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| **Chairman:** Mr Majed ALMESMAR (United Arab Emirates) | |

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**1 General policy statements (continued)**

1.1 The following speakers made general policy statements:[[1]](#footnote-1)1

* Mr Young Min YOU, Minister, Ministry of Science and ICT (Republic of Korea) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/29>;
* Ms Ndolenodji NAIMBAYE, Minister, Ministry of Posts, New Information and Communication Technologies (Chad) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/96>;
* Mr Carlos MESQUITA, Minister, Ministry of Transport and Communications (Mozambique) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/145>;
* Mr Shahzad Gul ARYOBEE, Minister, Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (Afghanistan)<https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/150>;
* Mr Eucario Bakale ANGUE OYANA, Minister, Ministry of Transport, Post and Telecommunications (Equatorial Guinea) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/160>;
* Mr Kamal BIN AHMED MOHAMMED, Minister, Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications (Bahrain) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/79>;
* Mr Leonid YEVDOCHENKO, Chairman, State Service of Special Communications and Information Protection of Ukraine (Ukraine) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/88>;
* Mr Abdur-Raheem Adebayo SHITTU, Minister, Federal Ministry of Communications (Nigeria) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/154>;
* Mr Ped Shanel AGOVAKA, Minister, Ministry of Communication and Aviation (Solomon Islands) (see <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/189>);
* Mr Henry ASHTON, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (United Kingdom) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/131>;
* Mr Ričardas DEGUTIS, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Transport and Communications (Lithuania) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/141>;
* Mr Daryn TUYAKOV, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Information and Communication (Kazakhstan) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/161>;
* Ms Lily AKOL, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Information, Communication, Technology and Postal Services (South Sudan) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/175>;
* Mr Eshmambet AMATOV, Vice-Chairman, State Committee of Information Technologies and Communications (Kyrgyzstan) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/66>;
* Ms Sophia PAPATHANASOPOULOU, Head of the National Broadband Planning Department, Ministry of Digital Policy, Telecommunications and Media (Greece) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/104>;
* Mr François RIVASSEAU, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations Office in Geneva (France) (see <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/142>);
* Ms Francisca Elizabeth MÉNDEZ ESCOBAR, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Mexico to the United Arab Emirates (Mexico) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/106>, who announced her country’s intention to maintain its contribution to ITU at 3 contributory units ;
* Mr Moazzam Ahmad KHAN, Ambassador of Pakistan to the United Arab Emirates, Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication (Pakistan) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/159>;
* Mr Kabelo Antony EBINENG, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport and Communications (Botswana) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/133>;
* Mr Jigme THINLYE NAMGYAL, Director General, Ministry of Information and Communications (Bhutan) <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/speech/126>.

**2 Statement by the Director General of the Universal Postal Union**

2.1 The **Director General of the Universal Postal Union**, Mr Bishar Abdirahman Hussein, made the statement available at <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/policy-statement>.

**3 Announcement by the delegate of Hungary**

3.1 The **delegate of Hungary** announced that his country would be hosting ITU TELECOM World 2019 in Budapest in September 2019.

**The meeting rose at 1740 hours.**

The Secretary-General: The Chairman:

H. ZHAO M. ALMESMAR

1. 1 The texts of general policy statements submitted to the secretariat may be consulted at: <https://www.itu.int/web/pp-18/en/policy-statement>. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)