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Summary

OTT voice bypass is now widely recognized as a form of traffic bypass and a growing source of losses for international inbound voice revenues. This regional Recommendation for Africa focuses on national and regional collaboration between member states and operators to deal with the OTT voice bypass issue.

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