**Decisions submitted to silence procedure following formal meeting with remote participation
of the 70th plenary session of the Conference of European Statisticians, 20-22 June 2022**

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1	ECE/CES/102	The Conference adopted the provisional agenda of its 70th session.
2	ECE/CES/2022/17	The Conference reaffirmed its commitment to the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics and emphasized their continued importance, and encouraged all countries to use the shared resources to continue promoting and communicating about the Fundamental Principles and official statistics.
3	ECE/CES/2022/2 and 2/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the proposed list of core values and their descriptions, and the mappings of core values to the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics and other standards. The Conference supported the continuation of the work on the elaboration of behaviours that demonstrate the implementation of the core values and the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics in practice.
4		The Conference confirmed the following topics of the upcoming in-depth reviews and asked the Secretariat to report back on the outcomes of the reviews in June 2023: - Data ethics (October 2022; led by Canada and the United Kingdom with contribution by Eurostat) - Hard-to-reach groups in administrative sources (October 2022; led by Denmark; Eurostat will contribute) - Measurement of well-being (February 2023; led by Israel; Mexico and OECD will contribute) - Social cohesion – (February 2023; prepared by Canada, Ireland, New Zealand (tbc), Poland, UK, Eurostat and OECD) Countries who would like to contribute to the reviews are invited to inform the Secretariat.
4 (a)	ECE/CES/2022/10 and 10/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the outcome of the in-depth review on non-observed/informal economy and supported the proposal on follow-up work on implementation of the forthcoming framework on measuring the informal economy. The Conference requested the UNECE Steering Group on National Accounts to consider the best way to collect and analyse the experiences of UNECE member countries, and on this basis, identify good practices and develop practical guidance.
4 (b)	ECE/CES/2022/9 and 9/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the outcomes of the in-depth review on subjective poverty, supported the follow-up work on subjective poverty measures and invited countries to consider joining the Task Force. The Conference requested the Task Force on Subjective Poverty Measures to present its report for endorsement to the 2024 plenary session of CES.
5	ECE/CES/2022/12 and 12/Add.1, 12/Add.2, 12/Add.3	The Conference approved the annual report of the High-Level Group for the Modernisation of Official Statistics (HLG-MOS), including the outcomes of the activities carried out in 2021 and plans for the rest of 2022. The Conference supported the continuation of work on modernization of official statistics. National and international statistical organizations are invited to support the HLG-MOS work programme and to become partners in the Statistical Modernization Community.

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6 (a)	ECE/CES/2022/3 and 3/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the document *Measuring the Value of Official Statistics: testing and developing a measurement framework*, supported the proposals for further work and invited countries to consider supporting the preparation of the online tool.
6 (b)	ECE/CES/2022/4 and 4/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the *Guidance on Statistics on Children: Spotlight on children exposed to violence, in alternative care, and with a disability*, supported the proposals for further work and asked the CES Bureau to advise on priorities for further work.
6 (c)	ECE/CES/2022/5 and 5/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the *Handbook on Forms of Employment,* subject to the amendments presented in the summary of the results of the e-consultation on the Handbook. The Conference encouraged countries to implement the Handbook, supported the directions for future work identified in the Handbook, and asked the CES Bureau to consider the proposals for future work on forms of employment.
6 (d)	ECE/CES/2022/6 and 6/Add.1	The Conference endorsed the report *Use of new data sources for measuring international migration.* The Conference welcomed the creation of the Database on Innovations in Migration Statistics (DIMiS) and requested the Secretariat to develop procedures for including in the Database new materials when they become available.
6 (e)	ECE/CES/2022/7	The Conference welcomed the *Guidance on measuring the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on women and men* and invited countries to use the proposed indicators and survey questions.
6 (f)	ECE/CES/2022/8 and 8/Add.1	The Conference took note of the feedback on the updated *Classification of Statistical Activities* received through electronic consultation. The Conference requested the Task Team to continue work towards an internationally agreed global classification.
7	ECE/CES/2022/14 ECE/CES/2022/15 ECE/CES/2022/16 and 16/Add.1 ECE/CES/2022/INF.1 ECE/CES/2022/13	The Conference: - confirmed the decisions of the CES Bureau as reflected in their meeting reports and approved the report on the implementation of the 2021 UNECE Statistical Programme; - adopted the UNECE Statistical Programme for 2022; - adopted the Programme of Work for 2023 including the list of planned publications and meetings, and recommended it to the EXCOM for approval; - endorsed the outline of key components of the programme of work of Statistics subprogramme for 2024, including the amendment recommended by the Bureau; - welcomed the annual report by the Regional Coordination Group on Data and Statistics for Europe and Central Asia, and requested the group to continue reporting annually on its work. The Conference decided on the 71st CES plenary session to take place during the week of 26-30 June 2023 (venue to be confirmed), back-to-back with the OECD Committee on Statistics and Statistical Policy.
8 (a)	ECE/CES/2022/18 and 19	The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session requested the secretariats to continue the current collaboration in areas of mutual strategic importance for the statistical and geospatial communities, including the preparation of an extension to the current collaboration agreement beyond the end of 2022 and organizing another joint plenary session in 2024.

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8 (b)		The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session recognized the importance of developing on-line statistical and geospatial products and services to meet emerging user needs and expectations, and requested the secretariats to take this into account in the activities and events of the various sub-groups of UN-GGIM: Europe and the CES, and to look for further opportunities to collaborate and exchange experiences in this area.
8 (c)	ECE/CES/2022/30 and presentation	The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session welcomed the work by the HLG-MOS Future of Work Team on future work and future workplace, including toolkits, job design, and reaching youth, and supported the continuation of the work taking into account the outcome of the discussions of the joint CES/UN-GGIM: Europe session on this topic. The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session encouraged countries to join the Future of Work Team and/or contribute to the employee, employer and manager toolkits with material from their office.
8 (d)	ECE/CES/2022/20	The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session welcomed the progress on the report on data stewardship, and encouraged other stakeholders in the statistical system and the public sector (such as central banks, geospatial agencies, other government agencies) to contribute to the work. The joint CES / UN-GGIM: Europe plenary session supported the Task Force to continue and proceed with the second stage of the work to develop a maturity model and possible guidance, and finalise the report taking into account comments from the electronic consultation. The report is planned to be submitted to the 2023 CES plenary session for endorsement.
9	ECE/CES/2022/11, 11 Add.1, position statement	The Conference endorsed the outcomes of the in-depth review on collaboration with private sector data providers and thanked CIS-Stat for translating the in-depth review into Russian. The Conference adopted the CES 'Position statement on the access to data held by the private sector for purposes of official statistics' and encouraged all national statistical offices and international organizations to use the document in their communications and negotiations about access to data held by the private sector. The Conference asked the CES Bureau to discuss the follow-up to this session and decide on further steps at its October 2022 meeting.