



**International Telecommunication Union (ITU)
Arab Regional Office (ARO)**

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**To: ONEE (Office National de l'Electricité et
l'Eau Potable)**


And Administration of Morocco

**Subject: End of Initial validation process: ITU Interactive Terrestrial (Optical Fibers and Microwaves)
Transmission Maps for the ARAB Region**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Within the framework of the implementation of the ITU Project for the implementation of the [Interactive Terrestrial Transmission Maps Project](#) for **the ARAB Region** and further to the two Circular Letters, Request for Information (RFI) sent in January 2013 and [Validation Process](#) sent in March 2013), which were circulated in the Region, we are pleased to announce that ITU have collected substantial input from the concerned stakeholders, and implemented the validation process on the secure ITU TIES website.

The information for ONEE's fibre optic network added to the map was taken from the publicly available 2014 World Bank report "Broadband Networks in the Middle East and North Africa: Accelerating High-Speed Internet Access" (<http://www.worldbank.org/en/region/mena/publication/broadband-networks-in-mna>), and has been given a Validation Status of Green (see definition below). The map was officially launched in October 2013 and, unless we are advised otherwise, this information is therefore ready to be publicly disclosed.

Traffic Light	Description from where information was collected
 A graphic of a traffic light with three circular lights. The top two lights are grey, and the bottom light is green.	Green Traffic Light: Information was sourced from an authentic, reliable publicly available source (such as a company website, annual report, presentation, or other publication), and has been deliberately put into the public domain by the network operator or administration (it is therefore not confidential). The information is current and correct, and there is no reason why a public version could not be put into the public domain.

The [validation process](#) of the collected data for your network will be closed at 31 May 2019 and therefore we kindly ask you to check the [data under TIES website](#) and provide further comments and feedback, if any, by the above mentioned deadline. After the end of May 2019, the **data of your network will be part of the Interactive Terrestrial (Optical Fibers and Microwaves) Transmission Maps to be disclosed in to the public domain on the ITU website.**

With your help and collaboration, ITU will continue working to make this worldwide transmission map as accurate and up-to-date as possible. I look forward to receiving your feedback.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'E. Al Haddad', with a horizontal line underneath.

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