# **CHILD ONLINE PROTECTION**



## **UGANDA**

National Legislation

O National Strategy or Policy

**UN Convention** 

**UN Protocol** 

O Institutional Support

**OReporting Mechanism** 

#### **BACKGROUND**

Total Population: 36 621 000

(data source: <u>United Nations Statistics Division</u>, December 2012)

Internet users, percentage of population: 14.69%

(data source: ITU Statistics, December 2012)

#### **NATIONAL LEGISLATION**

- Sections 23-26 of the Computer Misuse Act, 2011.
- <u>Section 148</u> of the Criminal Code does not mention explicitly 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**

Acceded to the <u>Optional Protocol to The Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of</u>
<u>Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography</u> with no declarations or reservations to
articles 2 and 3.