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| 1. Entity submitting the case study |
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| \*1.1 Country of entity: |  |
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| \*1.2 Name of entity: |  |
| 1.3 Type (one reply only): |
| □ | Member State |
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| □ | Associate |
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| □ | Regional Organisation |
| □ | International Organisation |
| □ | UN Organisation |
| □ | Other |
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| 2. Case study details |
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| \*2.1 Title: |  |
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| \*2.2 Country: |  |
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| \*2.3 Study period: | 2010-2014 |
| \*2.4 Relevant ITU-D Study Group Question: |
| □ | All Study Group 1 Questions |
| □ | Q07-3/1: Implementation of universal access to broadband services |
| □ | Q10-3/1: The impact of the licensing and authorization regime and other relevant regulatory measures on competition in a converged telecommunication/ICT environment |
| □ | Q12-3/1: Tariff policies, tariff models and methods of determining the costs of services on national telecommunication networks, including next-generation networks |
| □ | Q18-2/1: Enforcing national policies and regulations on consumer protection notably in a converging environment |
| □ | Q19-2/1: Implementation of IP telecommunication services in developing countries |
| □ | Q20-1/1: Access to telecommunication services and information and communication technologies (ICT) by persons with disabilities |
| □ | Q22-1/1: Securing information and communication networks: Best practices for developing a culture of cybersecurity |
| □ | Q23/1: Strategies and policies concerning human exposure to electromagnetic fields |
| □ | Q24/1: Strategies and policies for the proper disposal or reuse of ICT waste material |
| □ | All Study Group 2 Questions |
| □ | Q09-3/2: Identification of study topics in the ITU-T and ITU-R study groups which are of particular interest to developing countries |
| □ | Q10-3/2: Telecommunications/ICT for rural and remote areas |
| □ | Q11-3/2: Examination of terrestrial digital sound & television broadcasting technologies & sys.,interoperability of digital terrestrial sys. with existing analogue networks, & strategies & methods of migration from analogue terrestrial to digital techniques |
| □ | Q14-3/2: Information and telecommunications/ICTs for e-Health |
| □ | Q17-3/2: Progress on e-government activities and identification of areas of application of e-government for the benefit of developing countries |
| □ | Q22-1/2: Utilization of telecommunications/ICTs for disaster preparedness, mitigation and response |
| □ | Q24/2: ICTs and Climate Change |
| □ | Q25/2: Access technology for broadband telecommunications including IMT, for developing countries |
| □ | Q26/2: Migration from existing networks to next-generation networks for developing countries: technical, regulatory and policy aspects |
| □ | Resolution 9: Participation of countries, particularly developing countries, in spectrum management |
| \*2.5 Status (one reply only): |
| □ | Planned |
| □ | Ongoing |
| □ | Completed |
| □ | Other. Please specify |  |
| 2.6 Type of initiative (one reply only): |
| □ | Not applicable to this initiative |
| □ | Pilot/trial |
| □ | Initiative funded by USF |
| □ | Other. Please specify |  |
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| 2.7 Start year: |  |
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| 2.8 Length (years) (one reply only): |
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| 2.9 Seat location of the initiative/project: |  |
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| 2.10 Please indicate closest main city and GPS coordinates, if possible: |  |
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| 2.11 Size of the population concerned by the initiative/project: |  |
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| 2.12 Website of the initiative: |  |
| 2.13 Beneficiary region: |
| □ | Global |
| □ | Africa |
| □ | Arab States |
| □ | Asia & Pacific |
| □ | CIS |
| □ | Europe |
| □ | The Americas |
| □ | Not in any region |
| 2.14 Beneficiary countries (please list): |  |
| 3. Detailed description |
| 3.1 Detailed description: |  |
| Description of the country’s geography, terrain, climate, demographics, and socio-economic situation: |  |
| 3.2 Objectives and implementation details: |
| Objectives and implementation details of the initiative/project applications (basic telephony, e-business, e-administration, e-education, e-health, ICT training, etc.): |  |
| 3.3 Considerations: |
| Consideration of indigenous communities, isolated and poorly served areas, small islands and their particular needs and situations: |  |
| 3.4 Financing: |
| Financing and partnership aspects of the initiative, including the estimated total cost of the initiative and the types of funders (e.g. sponsors’ contribution, charitable donations and subsidies from USF): |  |
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| \*3.5 Financial scale of the initiative (one reply only): |  |
| □ | Not applicable |
| □ | Less than USD 100 000 |
| □ | Between USD 100 000 and USD 499 999 |
| □ | Between USD 500 000 and USD 999 999 |
| □ | USD 1 000 000 or more |
| 3.6 Type of initiative (in relation to financing) (one reply only): |
| □ | Not applicable for this initiative |
| □ | Governmentally subsidized (sponsored) |
| □ | Privately subsidized |
| □ | Partnership between government and private sectors |
| □ | Funded by USF |
| □ | Other |
| \*3.7 Type of application/services provided: |
| □ | Not applicable for this initiative |
| □ | Public voice and data services |
| □ | Radio or TV broadcasting |
| □ | E-governance, e-administration |
| □ | Support for small business, e-business |
| □ | E-health |
| □ | Tele-education, e-learning |
| □ | ICT training |
| □ | Disaster preparedness / emergency support / disaster mitigation |
| □ | Environmental monitoring / protection |
| □ | Other |
| 3.8 Type of technology used: |
| □ | Not applicable for this initiative |
| □ | Wired local loop: Copper, optical fibre, etc. (cutomer’s loop) |
| □ | Wireless local loop (customer’s loop) |
| □ | Fixed wireless access (long distance) |
| □ | Mobile wiereless access |
| □ | Satellite two-way communications: VSAT, etc. |
| □ | Wireless LANS and IP-based related networks |
| □ | Terrestrial voice, data, sound or television broadcasting |
| □ | Satellite voice, data, sound or television broadcasting |
| □ | Hybrid or combined technologies |
| □ | Other |
| 3.9 Decision-making process to determine the initiative/project: |  |
| 4. Infrastructure and regulatory environment |
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| 4.1 Infrastructure components (Pre-existing telecommunication facilities, transport access, electricity supply, distance to the nearest local exchange and/or IP network, human resources, security, etc.): |  |
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| 4.2 Regulatory components (Universal service obligations, licensing conditions, frequency availability (for radio-based porjects), other regulatory issues,etc.): |  |
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| 4.3 Other factors which influenced the operating environment (Manufacturers, standards, etc.): |  |
| 5. Technical description and services provided |
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| 5.1 Architecture, type of systems, main technical characteristics, frequencies (for radio-based projects), power consumption, performances (capacity, reliability, quality of service), network management, etc.: |  |
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| **5.2 Installation and deployment** (Network planning, subscriber management, etc.): |  |
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| 5.3 Interconnection to national networks/backbones: |  |
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| **5.4 For each service delivered** (POTS, “IP telephony”, etc.)**: mode** (data type and bit rate) **and quality** (voice quality and bit error rate): |  |
| 6. Cost aspects |
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| **6.1 Cost of the equipment, cost per line and cost of the operation of the system:** |  |
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| **6.2 Cost of each terminal and cost of the service for the user:** |  |
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| **6.3 New technologies deployed for providing reduced cost capital and operating cost solutions:** |  |
| 7. Effectiveness and sustainability of the initiative/project |
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| **7.1 Effectiveness and benefits of the initiative/project for the targeted user groups:** |  |
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| **7.2 Profitability of the initiative/project and/or its contribution to local entrepreneurial activities:** |  |
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| **7.3 Specific strategies to respond to the needs of women, youth, handicapped, indigenous people and other marginalized or socially disadvantaged groups:** |  |
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| **7.4 Aspects of the initiative/project, which could be strengthened to enhance its effectiveness or sustainability maximizing the benefits of telecommunication infrastructure in rural and remote areas:** |  |
| 8. Social and human development impact |
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| **8.1 Overview of key social and human development needs of the population in the initiative/project area:** |  |
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| **8.2 Role and commitment of the initiative/project to addressing these needs:** |  |
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| **8.3 Socio-economic benefits for, and impacts on the community(ies) and/or at a wider level, including support for gender equity, promotion of community participation and the needs of marginalized and disadvantaged populations:** |  |
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| **8.4 Means foreseen to enhance the initiative’s/project’s future contributions to human and social development:** |  |
| 9. Other observations |
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| **9.1 Unexpected results and lessons learned:** |  |
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| **9.2 Anticipated near/long-term initiative/project challenges and reorientation:** |  |
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| **9.3 Additional information considered useful:** |  |
| 10. Related documentation |
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| 10.1 Notes on any changes to case study or documents: |  |
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| 10.2 Description of attachments: |  |
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| 10.3 Attachments (please list the attachments to this contribution): |  |

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