



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION



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National Legislation

National Strategy or Policy

UN Convention

UN Protocol

Institutional Support

Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 2 217 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 4.59%

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

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- The Sexual Offences Act contains provisions on child molestation but nothing on child pornography.

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 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](#).