



CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION

NICARAGUA



☒ National Legislation

☐ National Strategy or Policy

☒ UN Convention

☒ UN Protocol

☐ Institutional Support

☐ Reporting Mechanism

BACKGROUND

Total Population: 5 955 000

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

Internet users, percentage of population: 13.5%

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

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

- [Articles 175 and 176*](#) of the Criminal Code.
- [Article 5*](#) of Law n. 287 – Code for Childhood and Adolescence.

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

- 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](#)