THE LIBERIA INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM

(Republic of Liberia)

Report of the 3rd Liberia Internet Governance Forum held

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Venue: Penn House Event Center , Monrovia

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Acknowledgement

On behalf of the entire Liberia Multistakeholder Group (MAG) and Steering Committee we would like to express my deepest appreciation to all our sponsors and partners. A special gratitude to Ministry of Post and Telecommunications (Minister and Staffs) ,UN IGF Secretariat , UN IGFSA , GLOBAL PARTNERS DIGITAL (UK), CSQUARED LIBERIA, for the support for the event , Liberia Telecommunication Authority-LTA, AFRINIC, ISOC Chapter Liberia and other stakeholders and technical arm of government participating in internet governance policy discussions, Orange Liberia and MTN -Liberia, Ministries, Commissions and Agencies of Government . for heeding call to come and provide clarity on progress in effort to ensure a viable internet development ecosystem in Liberia . Special thanks go to the entire Press Union of Liberia to offer a platform to discuss internet and internet governance matters was timely.

All the partners who played an important role in spurring ideas and support to make 2022 Liberia IGF a success, your input cannot be ignored.

Furthermore, the Organizing/Steering Committee would also like to acknowledge with much appreciation the crucial role of the staff of WAICTANet, ISOC Chapter Liberia through its President Mr. Matthew Roberts supported the 2 events and also Mr. Nolan D. Kaine from the Ministry of Post and Telecommunication who worked tirelessly to coordinate all the activities of the day and the necessary materials to make the celebrations of the day joyous.

Special thanks go to the team that documented the events of the day. *Last but not least, many thanks go to the national convener of the association.* I have to appreciate the guidance given by other players in the industry as well as the panelists especially in the various presentations that improved the understanding of the internet governance and policy issues.

Big thanks for all the comments and advices.

The outcomes of the country level IG meetings such as the Liberia IGF contributes to West Africa Internet Governance Forum (WAIGF) at regional and the Africa Internet Governance Forum (AIGF) at the continental level. Previously and locally to support policy development and national discussion on the state of affair when it comes to internet development issue in Liberia .

1.0 Introduction

Internet Governance Forum the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) is a global multistakeholder platform that facilitates the discussion of public policy issues pertaining to Internet governance. The IGF was one of the most important outcomes of the United Nations World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS) that mandated the United Nations Secretary- General to formally convene the Forum.

The Liberia IGF is supported by the UN IGF Secretariat, administered by the UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA), while the programme of the annual IGF meeting is developed by the Liberia Multistakeholder Advisory Group lead by the National Convener /Project Manager of the Liberia IGF .

Liberia IGF is held in line with UN-Internet Governance Forum as a multi – stakeholder forum for policy dialogue on issue of internet governance. The forum is held in an informal setting, free from binding negotiations. It brings together all stakeholders from government, private sector, technical community, academia and civil society to discuss internet governance issues on an equal footing through an open and inclusive process. The IGF was first held in 2012 and since then there has been no event of sort to date.

Liberia hosted the local IGF in 2021. For 2022 The Liberia IGF had all over 350 participants attended the 3 events (Press Launch ,National Round table and the Youth IGF session and National IGF) held at separate venues over the period from media, civil society, Technical, business/private and government and youth. This type of cooperative engagement is referred to as the multi-stakeholder model of internet Governance, which is one of the key futures for the internet's success. Debates and   discussions   of   this   year were around   the main theme: *"Developing an inclusive and safer internet in Liberia "* .The Liberia Internet Governance Forum (IGF) was hosted in line with the global UN IGF, Africa IGF and West Africa IGF as partner, it will be an annual event to bring Liberians together from various stakeholder groups as equals, in discussions on public policy issues relating to the Internet.

This model is paramount to ensuring that the internet remains for economics and social development. The IGF is a unique platform for all stakeholders to openly exchange perspective and concerns on key issues that may affect the future of the internet for millions of Liberians. National Convener in Partnership with ISOC chapter Liberia, PRIDA focal point, Ministry of Post and Telecommunication and LTA as well as Academia.

Youth is organizing the Liberia IGF in partnership with industry stakeholders to address key Internet issues since 2012 but went dormant, this year 2022 Liberia IGF is a rebirth of this unique platform for Liberians.

This Year, Liberia's 2022 IGF took place from 29th August to 8th September, 2022 and the outcomes will feed into the 17th Annual Meeting of the Internet Governance Forum which will be hosted in hybrid format in Addis Ababa , Ethiopia by the United Nation from November-December 2022.

Forum Organization

Secretariat (Steering & Planning Committee)
This committee will ensure the finalize program for the IGF is in line with the selected them from the MAG meeting . Committee members are in the form of multistakeholder from the current stakeholder's group . (Government , Media , Civil Society , Technical , Business / Private) . This committee will also draft the program/ agenda and play a mobilization role for the event .

Composition :
1.   Peterking Quaye (Head of IGF Secretariat /Chair-committee)
2.   D. Nalon Kaine   (MAG Chair /Co-Chair -Committee Chair)
3.   Sangai Moliwulo (Member)
4.   Lansana G. Sando (Member)
5.   Daniel Nyakonah (Member)
6.   Princess M. Zawu (Member)
7.   Shadrack Mentowah (Member)
8.   Winnie Sawyah-Jimmy (Member)

Technical / Speakers Management Committee :
Brief overview : Advise on technical issue as it relates to the forum event for 2022 . This committee activities or will advise on topics around the theme and workshops or session selection from applicants . They will also advise and suggest speakers based on the theme for that years' in line with the three Internet governance institutions -   Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) Internet Society (ISOC) , International Telecommunication Union (ITU) .
Composition :
1.   Hon. Proper Brown (Advisor)
2.   D. Nalon Kaine   (Chair / MAG Chair)
3.   Matthew Roberts   (Co-Chair) /ISOC Liberia
4.   Peterking Quaye   (Member)
5.   Lansana G. Sando (Member)
6.   Edmund Kloh (Member)
7.   Princess M. Zawu (Member)
8.   Claudio Thompson (Member)
9.   Webster Cassell (MAG Member) / (Member)
10.   Hon. Grace Taiwo (MICAT) *
11.   Sangai Moliwulo (Member)

Media/Communication & Social Media / Website / Rapporteurs & Remote Setup Committee
Brief overview of committee will be in-charge of Media & Social Media / Website / Rapporteurs & Remote participation setup for the forum .
Composition :
1.   Daniel Nyakonnah (Chair-committee)
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3.   Winnie Sawyah-Jimmy (Member)
4.   David Yates (Member)
5.   Warnie SD Kyne (Member)

6.   Shadrack Mentowh (Technical Lead -Remote Set up) -(Member)
7.   Thelma Tete Ahomba (Social Media Lead) -(Member)

1st Liberia Youth IGF Committee - Program & Mobilization
Composition :
- Princess M. Zawu (Advisor)
- Charles Kpan (Member)
- Courage Chileegbe (Member)
- Octavia Giddings * (Liberia IGF Sec. Staff)

Steering/Organizing Committee

The Liberia IGF 2020 Steering /Organizing committee for the 2020 event was steered by the Ministry of Post and Telecommunication (Projects Manager) Mr. Nolan D. Kaine, with representatives from LTA (Sangai Moliwulo) , ISOC Chapter Liberia President (Matthew Roberts) , National Convener from Civil Society (Peterking Quaye) , Media (Daniel Nyakonah & Charles Cuffey) and the Technical Advisor, Edmund Kloh. The organization of the forum was the responsibility of the National Convener/Coordinator whose mission was to provide all necessary logistics equipment to the forum

Advisory /Scientific Committee

The Advisory /Scientific Committee was composed of representatives of the following structures: West Africa IGF Representative (Mary Uduma) , LIBTELCO Rep.(Princess Zawu) , LTA (Sangai Mowuloli) Representative (Regulator) , West Africa ICT Action Network (Liberia) –Peterking Quaye. This committee was chaired by Mr. Nolan D. Kaine. The mission of this committee was to define scientific vision of the forum and to purpose program and panelists in order to achieve the objectives.

Methodology of work
The entire Liberia IGF, hosting process started with a call for theme selection through the Liberia IGF secretariat Email –through Google form and online registration process via Official Liberia IGF website . which was widely circulated, and the highest number was selected for the national theme. Then follow consultative meeting with stakeholders held at the ministry of Post and Telecommunication. A consultative meeting through group to selected topics was also sent out via email and stakeholder who responded to the email selection was used to form the topics for the forum for the year .

The first event was the Media Launch of the 2022 Liberia Internet Governance Forum. The forum held at the Press Union of Liberia as partner to the Liberia Internet Governance Forum . The next event was the 2022 Roundtable Discussion on National ICT Policy held in partnership with the Ministry of Post & Telecommunication , Republic of Liberia in all over 80 participants attended and representatives from Ministries of government , Agencies and Commission and Telecommunications Operators in Liberia (MTN Liberia , Orange Liberia , LIBTELCOM) . Then the

Youth Session and National IGF main event recorded over 80 persons in attendance representing various stakeholders .

In all expert for the main Liberia IGF was organized in 4 sessions and 1 session with the youth held in which with panelist. Each session was conducted in one phase: Presentation: Each speaker made his submission in a panel style /presentation in fifteen (30) minutes related to the theme of the session.

• Session Questions /Answers: Following the presentation, a session of questions / answers allows participants to ask questions to the speakers which served at the end of the session as recommendations for the Liberia IGF final report.

In a warm atmosphere, officials, experts, participants and organizers made suggestions for a new edition of the Liberia Internet governance forum, to contribute to the development of the Internet and the digital economy.

Participants
The forum was attended by Fifty (200) participants from the combine event (Media ,Roundtable and Youth & Main IGF event) from all sectors, private, public sector and civil society (Internet Community).

Setting the Agenda Session/ Program
Welcome Address by & Event Overview by Peterking Quaye , National Convener/Coordinator, Republic of Liberia for - Liberia IGF
The National Convener welcomed all participants to 2020 Liberia IGF.As a tradition recognition was made to honor of the late Abdullai Kamara former National Convener for Liberia IGF and former President of Press Union of Liberia, The Convener also made it known that the Liberia IGF started since 2012 it was held this edition is 3rd since it was re-launch in 2020 at the University of Liberia and will on the work on already progress made by the past leader in the interest of Liberia. He also thanked the forum participants for making it to the event and promised to work with all for the event annually.

The Liberia IGF forum, convener recognized the national partner of the forum , the Ministry of Post and Telecommunication for guiding stakeholders on how to engage the government and shape policy, ,He observed that multi-stakeholder's involvement was reflected in the participation and support of the Liberia IGFs, was well noted . Earlier was the Youth IGF Session , with 50 youth participating in that session to kick-off the days event . Under the same theme ,sub-theme , the role of youth in IGF Process in Liberia . Speakers included Courage Filigbe , Charles Kpan and Victor Jarwolo as well special guest panelist , Ebuka Ogbono, from Meta .

Speaker1: Courage Filigbe ,(Moderator) after introduction defined the session , as key to create awareness to the youth on their role in IGF process in Liberia to include , bringing issues that concern the youth especially on internet connectivity , forum importance and the strong need to involve the youth in the Liberia IGF process .
Speaker 2: Charles Kpan : He raised issues about low presence of youth in IGF process in Liberia , and was concern as to how can this be improved. ,from the Moderator , he was firm that the youth have to be part of the IGF process , which is important is the young generation are the future of Liberia and their involvement in key .
Speaker 3: Victor Jarwolo , as a cybersecurity specialist , his views was to the technical opportunities these forums can offer to youth and give an example of benefit from working closely

with the Ministry of Post & Telecommunication , as well speaking opportunity at the IGF main event as this was his second event .

Guest Panel member : Ebuka Ogbono, was firm to share ideas on the role of his company (Meta) program for youth in Africa and encourage more Liberian youth to be part of the Liberia IGF , through attending meetings and also working closely with key stakeholders .

The themes for 2022 " Internet Development for inclusion in Liberia " , Liberia IGF discussions   were; focused on the theme for the year :
<u>*"Internet Development in Liberia for Inclusion*</u>: discussions under this theme focused on the how the policymakers can work with legislature in act especially on National Cybersecurity Strategy , the role of stakeholders , regulators and civil society actors can assist in the process.

The forum speakers threw light on some of the ways to tackle the ethical challenges posed by cybersecurity strategy in national security for citizens and, in particular. Key to this was reliable ICT networks and their services, which are critical infrastructures, and how are crucial is in Liberia to ensure public welfare, economic stability, law enforcement and defense operations.

The events were:
i. **Event No.1** : As part of the weeklong program for this year's Liberia IGF a special event to officially launch the 2022 Liberia IGF was held and attended by only Media/Journalist and Reporters in all over 35 participants attended . The event was in partnership with the Press Union of Liberia (PUL) on reporting IGF issues in Liberia , it was held at the Press Union of Liberia, Head of Office. The forum afforded participants to understand what internet governance was about and also understand how to report on issues of IG in Liberia. The selection was done by the PUL Secretariat. In attendance was the PRIDA -Focal Point , who was also representing the Ministry of Post and Telecommunication (MOPT) , Republic of Liberia .   (Annex pictorial of the event at the conference Hall of the Press Union of Liberia and Sign in Sheet)

ii. **Event No.2 :** A National Round Table on the Liberia ICT Policy 2012-2024 : This event was hosted in partnership with the ministry of Post and Telecommunication working with the IGF National Convener (Peterking Quaye) and the Liberia MAG members in coordinating the entire event. The and ISOC Liberia Chapter , LTA Representative and Ministry of Post & Telecommunication , Ministry of National Defense , Ministry of Public Works , Ministry of Gender , Children and Society Protection , Ministry of Health and Social Welfare, Telecommunication Sector operators (MTN -Liberia and Orange Liberia, C Square- Liberia, Liberia Telecommunications Corporation-LIBTELCO) , were all in attendance . In all over 80 participants attended and made presentation on progress or success with task the government has aligned with their ministry , agencies and commission . Other key telecommunications sector operators were made presentation on their progress to ensure that uniform access and connectivity in Liberia and cabling process and how government is supporting the process help to increase accessibility but were hopeful that 2023 will see more improvement in connectivity and mobile money service improvement .

iii. Event No.3 : National IGF event :
This session was on the topic: *Developing an inclusive and safer internet in Liberia: How can we achieve a safer internet in Liberia and ensure digital inclusion*? In all was 5 speakers and

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Remote Speaker : on -Data Protection and Privacy in Africa (suggestion for Liberia for a Data Protection Law) Emmanuel Gadasu ,(Under sub theme : Trust & Cybersecurity) presentation:
His key point was on progress made by specific countries in Africa who have Data Protection Laws and how significant it has been for them . His points included , Liberia need a data protection law , as this will help protect citizens data and also ensure their data privacy is respected .
Issues concerning the Africa Data Policy Law , was raised and answered as it's important for a continental Law that all sovereign country can use as a base to enact their local data protection laws . He also disclosed that currently, just over half of African countries have enacted privacy laws and policies. Still, the right to privacy is repeatedly under threat through the introduction of new laws that facilitate surveillance and the collection of biometric data and limit the use of encryption . Giving reasons to why Liberia , need a data protection law , he said , countries including Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Nigeria, Rwanda, South Africa, Togo, Uganda and Zimbabwe have been implementing new measures to protect and secure the personal information of their citizens.

He also made it known that Data protection law applies to all workplaces, business ventures, societies, groups, clubs and enterprises of any type. That includes you if you're a sole trader or self-employed, if you work for yourself or if you're an owner or director. But the rules are the same because if personal data falls into the wrong hands, it makes no difference where the error came from. What matters is that people could be harmed.

He also made it known that there are many benefits to complying with data protection law. As well as being the law, good data protection also makes good economic sense because it saves you time and money.

Recommendation :
He recommended that due to the importance of data protect , there is a need to protect it. This is because if personal data falls into the wrong hands, people could be harmed. Depending on the situation, they could become victims of identity theft, discrimination or even physical harm. So Liberia should initiate the process and host series of consultation to make such law .

"The regulator/ministry in charge in Liberia should also pushing data protection certification as an eligibility criterion for running a business in Liberia , as well as being in discussions with key persons in Liberia to set up a separate data court that can swiftly handle fast growing data breaches.

1 panel session on , Liberia Cybersecurity priority needs, future, challenges and opportunities .
Panelist was Claudious Thompson , James Geedo (absent) and Moderated by Peterking Quaye.
Panelist 1: Claudio Thompson , share his view on the state of Liberia Cybersecurity statement that many institutions has neglected the practice of ensure proper security in their institutions . He called on central government to put the National Cybersecurity Strategy document to action as it has long been at the legislature and stakeholders as wondering when the document will be ready for usage.

Recommendation :
i. Speedy passage of the National Cybersecurity Strategy to ensure that standard and policy can be enhanced in the Liberia
ii. Called on national government to also ensure that the cybercrime act can be passed to ensure that crime committed using digital devices can be prosecuted and also give Liberia a better image .

Mr. Malcom Joseph ,Executive Director of Center for Media Studies & Peacebuilding (CEMPSE) made a presentation on Role of Policymakers in affordable internet ,meaningful access and inclusion in Liberia .HE thanked the sponsors and partners of the 3rd Liberia IGF and the previous Liberia IGFs.

Key point made during his presentation was the strong need for the country to ensure that there is affordable internet for the citizens which is essential to the development of manpower and improvement in work delivery in Liberia . Laws also need to back these actions . Liberia is among nations with the highest cost of internet .

Recommendation :
the view about the level internet access in the country and also highlighted. He revealed several issues leading to internet cost and meaningful access in Liberia to include but not limited to the issues of data cost ,internet quality whilst these were the problems, he realize that more could be done through such forum to ensure the government support for the development of internet in Liberia

Mr. Bettie Kwatama , Team Lead on QoS from Liberia Telecommunication Authority presentation was on -Role of Regulator in ensuring inclusive internet access in Liberia .HE thanked the convener and partners of the 3rd Liberia IGF and the previous Liberia IGFs.

The Liberia Telecommunication Authority for most part of this year , has focused on stakeholder consultation to present a draft Quality of Service Act , according to ,Mr. Kwatama , Quality of Service (QoS) consists of a set of parameters related to the performance of traffic on telecommunication network. QoS definitions contained in the ITU-T as: " The collective effect of service performance which determine the degree of service user satisfaction . He made it known that Act when passed will ensure consumer protection and also ensure that citizens get value for money spent on service offered by telecommunication operators in Liberia . Key point in his presentation was to share with the forum the process made by the regulator in the drafting process and next action .

Mr. Kwatama advice to the forum participants about the importance of Quality of Service Law, that it will help in redress for customers who loss that data or does get the right service from the particular operator and fines that the regulator has put in place for such act .

Mr. Kwatama the national growth on ICT and innovation while the country had not prepared for the risks that were associated with digitization such as lack of policies, legislation, an enabling environment and dependable collaboration.

Question & Answer Time :

Miss. Venessa Odaki -Civil Society ,
Was key on issues on internet service and what measures will be put in place to guarantee quality of service despite the act .

Recommendations and Way Forward
Liberia Cyber Capacity Priority Needs, Future, Challenges and Opportunities
i. The private sector should engage the government on proposed legislations or amendments for creating a conducive business environment. The following recommendations were made on Liberia Cyber Capacity Needs, Future, Challenges and Opportunities as shown below;

ii. Stakeholders and especially civil society should endeavor to keep the government in check due to their tendency to over-regulate.
iii. The national parliament should consolidate their legislative efforts on data protection to put in place a data protection regime in the country to protect citizens' privacy rights, encourage
iv. There is a need for education of users on their rights to determine their digital identity and the importance of data protection.
v. Stakeholders should not fear technology and its regulation but should focus on ways to harness the potential uses of data for a positive impact on people's lives.

Role of the Regulator in ensuring inclusive internet access in Liberia
i. Collaboration at the global, national and industry level was vital in tackling cybersecurity.
ii. Academia should be invited in subsequent Liberia IGF to find ways to integrate cyber security in computer programs in schools and institutions of higher learning.

Data Protection and Privacy -Africa (the case of Liberia)
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General Recommendations
III. The government to find a way of enhancing critical infrastructure and cybersecurity development in Liberia as well legislation and improve access and connectivity in Liberia .
IV. Reiterated Miss Odaika recommended that government through the ministry should be commitment to take steps to stimulate the infrastructure development and uptake of ICT services. For example, in target schools.
V.   He committed to continue advocating for the development of apps to protect children online.
VI. The LTA and Ministry of Post & Telecommunication should continue to enhance the security of Liberia's cyberspace for national coordination and response to cyber threats.
VII. According to Mr. Gadasu, Data Protection Law is key to Liberia , this in good practice to efforts made by other African countries .

VIII.   Mr. Joseph also recommended that government should ensure that there is improvement in infrastructure to enable proper connectivity in parts of Liberia and also look at the issues of cost of internet to the citizens.

IX.   Claudio Thompson recommended that the technical community should get more involve in cybersecurity issues in Liberia .

X.   The national convener also encourage and appeal that civil society, general industry practitioners and government to commit to human rights framework in cybersecurity response, have more collaboration and diversity and involve women and minority groups in Internet Governance.

Challenges

The main challenge with organization of the event was approvals for dates and programs by the Steering committee. Funds were not in time to available from any source in coming. The 2022 , In all the following programs were hosted during the Liberia IGF week 2022 , they are ; 2022 Liberia IGF Official Media Launch , The National ICT Policy Roundtable Discussion , National IGF (including Youth Session). These events were held at different dates and time . Ensuring a well-coordinated events committee worked in line with various mandate and all needed logistics supports were in place .

We still continue to appeal to stakeholders to honor invitations to the Liberia IGF event , as it is important to hear the views and issues of the internet development community in Liberia . There was a mix-up in the printed program which was corrected and everything went smooth. The overrun of time also affected proceedings. Future IGF will ensure that time is properly kept , speakers also turn-up on time to participate in the event and sessions changes are done effectively.

Following from the last year event to make the next event time available on time and also internet access for remote participation .As well ensuring that government role in hosting the event is clearly as the Liberia IGF work inline with the mandate of the UN IGF and hosting in line with the IGF toolkit , MAG members are selected based on their involvement in the internet ecosystem in Liberia to provide their expertise and time to hosting this annual event .

Photos & Press Clippings

Some photos and press clipping are attached under Appendix C. Video clip of the event will be made available on the IGF website and Facebook and other social media pages .

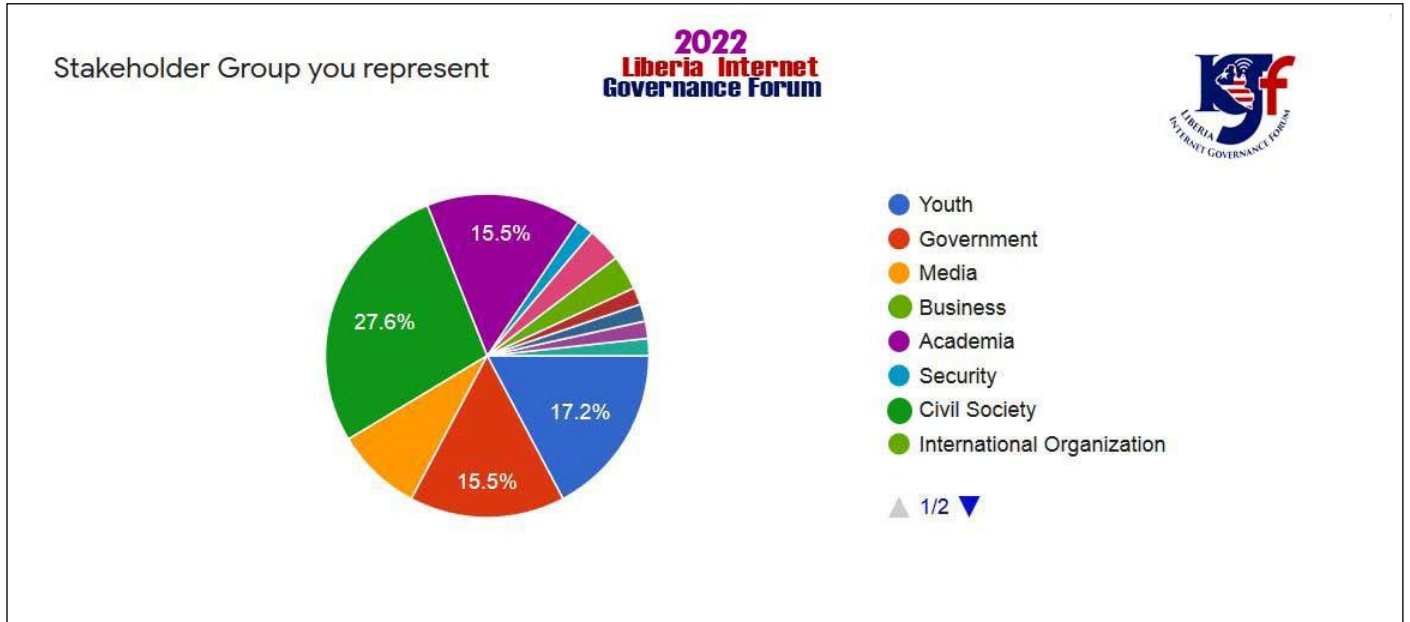# PHOTO GALLERY – National Roundtable on ICT Policy ,Sept 4th 2022

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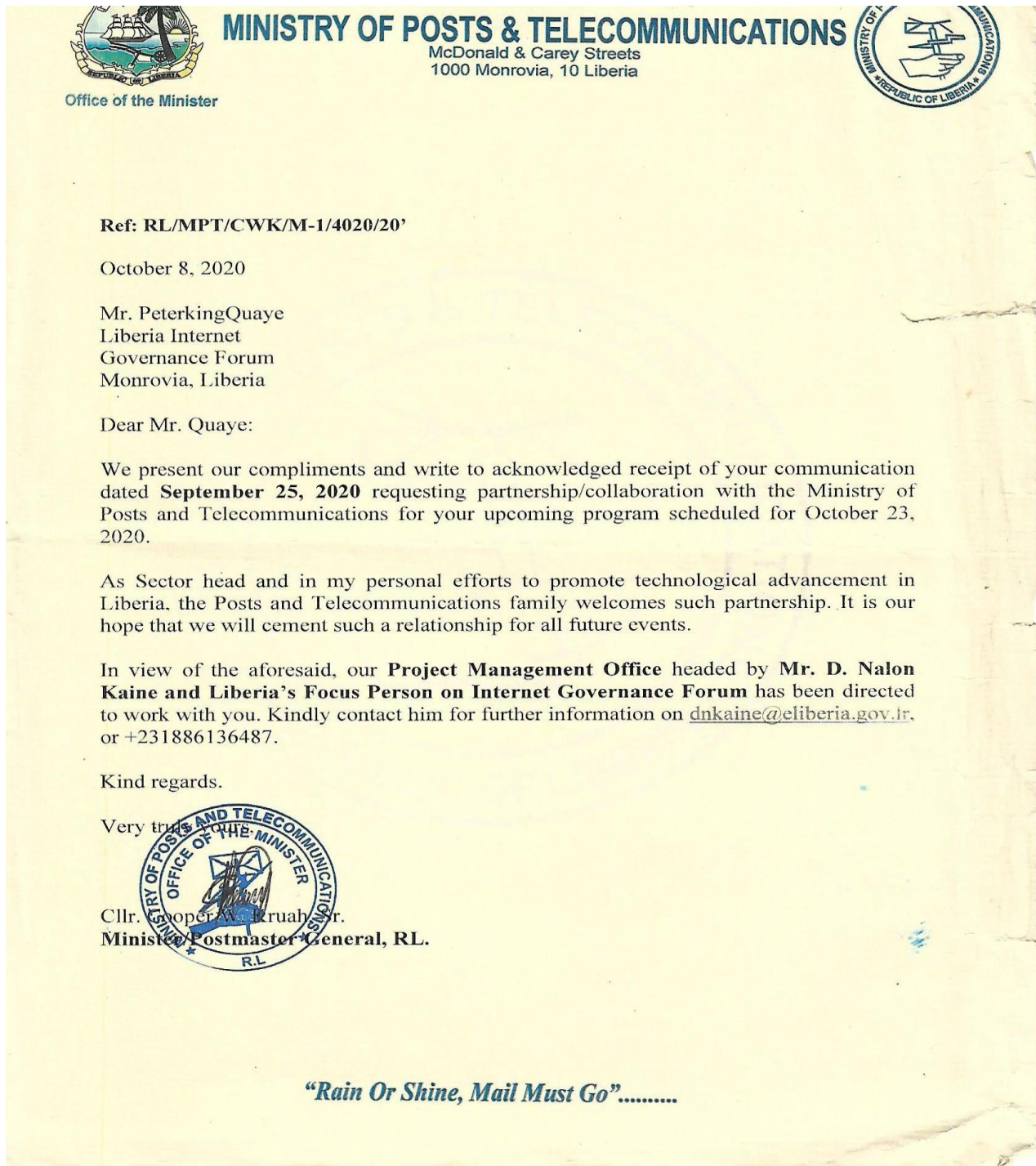
Stakeholder Group Representation

Liberia IGF 2020: Supporter & Partners

PHOTO GALLERY – National IGF ,Sept 8th 2022

Appendix A
Official Letter -*from Ministry of Post and Telecommunication for Liberia IGF*

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October 8, 2020

Mr. PeterkingQuaye
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Monrovia, Liberia

Dear Mr. Quaye:

We present our compliments and write to acknowledged receipt of your communication dated **September 25, 2020** requesting partnership/collaboration with the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications for your upcoming program scheduled for October 23, 2020.

As Sector head and in my personal efforts to promote technological advancement in Liberia, the Posts and Telecommunications family welcomes such partnership. It is our hope that we will cement such a relationship for all future events.

In view of the aforesaid, our **Project Management Office** headed by **Mr. D. Nalon Kaine and Liberia's Focus Person on Internet Governance Forum** has been directed to work with you. Kindly contact him for further information on dnkaine@eliberia.gov.lr, or +231886136487.

Kind regards.

Very truly yours,

Cllr. Cooper W. Kruah, Sr.
Minister/Postmaster General, RL.

"Rain Or Shine, Mail Must Go"..........

List of Attendees –Main Event

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Agenda

TIME	SUB-THEME	TOPIC	AGENDA	SPEAKER
09:00 - 9:45 8:45 - 9:00		Registration		Registration Desk
	Youth Session 1 Panel Session #1	Topic: Youth & IGF in Liberia Questions: 1. The involvement of Liberian Youth in IGF 2. The role of Liberian youth multistakeholder. 3. Factors affecting youth inclusiveness in IGi issue	Moderator: Courage J F T Chilengbo – Business /Private secto Panelist: 1. Mr. Ebuka Ogbono – Meta /Policy 2. Mr. Victor K. Jarlwood — Government /Security Sector 3. Mr. Charles G. Kpan Jr -- Private sector 4. Mr. Ben Rachad Sanoussi .... Intergovernmental Organization/ Remote Participant Rapporteur - Mamadee M. Kamara -- Technical communit@	
09:15 - 09:20		Welcome Address – National Lead Partner 2022 Liberia IGF:		
09:25 - 09:35		Overview of Event	Ministry of Post & Telecommunication Mr. D Nolan Kain (MAG Chair & PMO - MOPT - Liberia) PETERKING - National Convener /Coordinator Liberia Internet Governance	
09:35 - 10:00		Speaking on Theme: "Internet Development for inclusion in Liberia"	Special Guest of Honour - Minister Cooper Kruah Minister of Post & Telecommunication Minister of Post & Telecommunication - Republic of Liberia	
		Coffee Break Youth GROUP PHOTO		
		Opening Ceremony		
10:00 - 10:45		• West Africa IGF - Madam Mary Uduma • Special Statement UN IGF -Anjag Gengo • AU-EU PRIDA Rep - - Adil Suliman (Africa Union Rep & Africa IGF) • ICANN - Mr. Yaovi A'IOHOUN -Director, Stakeholder Engagement & Operations - Africa • Ecowas Commission - Dr. Raphael Kouame KOFFI • Special Remark- ISOC Liberia Chapter • Special Remark - Press Union of Liberia --Mr. Daniel Nyakonah • Special Remark - Liberia Telecommunication Authority (Regulator)		

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