



The Government of the Republic of Indonesia is seeking re-election to the membership of the ITU Council 2018-2022, at elections to be held during the Plenipotentiary Conference 2018 (PP-18), in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, on 29 October - 16 November 2018.

The Government of the Republic of Indonesia would highly appreciate the support of ITU member states toward its candidature.



President of the Republic of Indonesia

H.E. Joko Widodo

## **ACTIVE ROLES**





Participate actively and contribute to the fullest possible extent in the works and activities of the Union, especially with regards to proper budgeting mechanisms, programs and activities planning.



During its most recent Council membership of the 2014-2018 cycle, Indonesia has voiced its and developing countries aspirations on the issues of mechanisms coordination among the three Bureaus of the Union, ICT and digital inclusion for people with disabilities, strengthening cybersecurity measures for member states, and other issues of significant concern in Council meetings.



Indonesia has supported the implementation of ITU PP 1982 Resolution Number 26 on the need for ITU to strengthen its existence in several regions by accepting the establishment of an ITU Area Representative office for South East Asia in Jakarta since 1984.



During PP 1992, Indonesia presented a candidate for the post of the First Director of the BDT (Bureau for Telecommunication Development), and was elected.



As an active Member of ITU since 1949, Indonesia has welded support from developing countries to propose for a greater portion of ITU budget to be reserved for assisting developing countries, and proposing five (5) additional seats for Council Regions A, D, and E, for 1, 2, and 2 seats respectively, which were adopted by PP 1992.

## CONTRIBUTION TO AGENDA ITU CONNECT 2020 AGENDA



Indonesia remains steadfast to actively contribute to the works of the Union aiming to achieve an interconnected world in consideration of new emerging trends and technologies.



Indonesia is in the process of completing its National High Capacity Backbone Network, called "Palapa Ring", which will provide national and regional inter-connectivity to more than 440 cities/ municipalities throughout west Indonesia (Java and Sumatra), central Indonesia (Borneo, Celebes and Moluccas), and east Indonesia (West Papua), and ASEAN and other countries in other continents, such as Australia and Americas.



Indonesia is committed to establishing and enhancing its digital economy, through launching a National Roadmap on e-Commerce, endeavoring Indonesia to become one of Asia's largest digital economies.

Indonesia envisages to build one "unicorn" startup (startup with valuation of USD 1 billion or more) per year to boost its digital economy, in addition to its current "unicorn" startups, such as Gojek, Tokopedia, Traveloka and Bukalapak.





Indonesia contributes to the global effort of allocating spectrum frequencies for 4G and 5G technologies.