# **CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION**



# **KENYA**

National Legislation

O National Strategy or Policy

**UN Convention** 

**UN Protocol** 

O Institutional Support

**OReporting Mechanism** 

## **BACKGROUND**

Total Population: 42 749 000

(data source: <u>United Nations Statistics Division</u>, December 2012)

Internet users, percentage of population: 32.1%

(data source: ITU Statistics, December 2012)

#### **NATIONAL LEGISLATION**

- Sections 6 and 16 of the Sexual Offences Act.
- <u>Sections 13 and 15</u> of Children Act.
- <u>Sections 46I, 2(a) and 84D</u> of the Amendments on the Kenyan Communications 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 Child.

## **UN PROTOCOL**

• Signed but did not ratify, as of the 30<sup>th</sup> June 2014, the Optional Protocol to The Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography.