

Iran (Islamic Republic of)

The government of the Islamic Republic of Iran proposes the following amendments to paragraph 56 of
Draft Action Plan,
document WSIS/PCIP/DT/2-E and inclusion of 6 paragraphs to it

New paragraph to be included after paragraph 10:

- **Internet naming and addressing are public issues.**

Two new items to be included in paragraph 17 :

- **Develop projects that promote dialogue within and between cultures and civilizations via electronic networks.**
- **Promote further research programmes on issues related to the goals approved by the United Nations Millennium Assembly especially in the developing countries.**

After para 44 , in para 9 titled “ Identifying and overcoming ... “ ,the following paras to be included:

- **Within their field of competence, international organizations especially UNESCO have a specific role and responsibility for action. In particular, a clearing house should be established for the exchange of information and to promote cooperation among groups concerned with child abuse.**
- **Disseminate information among researchers, and promote exchange of information among child care and child protection organizations, ISPs, Web masters, police and judicial institutions, media practitioners, citizens and civic groups and other concerned groups.**
- **Establish an international legal framework to prohibit producing and circulating pornographic contents and harmful materials throughout the Internet under the auspices of UNESCO.**

56. technology transfer: it is important to facilitate access, and to transfer knowledge and technology **without any discrimination** on concessional, preferential and favourable terms to developing countries, as mutually agreed ~~taking into account~~ the need to protect intellectual property rights, with the objective of enhancing the technological capacities and capabilities of developing countries, and improving their productivity and competitiveness in the world market.