



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION



MAURITANIA

National Legislation

National Strategy or Policy

UN Convention

UN Protocol

Institutional Support

Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 3 623 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 5.37%

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

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- [Article 306*](#) of the Criminal Code.
- [Articles 47 and 48*](#) of the Protection Code for Children.
- [Articles 15-17*](#) of the Draft Law on Cybercrime.

UN CONVENTION

- Signed and ratified the [Convention on the Rights of Child](#), with reservation to any article or provision contrary to the beliefs and values of Islam, the religion of the Mauritanian people and the State.

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.