

Statement by Mr. Masood Khalid, Deputy Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations (23 April 2002)

Mr. Chairman,

This is the area where we want the United Nations to step in. This is the problem which we want the Department of Public Information (DPI) to focus its energies on. We recognize the importance of publicizing the work of the United Nations to the outside world. But we also feel that it is equally important that the United Nations through its relevant departments and agencies concentrate some of its energies and resources in bridging this digital divide.

Mr. Chairman,

We are grateful to the Secretary General to objectively and dispassionately so that we can increase the effectiveness

the United Nations in carrying out the vision of the Secretary General outlined in his Millennium Report.

Thank you.