Joint Cybercrime Action Taskforce (J-CAT)
Taskforce Approach in Addressing Transnational Cyber Threats

Chairmansion: Germany

Vice-Chairmansion: US FBI

Identification of priorities → INVESTIGATION ← Investigative opportunities

24/7 Permanent Taskforce Operating from EC3

Europol Unclassified - Basic Protection level / Europol Public Information
Objectives of the J-CAT

- Pro-active
- Intelligence-led
- Coordinated

ACTION AGAINST CYBERCRIME
Staged Approach of the J-CAT

Identification of Cases

Preparation of Prioritised Cases

Investigation and Operational Activities

Prosecution of Investigated Cases
J-CAT Main Areas of Operational Activities

- Cyber Attacks
- Payment Fraud
- Cross Cutting Crime Enablers
- Child Sexual Exploitation
New J-CAT Terms of Reference 2016

Different Roles: Chairmanship, Vice-Chairmanship, Board Members, Cyber Liaison Officers, Secretariat

Procedures for cooperation with other parties playing a role in combating cyber criminality

New formal membership application procedure
J-CAT 2.0: Attachment Schemes

Law Enforcement Case-Based Attachment

Private Sector Case-Based Attachment
Operational Successes to Date

2014: 3

2015: 8

2017*: 7

2016: 10
Thank you