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Abstract
Decentralization of GTO from Geneva will not bring any significant impact/benefit to the members’ countries. Centralization will ease the administration, management, documentation and operation. Most importantly, there will be more collective decision-making being made when all issues will be debated in one place.

Introduction
GTO is an important organization that manages the issues pertaining to international telecommunications. Decentralization of GTO will not benefit the members and would not provide any significant impact to the members.

Discussion
Centralization of GTO is important to ensure the ease of administration, management, documentation and operation. It is most important that all issues pertaining to global Telecommunications will be discussed, debated and followed by all member countries. As a result of such discussions, any recommendation on technical standards, spectrum and telecommunication development will be adopted by many countries. On the other hand, decentralization will only make some of the suggestions or recommendations to be adopted only by some member countries. In addition, it will add more complexity to the administration, management and operations of GTO.

Conclusion
As a conclusion, we oppose the suggestion to decentralize GTO as it will not give any significant impact or improvement to the organization. Decentralization will only make the discussions and decisions effective only for some regions and will not benefit the industry as a whole.