



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION

CONGO, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF



☒ National Legislation

☐ National Strategy or Policy

☒ UN Convention

☒ UN Protocol

☐ Institutional Support

☐ Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 69 575 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 1.68%

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

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- [Articles 172 and 175-177*](#) of the Criminal Code.
- [Articles 160, 169, 173 and 178-180*](#) of the Child Protection Law.

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

- Acceded to the [Optional Protocol to The Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography](#) with no declarations or reservations to articles 2 and 3.