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Report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-eighth session and provisional agenda and dates for its forty-ninth session

At its 31st plenary meeting, on 7 June 2017, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-eighth session ([E/2017/24](#));

(b) Decided that the forty-ninth session of the Commission would be held in New York from 6 to 9 March 2018;

(c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-ninth session of the Commission as set out below:

Provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-ninth session of the Statistical Commission

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Provisional agenda and annotations

Note by the Secretariat on the provisional programme of work and timetable for the session

3. Demographic and social statistics:

(a) Demographic statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

(b) Disability statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General and the Washington Group on Disability Statistics

(c) Gender statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) Poverty statistics;

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

- (e) Crime statistics;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

- (f) Refugee statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on Refugee Statistics

- (g) Employment statistics;

Documentation

Report of the International Labour Organization

- (h) Civil registration and vital statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (i) Ageing and age-disaggregated data.

Documentation

Report of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

4. Economic statistics:

- (a) National accounts;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts

- (b) Agricultural and rural statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

- (c) Energy statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) International trade and economic globalization statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on International Trade and Economic Globalization Statistics

- (e) Service statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Voorburg Group on Service Statistics

- (f) Information and communications technology statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Partnership on Measuring Information and Communication Technology for Development

- (g) International Comparison Programme;

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

- (h) Statistics on science, technology and innovation;

Documentation

Report of the Institute for Statistics of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

- (i) Informal sector statistics.

Documentation

Report of the Delhi Group on Informal Sector Statistics

5. Natural resources and environment statistics:

- (a) Environment statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (b) Environmental-economic accounting;

Documentation

Report of the Committee of Experts on Environmental-Economic Accounting

- (c) Statistics for economies based on natural resources.

Documentation

Report of the Ulaanbaatar Group on Statistics for Economies Based on Natural Resources

6. Activities not classified by field:

- (a) Coordination of statistical programmes;

Documentation

Report of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities

Report of the Committee of the Chief Statisticians of the United Nations System

- (b) Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Friends of the Chair group

- (c) International statistical classifications;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on International Statistical Classifications

- (d) Data and indicators for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;

Documentation

Report of the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goal Indicators

Report of the High-level Group for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity-Building for Statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Report of the Secretary-General on the work for the review of progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals

- (e) Follow-up to the policy decisions of the General Assembly and the Economic and Social Council;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (f) Integration of statistical and geospatial information;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information

- (g) Big data;

Documentation

Report of the Global Working Group on Big Data for Official Statistics

- (h) Regional statistical development;

Documentation

Report of the Economic Commission for Africa on regional statistical development in Africa

- (i) Governance, peace and security statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Praia Group on Governance Statistics

- (j) Open data.

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

7. Programme questions (Statistics Division).

8. Provisional agenda and dates for the fiftieth session of the Commission.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat containing the draft provisional agenda for the fiftieth session of the Commission

Note by the Secretariat on the draft multi-year programme of work of the Commission

9. Report of the Commission on its forty-ninth session.