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Regulators, ITU-D Sector Members and
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Subject: ITU Centres of Excellence face-to-face training course on Child Online Protection: Consumer Awareness on Cybercrimes, 15 - 17 October 2019 – Abuja, Nigeria

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite your organization to participate in the face-to-face training course on “**Child Online Protection: Consumer Awareness on Cybercrimes**” to be held from **15 to 17 October 2019**, in Abuja, Nigeria. This training is organized jointly by the International Telecommunication Union and the Digital Bridge Institute, (with support from the GSMA) as part of the Cybersecurity programme, under the auspices of the ITU Centres of Excellence for Africa. The training will be delivered in English.

This capacity building training course aims to provide potentially vulnerable user groups, including, but not limited to children with the skills and knowledge, to use mobile services safely in order to become more connected, independent and safe.

This training is addressed to parents/guardians, teachers, legislative aids, investigators, security intelligence, prosecutors, policy makers, judicial officers and legal practitioners.

Detailed information on this training is described in the training outline that can be downloaded from the ITU Academy portal at the following link <http://academy.itu.int/>.

Registration for the training course should be made online at the aforementioned link no later than **11 October 2019**. Payment details are specified in the training outline.

Additional information on this training course, such as an information note for participants, including a list of recommended hotels, is also available on the ITU Academy portal.

Mr. Yakubu Maitalata, email: ymaitalata@dbi.edu.ng and Ms Elena Stankovska-Castilla, email: elena.stankovska-castilla@itu.int are at your full disposal should you require any information.

We look forward to your active participation and invaluable contribution.

Yours faithfully,



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Liaison to ECA and AU



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