



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION



MALAWI

National Legislation

National Strategy or Policy

UN Convention

UN Protocol

Institutional Support

Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 15 883 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 4.35%

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

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- [Section 179](#) of the Criminal Code.

UN CONVENTION

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

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](#).