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## **Cybercrime Convention Committee (T-CY)**

# **T-CY 28**

**Report on the 28th Plenary of the Cybercrime Convention Committee**

**Strasbourg and online, 27 – 28 June 2023**

# 28<sup>th</sup> Plenary Meeting of the T-CY

27 – 28 June 2023

## 1. Introduction

The 28<sup>th</sup> Plenary of the T-CY Committee, meeting on 27 and 28 June 2023 in Strasbourg and online, was chaired by Pedro Verdelho (Portugal) and opened by Patrick Penninckx (Head of Information Society Department, Council of Europe).

Some 164 representatives of 77 Parties and Observer States as well as of international organisations and Council of Europe committees participated in person (some 118) or online (some 46) in this meeting.

On 28 June, a treaty ceremony was held that permitted States to sign the Second Additional Protocol to the Convention and to deposit the instrument of accession to the First Additional Protocol.

## 2. Decisions

The T-CY decided:

### Item 1 – Opening of the 28th Plenary and adoption of the agenda

- To note the increasing interest in the Convention on Cybercrime and its Protocols in recent months as reflected in accessions and requests for accession.
- To note that the aggression of the Russian Federation against Ukraine continues to cause suffering among the Ukrainian people, is involving gross violations and abuses of human rights by the Russian regime, and is accompanied by cyberattacks and other forms of cybercrime. To note furthermore that evidence of gross violations and abuses of human rights and war crimes may take the form of electronic evidence and that the tools of the Convention on Cybercrime and its Second Additional Protocol may facilitate the collection and use of such electronic evidence in criminal proceedings to ensure accountability and justice. To also note the recent establishment by the Council of Europe of the Register of Damage Caused by the Aggression of the Russian Federation Against Ukraine.

### Item 2 – State of signatures, ratifications and accessions to the Convention on Cybercrime and its Protocols

- To welcome signature of the Second Additional Protocol to the Convention on Cybercrime by Ministers from Cabo Verde, Ghana and Hungary during the Plenary, which underlines the importance given to this instrument. To also welcome signature of this Protocol since the previous T-CY Plenary by Albania, Argentina, Canada, Dominican Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Malta and Mauritius as well as ratification by Serbia.
- To encourage all Parties to the Convention to sign and ratify this Protocol as soon as possible so that its tools become available to practitioners and, in this connection, to recall that capacity building projects are available to support implementation of this Protocol.
- To welcome ratification of the First Protocol on xenophobia and racism by Slovakia during the Plenary and by Iceland earlier this year.
- To welcome the invitations to Cameroon, Kazakhstan, Korea, Sierra Leone and Uruguay to accede to the Convention on Cybercrime.

- To encourage T-CY representatives to support the ongoing process of consultations with regard to requests for accession in line with the T-CY workplan.
- To recall that invitations to accede are valid for a period of five years, and that once a State has acceded to the Convention, accession to the first Protocol and signature and ratification of the Second Protocol are possible at any time.

### **Item 3 – Information provided by Parties and Observers**

- To welcome the information provided by Argentina, Benin, Brazil, Cabo Verde, Cameroon, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Ghana, Iceland (online), Japan (online), Kazakhstan, Republic of Korea, Malta, Morocco, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Timor Leste, Tonga, Tunisia, Türkiye, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Vanuatu, as well as the European Union Commission, the European Union Agency for Cybersecurity (ENISA), and the Council of Europe Committee of Experts on the Operation of European Conventions on Co-operation in Criminal Matters (PC-OC).
- To underline the impact of capacity building activities on cybercrime and electronic evidence supported by the Cybercrime Programme Office of the Council of Europe (C-PROC) in many Parties and Observer States.
- To note the considerable increase in the use of the tools of the Convention on Cybercrime for investigations and prosecutions in and cooperation between Parties.

### **Item 4 – Guidance Notes (Action 2.1 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To adopt the Guidance Note on the “scope of procedural powers and international cooperation provisions” (document T-CY(2023)6).
- To discuss topics to be covered by future guidance notes in the next T-CY Plenary, such as, for example, on Article 26 of the Convention on spontaneous information.
- To invite the T-CY Bureau to reflect on the need to update previous guidance notes,.

### **Item 5 – T-CY assessments (Action 2.2 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To agree on the methodology for assessment of Article 19 (search and seizure of stored computer data) of the Convention on Cybercrime.
- To welcome the replies to the respective questionnaire already provided by a majority of Parties and request the remaining Parties to submit their replies to the T-CY Secretariat by 31 August 2023.
- To note that the T-CY Secretariat and Bureau members may reach out to Parties should further information or clarification be required.
- To note furthermore the intention of the T-CY Bureau and Secretariat to share a first draft of the assessment report with T-CY members by mid-November for consideration by the T-CY Plenary in December 2023.

#### **Item 6 – Functioning of the 24/7 Network of contact points**

- To welcome that 24/7 contact points are in place in all 68 Parties to the Convention and that almost all are able to respond in an expedited manner as confirmed by recent “ping tests” carried out by the T-CY Secretariat.
- To invite T-CY members to assist the T-CY Secretariat should issues arise related to the functioning of contact points.
- To request the T-CY Secretariat to prepare the draft of a complementary directory of authorities for mutual assistance (Article 27) and extradition (Article 24) under the Convention on Cybercrime for consideration by the T-CY.
- To note that the next annual meeting of the 24/7 Network is scheduled to take place on 20 October 2023 at EUROPOL in The Hague.
- To underline that projects implemented by C-PROC are available to further strengthen the capacities of 24/7 contact points, if necessary.

#### **Item 7 – First Protocol to the Budapest Convention on Xenophobia and Racism (Action 2.4 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To welcome the international conference held on 30 and 31 January 2023 in Strasbourg on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the First Protocol.
- To take note of the work underway on the study on the implementation of the First Additional Protocol to the Convention of Cybercrime, aimed at providing an overview of good practices and challenges regarding criminal justice action against online xenophobia and racism, that is currently in preparation by the capacity building projects implemented by the Cybercrime Programme Office of the Council of Europe.
- To note that the study is to be presented at a workshop on xenophobia and racism committed via computer systems at the Octopus Conference in Bucharest from 13 to 15 December.
- To note the establishment of an online cyberviolence portal and invite T-CY members and observers to share relevant information on legislation, policies, strategies and other resources on cyberviolence.

#### **Item 8 – Second Protocol on enhanced co-operation and disclosure of electronic evidence**

- To welcome signature of this Protocol by an increasing number of Parties to the Convention, including during this Plenary, by Cabo Verde, Ghana and Hungary.
- To welcome the ratification of this Protocol by Serbia.
- To invite T-CY members to support their domestic process of ratification to permit entry into force of this Protocol as soon as possible and to permit its use by practitioners.
- To welcome C-PROC capacity building activities in support of implementation of this Protocol.
- To invite the T-CY Bureau and Secretariat to consider preparing additional materials to facilitate implementation of this Protocol.

### **Item 9 – UN treaty process (Action 4.4 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To encourage Parties and Observers to participate in the sixth session of the Ad Hoc Committee to Elaborate a Comprehensive International Convention on Countering the Use of Information and Communications Technologies for Criminal Purposes (New York, 21 August – 1 September 2023).
- To invite Parties and Observer to share comments on the draft text of the UN Convention by 10 July to permit the T-CY Bureau to prepare a briefing note for T-CY members in view of facilitating common positions of the Parties.
- To encourage representatives of Parties to reach out to the T-CY Secretariat prior and during these negotiations in view of common positions and to ensure consistency of the future treaty with the provisions of the Budapest Convention on Cybercrime.

### **Item 10 – Capacity building (Action 2.5 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To appreciate the capacity building activities undertaken by the Cybercrime Programme Office of the Council of Europe ([C-PROC](#)) based in Romania since 2014 that have been essential for ensuring global impact of the framework of the Budapest Convention on Cybercrime.
- To note that such capacity building projects rely on voluntary contributions, and to welcome therefore the funding made available by the European Union and Parties to the Convention on Cybercrime, including recent contributions by Iceland, the United Kingdom and the USA, and the continuous support provided by Romania to the C-PROC.
- To note with concern that several projects will come to an end by December 2023, and, therefore, to encourage additional contributions to ensure continued delivery of capacity building activities.
- To welcome the forthcoming Octopus Conference on cybercrime that is scheduled from 13 to 15 December 2023 in Bucharest.

### **Item 11 – Financial resourcing of the T-CY (Action 5.1 of the T-CY workplan)**

- To take note that the T-CY is partially funded by the Ordinary Budget of the Council of Europe but also relies on voluntary contributions given that many Parties to the Convention are not members of the Council of Europe and therefore do not contribute to the Ordinary Budget of the organisation.

### **Item 12 – Any other business**

- To take note of the work of the Committee on Artificial Intelligence (CAI) that is negotiating an international treaty on this topic, and that non-member States have the possibility to request the Secretary General to participate in these negotiations which would then permit them to contribute in substance and subsequently to sign and ratify this future instrument.
- To take note that also non-member States of the Council of Europe are able to participate in the enlarged partial agreement on the Register of Damage Caused by the Aggression of the Russian Federation Against Ukraine established by the Council of Europe in May 2023.

### **Item 13 – Date of the 29<sup>th</sup> T-CY Plenary**

- To hold T-CY 29 on 11 – 12 December 2023 in Bucharest, Romania, followed by the Octopus Conference on 13 – 15 December.

## Appendix

### Appendix 1: Agenda

(Please note that agenda items marked with \* are for decision by the members representing contracting Parties to the Convention) (Veuillez noter que les points de l'ordre du jour marqués d'un \* doivent faire l'objet d'une décision par les membres représentant les Parties contractantes à la Convention)

<p>1. Opening of the 28th Plenary and adoption of the agenda</p>	<p>1. Ouverture de la 28<sup>e</sup> réunion plénière et adoption de l'ordre du jour</p>
<p>2. State of signatures, ratifications and accessions to the Budapest Convention and its Protocols</p> <p>Information provided by the Secretariat.</p>	<p>2. État des signatures, ratifications et adhésions à la Convention de Budapest et à ses protocoles</p> <p>Informations fournies par le Secrétariat.</p>
<p>3. Information provided by Parties and Observers</p> <p>Participants are invited to present information on legislative developments, major cases, important events, training provided to other countries, including by international organisations etc.</p> <p>Signatories and States invited to accede are invited to report on progress made towards signature, ratification or accession to the Budapest Convention on Cybercrime (ETS 185), its First Protocol on Xenophobia and Racism (ETS 189) and its Second Protocol on Enhanced Co-operation and Disclosure of Electronic Evidence (CETS 224). States and organisations are invited to submit written contributions prior to the Plenary.</p> <p>Brief interventions (2 minutes per intervention).</p>	<p>3. Informations fournies par les Parties et les observateurs</p> <p>Les participants sont invités à présenter des informations sur les évolutions législatives, les grandes affaires, les événements importants, les formations dispensées à d'autres pays, y compris par des organisations internationales, etc.</p> <p>Les signataires et les États invités à adhérer sont invités à rendre compte des progrès réalisés en vue de la signature ou de la ratification de la Convention de Budapest sur la cybercriminalité (STE n° 185), de son premier protocole sur la xénophobie et le racisme (STE n° 189) et de son deuxième protocole relatif au renforcement de la coopération et de la divulgation de preuves électroniques (STCE n° 224) ou de l'adhésion à ces instruments. Les États et organisations sont invités à soumettre des contributions écrites avant la plénière.</p> <p>Présentations brèves (2 min par intervention).</p>
<p>4. Guidance Notes* (Action 2.1 of the T-CY workplan)</p> <p>T-CY members are invited to consider the draft Guidance Note on the scope of procedural powers and international cooperation provisions prepared by the Bureau in view of adoption (document T-CY(2023)6).</p>	<p>4. Notes d'orientation* (Action 2.1 du programme de travail)</p> <p>Les membres du T-CY sont invités à examiner le projet de note d'orientation sur la portée des pouvoirs procéduraux et des dispositions relatives à la coopération internationale de la Convention établi par le Bureau en vue de son adoption (document T-CY(2023)6).</p>
<p>5. T-CY assessments* (Action 2.2 of the T-CY workplan)</p>	<p>5. Évaluations du T-CY* (Action 2.2 du programme de travail)</p>

<p>T-CY members are invited to consider an update by the Bureau on the status of the assessment of Article 19 of the Convention on Cybercrime – “search and seizure of stored computer data”.</p>	<p>Les membres du T-CY sont invités à examiner une mise à jour du Bureau sur l'état de l'évaluation de l'article 19 de la Convention sur la cybercriminalité – « Perquisition et saisie de données informatiques stockées »</p>
<p>6. Functioning of the 24/7 Network of contact points*</p> <p>T-CY members are invited to consider a report on the functioning of the 24/7 Network of contact points.</p>	<p>6. Fonctionnement du réseau de points de contact 24h//7*</p> <p>Les membres du T-CY sont invités à examiner un rapport sur le fonctionnement du réseau de points de contact 24/7.</p>
<p>7. First Protocol on Xenophobia and Racism</p> <p>T-CY members and observers are invited to consider an update on the good practice study on the implementation of the First Protocol under preparation by the C-PROC.</p>	<p>7. Premier protocole sur la xénophobie et le racisme</p> <p>Les membres et observateurs du T-CY sont invités à examiner une mise à jour de l'étude des bonnes pratiques sur la mise en œuvre du premier protocole en cours de préparation par le C-PROC.</p>
<p>8. Second Protocol on enhanced cooperation and disclosure of electronic evidence*</p> <p>T-CY members are invited to share experience on the application of reservations and declarations of this Protocol.</p>	<p>8. Deuxième protocole sur le renforcement de la coopération et de la divulgation des preuves électroniques*</p> <p>Les membres du T-CY sont invités à partager leur expérience sur l'application des réserves et déclarations de ce Protocole.</p>
<p>9. UN treaty process (Action 4.4 of the T-CY workplan)</p> <p>T-CY members and observers are invited to exchange views regarding the <a href="#">Ad hoc committee to elaborate an international convention on countering the use of ICTs for criminal purposes</a></p>	<p>9. Processus conventionnel des Nations Unies (Action 4.4 du programme de travail)</p> <p>Les membres et les observateurs du T-CY sont invités à échanger leurs points de vue concernant le <a href="#">Comité spécial chargé d'élaborer une convention internationale générale sur la lutte contre l'utilisation des technologies de l'information et des communications à des fins criminelles</a>.</p>
<p>10. Capacity building (Action 2.5 of the T-CY workplan)</p> <p>T-CY members and observers will be provided with an update on activities of the Cybercrime Programme Office of the Council of Europe (C-PROC) in Romania.</p> <p>They are also invited to consider participation in the Octopus Conference scheduled to take place on 13-15 December 2023 in Bucharest (following the 29<sup>th</sup> Plenary of the T-CY).</p>	<p>10. Renforcement des capacités (Action 2.5 du programme de travail)</p> <p>Les membres et les observateurs du T-CY recevront des informations à jour sur les activités du Bureau du Programme sur la cybercriminalité du Conseil de l'Europe (C-PROC) en Roumanie.</p> <p>Ils sont également invités à envisager de participer à la Conférence Octopus prévue du 13 au 15 décembre 2023 à Bucarest (après la 29<sup>e</sup> Plénière du T-CY).</p>
<p>11. Financial resourcing of the T-CY (Action 5.1 of the T-CY workplan)</p>	<p>11. Ressources financières du T-CY (Action 5.1 du programme de travail)</p>

12. Any other business	12. Questions diverses
<p>13. Date of the 29<sup>th</sup> T-CY Plenary*</p> <p>T-CY members are invited to decide on the proposal to hold T-CY 29 on 11 – 12 December 2023 in Bucharest, Romania, followed by the Octopus Conference on 13 – 15 December.</p>	<p>13. Date de la 29<sup>e</sup> réunion plénière du T-CY*</p> <p>Les membres du T-CY sont invités à se prononcer sur la proposition de tenir la 29<sup>e</sup> réunion plénière du 11 au 12 décembre 2023 à Bucarest, Roumanie, sera suivi de la Conférence Octopus du 13 au 15 décembre.</p>
14. Conclusions	14. Conclusions



## **Appendix 2 : List of participants**

### **LIST OF ONLINE AND IN PERSON PARTICIPANTS**

**Cybercrime Convention Committee (T-CY)  
28th T-CY Plenary**

**Council of Europe, Strasbourg**

**27-28 June 2023**

**T-CY BUREAU**

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2.	<b>CANADA</b>	Gareth SANSOM	T-CY Vice-Chair, Deputy-Director, Department of Justice
3.	<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	Nathan WHITEMAN	Director / Principal Legal Officer, Cybercrime Policy and Cooperation Section, Cybercrime & Cross-border Data Branch, International & Security Cooperation Division, Attorney-General's Department, Department of Home Affairs
4.	<b>AUSTRIA</b>	Judith HERRNFELD	Public Prosecutor, Ministry of Justice
5.	<b>COLOMBIA</b>	Diana Carolina KECAN CERVANTES	Minister Counselor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
6.	<b>GEORGIA</b>	Givi BAGDAVADZE	Head of the International Cooperation Unit, Office of the Attorney General
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8.	<b>ROMANIA</b>	Cristina SCHULMAN	Bureau member de jure

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9.	<b>SPAIN</b>	Miriam BAHAMONDE BLANCO	Adviser of the Directorate General for International Legal Cooperation and Human Rights, Ministry of Justice
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#### **T-CY MEMBERS**

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14.	<b>ANDORRA</b>	Representative	International Relations and Legal Cooperation Service - Ministry of Justice and Interior
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24.	<b>BELGIUM</b>	Frederik DECRUYENAERE	Legal Advisor, Head of Office, SPF Justice (Ministry of Justice)

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33.	<b>CABO VERDE</b>	Daniel MONTEIRO	Senior Prosecutor, Ministry of Justice

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55.	<b>GHANA</b>	Representative	-
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57.	<b>HUNGARY</b>	Adrienn KISNÉ Dr. SZABÓ	Head of Unit, Ministry of Interior
58.	<b>HUNGARY</b>	Balint VARRO	-
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