

**INTERNATIONAL STANDARDIZATION  
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**SPECIAL STUDY GROUP G – CONTRIBUTION #**

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**Title:** Report of Working party I

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The working party met in room 1 from 11h to 16h, on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2011, in Alger. 28 persons coming from 13 countries attended the meeting. 17 contributions have been received by the management team.

The main topic is the location of the GTO and the decentralization of its activities. After the presentation of the contributions and the discussions the working party agreement on the following points:

- Having the head quarter of GTO in Geneva
- Implementation of permanent representation in the regions
- Having rotating meetings in the different regions

The working party proposes a creation of a committee to make a study to take a better advantage of the decentralization and propose a guideline of better practice and propose working method, including electronically method. This study should be completed in 4 months. Members of the working party 1 are encouraged to participate in the study. A good mix of members from developing and developed countries is encouraged to participate in the study.