

CONSULTATION TO INDUSTRY REGARDING IMEI RELIABILITY

The 37 Meeting of Permanent Consultative Committee I: Telecommunications/Information and Communication Technologies (PCC.I),

DECIDES:

1. To consult with the industry the tasks and advances on the mobile device's unique identifier reliability.
2. To request industry members and standardization bodies to response the questionnaire in annex.
3. To instruct the Secretariat of CITEI to forward this decision to the industry members, associations and standardization bodies.
4. To instruct the Rapporteur on Compliance, fraud control and illegal/irregular mobiles devices to submit the results of the consultation at the 38 Meeting of the PCC.I.

ANNEX TO DECISION PCC.I/DEC. 310 (XXXVII-20)

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Organization:

Name of the person answering the questionnaire:

Position/Organization:

Contact E-mail/Phone number:

Questionnaire

1. In regard with the vulnerabilities that allow tampering or alteration of mobile device's identifiers, ITU-T produced the technical report QTR-RLB-IMEI - "Reliability of IMEI, please provide your feedback and comments.
2. Has your organization developed programs or workplans to avoid the tampering/alteration of the mobile devices unique identifiers (IMEI)? If your answer is affirmative, please provide the plans, status and advances.
3. What would your organization consider to be the next steps that industry should take to solve the issues that affect the reliability of unique identifiers?
4. Do manufacturers produce mobile devices with different classes of identifier security depending on the markets or population targets?
5. What would your organization think be the solution to produce unique identifiers without the risk or vulnerability of tampering/alteration?

¹ CCP.I-TIC/doc. 5009/20 cor. 2