



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION



BHUTAN

● National Legislation

○ National Strategy or Policy

● UN Convention

● UN Protocol

○ Institutional Support

○ Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 750 000

(data source: [United Nations Statistics Division](#), December 2012)

Internet users, percentage of population: 25.43%

(data source: [ITU Statistics](#), December 2012)

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- [Articles 225 and 476](#) of the Criminal Code.
- [Articles 160 and 179\(1\)](#) of the Information, Communication and Media Act.

UN CONVENTION

- Signed and ratified, with no declarations or reservations to articles 16, 17(e) and 34(c), the [Convention on the Rights of the Child](#).

UN PROTOCOL

- Signed and ratified, with no declarations or reservations to articles 2 and 3, the Optional Protocol to The Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography