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This liaison statement answers [SG9-LS8](https://www.itu.int/ifa/t/2022/ls/sg9/sp17-sg9-oLS-00008.docx).

A new liaison statement has been received from SG16.

This liaison statement follows and the original file can be downloaded from the ITU ftp server at <http://handle.itu.int/11.1002/ls/sp17-sg16-oLS-00023.docx>.

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| **Abstract:** | This reply LS aims to clarify the issues previously discussed on TVOS-related work items and the agreed compromise proposed by TSB, reiterating the need to either change the metadata presentation of Recommendations on the website, or amend the title of the TVOS Recommendations in the J-Series. |

ITU-T Q13/16 would like to thank ITU-T SG9 for the follow up in our previous discussion regarding the issues surrounding the smart TV operating system (TVOS) recommendation series.

ITU-T Q13/16 does not know how much aware of the discussion TSAG might be at this point. So, it is important to clarify that, differently from what SG9-LS8 states, the original problem regarding TVOS series was always the broad words chosen to define the titles and the scope of those Recommendations. While the issues in the scope were addressed in joint discussions, it was not possible to reach a consensus to change the titles of the affected Recommendations. As a compromise, TSB proposed changes on the information displayed in the website pages where the Recommendation details are listed. With more details, website visitors will easily discover that those Recommendations are limited to the scope of cable television services, which is difficult to find out today (currently, this is only possible after downloading the whole text).

Therefore, ITU-T Q13/16 would like to stand with our original compromise. Otherwise, we firmly suggest that ITU-T SG9 initiates a revision of each of the TVOS-related Recommendation.

ITU-T Q13/16 looks forward to re-establishing fruitful collaboration with ITU-T SG9 on TVOS and other matters. For your information, ITU-T Q13/16 will meet again in Rapporteur Group meetings, planned online in January and April 2023. Further information about SG16 can be found at <https://itu.int/go/tsg16>.

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