

**CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN STATISTICIANS**

Session on National Accounts for CIS Countries and  
other Transition Economies  
(Geneva, 27 April 2004)

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE MEETING**

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva  
on 27 April 2004, starting at 14:30

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Introductory remarks
3. Methods used to estimate the Non-Observed Economy (NOE)
4. Financial intermediation services indirectly measured (FISIM)
5. Future work
6. Information Item

Provisional timetable

- 14:30-14:40**    **Items 1 & 2:** Lidia Bratanova, ECE Statistical Division will open the Meeting
- Item 3: Methods used to estimate the Non-Observed Economy**
- 14:40-14:55**    Results of the recent UNECE survey of the methods used to estimate the NOE  
(**Working Paper 2 - Powerpoint presentation**)  
**Presentation:** Lidia Bratanova, UNECE
- 14:55-15:30**    General discussion and comments  
Participants will be invited to report on their countries' plans to improve NOE  
estimates, particularly those countries not included in the UNECE survey.
- 15:30- 15:45**    **Item 6: Information Item: National Accounts data submitted to international  
organisations**
- 15:45-16:00**    Coffee break
- Item 4: Financial intermediation services indirectly measured (FISIM)**
- 16:00 –16:15**    "Problem of bad debt and accounting for FISIM" (**Working Paper 3**)  
**Presentation:** Aharon Blech , Central Bureau of Statistics, Israel
- 16:15-16:25**    "Allocation of FISIM: Current developments" (**Working Paper 4**)  
**Presentation:** Matthew Shearing, UNECE
- 16:45-17:15**    General discussion and comments
- 17:15-17:30**    **Item 5: Future work**