Opinion on the Advanced Version (Draft) to the General Comment No. 25 of the United Nations Convention on the Right of the Child (Children’s right in relation to the digital environment)

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| **Article No. of the Draft** | **Opinion** |
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| ***81*** | *With regard to Article 81 of the Amendment (Draft), content in connection with strengthening the guarantee of the children’s right to identity in the digital environment has already been included in Article 80, and the matters related to the identity of every child are the same with the statements provided in Article 8, paragraph 1 and 2 of the Convention on the Right of the Child, which are not specific to the children’s right in relation to the digital environment.* *\* Article 8 of the Convention on the Right of the Child* *1. State Parties undertake to respect the right of the child to preserve his or her identity, including nationality, name and family relations as recognized by law without unlawful interference.*  *2. Where a child is illegally deprived of some or all of the elements of his or her identity, States Parties shall provide appropriate assistance and protection, with a view to re-establishing speedily his or her identity*   |