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| **Abstract:** | This Liaison Statement informs the agreement in IRG-AVA to study the draft ITU-T Recommendation J.acc-us-prof “Common user profile format for audiovisual content” at the IRG-AVA, as suggested at the ITU-T Q11/9 and Q26/16 joint rapporteur group meeting (online, 22 September 2021). |

ITU IRG-AVA like to thank ITU-T SG9 and SG16 for [SG9-LS143](https://www.itu.int/net/itu-t/ls/ls.aspx?isn=26600) (reply to [IRG-AVA-LS15](https://www.itu.int/net/itu-t/ls/ls.aspx?isn=26448)) and [SG16-LS244](https://www.itu.int/net/itu-t/ls/ls.aspx?isn=26538), both on the draft ITU-T Recommendation J.acc-us-prof “Common user profile format for audiovisual content”. During the recent IRG-AVA meeting on 23 September 2021, it was reported that Q11/9 and Q26/16 had a successful joint meeting on 22 September 2021, and that have decided that this Draft ITU-T Recommendation would keep its wide scope including not only broadband cable & TV within the remit of ITU-T SG9 but also broadcasting services within the remit of ITU-R SG6 and mobile devices in general, web-casting and other IPTV services and other applications within the remit of ITU-T SG16, so that the Recommendation would be widely implemented on a global scale at the end. As the scope is covered by groups of both ITU-T and ITU-R, which are the parent groups of the IRG-AVA, Q11/9 and Q26/16 have agreed to work on it at IRG-AVA meetings, in accordance with WTSA-12 Resolution 18 and the corresponding provisions in Resolution ITU-R 6.

The Work Item will be discussed at the next IRG-AVA meeting, which is planned to be held in November 2021, under the auspices of the ITU-T SG9 meeting (online, 15 -24 November 2021).

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