROUP
MD	MASTERDISC
MOU	MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
MPU	MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING UNIT
MS	MEMBER STATES
MS OBS	MEMBER STATES OBSERVERS
NGO	NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION
PAG	PAGES
PAM	PURCHASE AMOUNT
PC	PERSONAL COMPUTERS
PDA	DELEGATES
PP-10	PLENIPOTENTIARY CONFERENCE
PPA	PERSONAL PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL
PSS	PASSAGES
QA	QUALITY ASSURANCE
RA	RADIOCOMMUNICATION ASSEMBLY
RBB	RESULTS-BASED BUDGET
RBM	RESULT-BASED MANAGEMENT
ROPS	RULES OF PROCEDURE
RRB	RADIO REGULATIONS BOARD

SAI	SALES INCOME
SGO	OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
SG-PUB	PUBLICATIONS OF THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT
SKPIS	STRATEGIC KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
SLAS	SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENTS
SMS	SECTOR MEMBERS
SPM	STRATEGIC PLANNING & MEMBERSHIP DEPARTMENT
SS&B FUND	STAFF SUPERANNUATION AND BENEVOLENT FUNDS
TDS	TELECOMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT SYMPOSIUM
TIES	TELECOMMUNICATION INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEM
TSB	TELECOMMUNICATIONS STANDARDIZATION BUREAU
TTS	TIME TRACKING SYSTEM
UN	UNITED NATIONS
UNDG	UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT GROUP
UNDP	UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME
UNESCO	UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION
UNGIS	UNITED NATIONS GROUP ON THE INFORMATION SOCIETY
USE	USERS
VOIP	VOICE OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL
WCIT	WORLD CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS
WEB	WEB EDITORIAL BOARD
WEF	WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM
WIPO	WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION
WLAN	WIRELESS LOCAL AREA NETWORK
WRC	WORLD RADIOCOMMUNICATION CONFERENCE
WSIS	WORLD SUMMIT ON THE INFORMATION SOCIETY
WTDC	WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE
WTISD	WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION INFORMATION SOCIETY DAY
WTPF	WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION POLICY FORUM
WTSA	WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDIZATION ASSEMBLY