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Abstract

The Administration of Singapore is aware of the importance of founding "Capacity Building Centres" for the purpose of knowledge sharing and human resource development related to telecommunications / information technology (ICT) in developing countries. The Administration of Singapore aims to efficient and effective management of it and is going to actively cooperate. For adoption of the proposed program from each region, it should be examined from the point of view of the urgency. Because the Disaster Management is the highest urgency, WTU should adopt it as a program. In consideration of the efficient operation, it should not be executed duplicate program in "Capacity Building Centres ". In addition, since the cooperation of each country is essential, for cost burden, in the same way as the contributions, all country should bear as appropriate of country. However, WTU and Host country should equally bear for the establishment costs. Furthermore, from the viewpoint of effective management, WTU should encourage active cooperation to industry.

Rationale

1. Selection of execution program

i. Recruitment policy of the proposed program from each region

First, in principle, it should be carried out from the urgent program. APT proposed the Disaster Management and e-Agriculture as an execution program proposal. In particular, the urgency of the disaster management is not only limited to the APT, but also is in worldwide. According to the statistics of the UNISDR (The United Nations Office Disaster Risk Reduction), in 2000-2012, the results are 1.7 trillion damage USD, 2.9 billion affected and 1.2 million killed. In addition, in 2012 even when a large disaster did not occur, for one year, 138 billion USD (1380 US \$ 100 million), (impact on the 100 million 6 million people) 106 million affected, and the results of the 9330 deaths has come out. The Administration of Singapore is very concerned about the Disaster Management.

Then e-Agriculture, e-Health and e-Education are should be integrated because they have a remote as common denominator. In the three, depending on the urgency, WTU should consider the

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execution program. In regard to Smart City, there is a demand, but the urgency low, so WTU should not adopt this time.

ii .Recruitment method of each region proposed program when I assume the installation locations of CBCs

Regardless of the location and number of the CBC (Centres Steering Committee), WTU should determine the execution program so as not to overlap at High to Low of urgency. Moreover, there are 5 program proposals from each region, but, by any chance, even if the installation location of CBC (Centres Steering Committee) is three or more, Run programs should not be overlapped. In the same with APT proposal, Singapore thinks that Disaster Management and e-Agriculture have the highest urgency.

2. Basic policy on cost burden

First, in the establishment costs, host country should bear the remaining 50%. To begin with, since the WTU financial is a deficit, it should not increase the burden of further WTU.

Next, in terms of operating costs and dispatch costs, along with the provisions of the contribution (International Telecommunication Union Convention Article 33, the International Telecommunication Union Charter Article 28), countries should bear any foreheads.

Moreover, for the operation of this center, so it is necessary of the cooperation from industry about financial, human resources, know-how, equipment etc., WTU should encourage the active cooperation of the industry.

Proposal

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