

ASIA-PACIFIC TELECOMMUNITY

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Ref: **APT/PP10-4/PACPs-01** 27 August 2010

Subject: Third set of

APT Common Proposals to the Plenipotentiary Conference 2010 (PP-10)

Dear Sir / Madam.

I am pleased to advise that the 4^{th} APT Preparatory Meeting for PP-10 has concluded successfully with the adoption of $\underline{17}$ Preliminary APT Common Proposals (PACPs). The meeting was held in Bangkok, Thailand from 23-24 August 2010. The list of PACPs developed by the Meeting is given in *Annex 1*.

As decided by the Meeting, I am writing to get your endorsement for the proposals that will be submitted to the PP-10. We would need to submit the proposals to the ITU urgently in order to get the documents translated to the working language in time for the Conference. Therefore, I would urge your cooperation to send the completed Endorsement Forms to the APT Secretariat <u>latest by 15th</u> September 2010.

Your administration is requested to indicate whether "SUPPORTING" or "NOT SUPPORTING" to each PACP. The completed Members' Endorsement Form (*Annex 2*) should be completed and signed by the concern authority and sent to the APT Secretariat by either email (<u>aptpolicy@apt.int</u>) or fax (+66 2 5737479). The 16 PACPs are included in the attached file *APT-PACPs.zip*.

The PACPs will become **APT Common Proposal** (ACP) in accordance with the Approval Procedure approved by the APT Management Committee. The Approval Procedure (*see paragraph 2.4 of the Annex 4*) states that a PACP becomes an ACP provided that:

- a) the proposal is *supported* by at least one quarter (25%) of all APT Members and
- b) the proposal is *not opposed* by more than 50% of the number of Members who support it.

In case if we do not get the required number of responses by the deadline of 15 September 2010, the meeting decided that the proposals will be submitted to the ITU as joint proposals in the name Member countries who supported the proposals.

I take this opportunity to thank you for the support and cooperation provided by your administration to the Preparatory Group for PP-10.

Yours faithfully

(Signed)

Toshiyuki YAMADA Secretary General

TO: APT Member Administrations

Attachments:

Annex 1 List of PACPs

Annex 2 Members' Endorsement Form for ACPs

Annex 3 Approval Procedure for ACPs

APT-PACPs.zip APT Preliminary Common Proposals (PACPs)

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