

**EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR RESPONSE TO THE QUESTIONNAIRE ON
INFRASTRUCTURE POLICIES AND MEASURES IN GENERAL TENDING TO SOLVE THE
NEEDS OF USERS OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS IN THE AMERICAS
REGION**

The 39 Meeting of the Permanent Consultative Committee I: Telecommunications / Information and Communication Technologies (PCC.I),

DECIDES:

1. Extend the deadline to receive responses on the: QUESTIONNAIRE ON INFRASTRUCTURE POLICIES AND MEASURES IN GENERAL TENDING TO SOLVE THE NEEDS OF USERS OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS IN THE AMERICAS REGION, annex to Decision PCC.I / DEC. 320 (XXXVIII-21) and request the Member States to respond to the questionnaire in question, which is attached in the Annex to this Decision.
2. To request the Member States to send the information listed in the annex to the Rapporteurs on interoperability, infrastructure, connectivity, numbering, services and applications, including Internet and international connectivity: Wilmer Azurza (wazurza@mtc.gob.pe), César Díaz (cesar@lacnic.net), Celedonio Von Wuthenau (celedonio.von_wuthenau@nokia.com), and Oscar Messano (omessano@gmail.com), in order to present the results of the consultation at the 40th Meeting of the PCC.I.
3. To instruct the Secretariat to distribute the attached questionnaire to the Member States, establishing **January 31st, 2022**, as the deadline for responding.

ANNEX TO DECISION PCC.I/DEC. 325 (XXXIX-21)

**QUESTIONNAIRE ON INFRASTRUCTURE POLICIES AND GENERAL MEASURES TO
SATISFY THE NEEDS OF USERS OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS IN THE
AMERICAS REGION**

ANNEX TO DECISION PCC.I/DEC. 320 (XXXVIII-21)

Country:

Name of person answering the questionnaire:

Position / Organization:

E-mail / Phone number of Contact Person

1. What policy measures has your country implemented to improve the coverage of public telecommunications services in rural and underserved areas?

¹ CCPI-TIC/doc. 5134/21 rev. 1

2. Do you consider the use of TV white spaces an enabler to bring connectivity to rural areas?
3. Do you consider that unlicensed use of the 6GHz band is adequate to improve the quality of wireless services? In case your administration has regulated or is evaluating said unlicensed use, are you assessing the implementation of the use of this band indoors and outdoors? What benefits and applications can arise in case the aforementioned implementation takes place outdoors?
4. What projects and/or areas of application of the 4.0 Industry (e.g., smart agriculture, manufacturing, mining, water management, etc.) would you consider taking into account for the development of vertical markets using 5G, the Internet of Things or other solutions prioritizing rural areas?
5. Has your Administration regulated the use of high-altitude stratospheric platforms (HASP)? What aspects of them have been implemented and what application has been given to them?
6. What measures is your Administration taking to increase mobile service coverage in rural areas?