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| TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDISATION ADVISORY GROUP |
| LIAISON STATEMENT TO RAG AND TDAG ON INTER-SECTOR COORDINATION TEAM ON ISSUES OF MUTUAL INTEREST |
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**Summary:**

The attached liaison statement from the Telecommunication Standardization Advisory Group (TSAG) is a reply to TDAG on a previous liaison statement on the Inter-sector Coordination Team on Issues of Mutual Interest.

**Action required:**

TDAG is invited to note this document.

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| **Approval:** | TSAG meeting (Geneva, 18 – 22 July 2016) |
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TSAG, through its Rapporteur Group on “Strengthening Collaboration” (WTSA Resolution 81) and its sub-group on Intra-ITU Collaboration and Coordination, thanks TDAG for your liaison statement in [TDAG - TDAG16-21/LS/1](http://handle.itu.int/11.1002/ls/sp15-tdag-iLS-00002.zip) | TSAG TD [505](http://www.itu.int/md/meetingdoc.asp?lang=en&parent=T13-TSAG-160718-TD-GEN-0505) and the very useful information which you provided.

We appreciate your efforts to have developed a mechanism to strengthen cooperation and joint activity such as the yearly event calendar tool, and jointly organized events and studies, and believe that they provide very useful support cooperation and joint activities among the ITU Sectors.

We are also pleased to hear that TDAG approves the terms of reference of the Inter-Sector Coordination Team on Issues of Mutual Interest and that the team has begun with its important activity on the listed areas of mutual interest.

We look forward to future coordination and cooperation between the TDAG and RAG on areas of mutual interest.

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