



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION

KUWAIT



- ☐ National Legislation
- ☐ National Strategy or Policy
- ☒ UN Convention
- ☒ UN Protocol
- ☒ Institutional Support
- ☐ Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 2 892 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 79.18%

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

UN CONVENTION

- Signed and ratified the [Convention on the Rights of Child](#) with reservation to any article or provision which is contrary to the Islamic Shariah.

UN PROTOCOL

- Acceded, 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](#).

INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT

- [The Central Agency for Information Technology \(*\)](#) launched a National Awareness Program in 2008 and maintains a weekly broadcast in Kuwait Satellite Channel on a variety of IT topics including internet safety.