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PROPOSALS ON THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
ON ITU'S INTERNET ACTIVITIES: RESOLUTIONS 101, 102, 133 AND 180

**Introduction**

Resolution 102 (Rev. 2014) PP-14 instructed the ITU Council "to report to the 2018 plenipotentiary conference on the activities undertaken and achievements on the objectives of this resolution, including proposals for further consideration as appropriate ".

In addition, all Resolutions 101, 102, 133 and 180 contain instructions to the Secretary-General to submit annual Reports to the Council of the ITU on issues related to Internet activities.

In addition, the terms of reference of the Council Working Group, as approved by the ITU Council Resolution 1336 (Rev. 2015), defines, inter alia:

"4 consider and discuss the activities of the Secretary-General and the Directors of the Bureaux in relation to implementation of Resolution 102 (Rev. Busan, 2014), and to prepare inputs into these activities as appropriate;

5 consider and discuss the report prepared by the Secretary-General for Council related to Internet activities of the Union and provide comments if necessary; "

In this regard, the Russian Federation expresses its gratitude to the ITU Secretariat for preparing and submitting interim reports on Internet activities to the CWG-Internet meetings, including Document WG-Internet 11/2-E for the 11th meeting of the Group, which describes the activities of ITU for the reporting period from the Council 2017 to December 2017.

**Proposal**

It should be noted that document WG-Internet 11/2-E Report by the Secretary-General on "ITU INTERNET ACTIVITIES: RESOLUTIONS 101, 102, 133 & 180" includes detailed and comprehensive information on various activities carried out by ITU-T, ITU-D, ITU-R and the General Secretariat. To complement the information presented we would like to propose some additions to the document, namely we propose:

- to supplement Sections 2 and 3 of the Report with more detailed information on the WTDC-17 (9-20 October 2017, Buenos Aires, Argentina), indicating specific decisions taken on Objectives and the planned results in the Buenos Aires Action Plan ([https://www.itu.int/dms\_ties/itu-d/md/14/wtdc17/c/D14-WTDC17-C-0115!!PDF-E.pdf](https://www.itu.int/dms_ties/itu-d/md/14/wtdc17/c/D14-WTDC17-C-0115%21%21PDF-E.pdf)), as well as new Study Group questions for the 2017- 2020 Study period (e.g. Questions 1/1, 3/1 and other relevant questions);

- to add to Section 4 a subsection with information about the 10th meeting of the CWG-Internet, which was held on September 20-22, 2017, as well as on online consultations and the 5th physical meeting on the topic "Public Policy considerations for OTTs", which was held with broad and active participation of stakeholders. It is worth to note that 71 contributions were received from various stakeholders (10 from government, 44 from the private sector and industry associations, 13 from civil society, 2 from academic organizations, 2 from intergovernmental organizations) during the consultation, which is a record for the entire time of open consultations showing great interest and high relevance of the topic for Member-States and other stakeholders. The contributions (posted on the [ITU website](http://www.itu.int/en/council/cwg-internet/Pages/consultation-june2017.aspx), as well as in the [OPCWGINT5/2](https://www.itu.int/md/S17-OPCWGINT5-C-0002/en) compilation document) provide sufficient material for further discussion and contained various views of stakeholders on the issues of OTT public policy considerations.

- to include in the title of the Report Resolution 197 “Facilitating the Internet of Things to prepare for a globally connected world” (Busan, 2014) (section 2.11 of the Report describes the activities of SG 20 of ITU-T, which is guided by this Resolution).