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Expert Meeting on Modernizing Statistical Legislation

17-18 November 2022, Geneva

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Thursday, 17 November 2022		
Time	Topic	
Opening of the Expert Meeting		
	Welcome and opening of the meeting by Nicola Shearman, United Kingdom Statistics Authority, Chair of the Steering Group, and UNECE Secretariat	
09:45 - 09:50	Adoption of the agenda and practical information	
Session 1: Access to privately held data		
Session moderator: Maria Hurley, Assistant Director General – Corporate Affairs, CSO Ireland		
09:50 - 09:55	Session introduction	
09:55 - 10:10	Outcomes of the CES in-depth review of collaboration with private data providers by Dominik Rozkrut, President, Statistics Poland	
10:10 - 10:25	Revision of the framework legislation for European statistics and facilitating the use of new data source for official statistics by Peter Struijs, Statistical Officer Big Data and Trusted Smart Statistics, Eurostat	
10:25 - 10:40	Questions to the presenters	
10:40 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 - 11:50	Panel discussion: - Marcel van Kints, Chief Data Officer & General Manager, Australian Bureau of Statistics - Dominik Rozkrut, President, Statistics Poland - Yolanda Gomez, Legal Advisor at the Office of the President of INE Spain - Peter Struijs, Statistical Officer Big Data and Trusted Smart Statistics, Eurostat - Manuel Cuéllar, Deputy Director General of Information Integration, INEGI	
11:50 - 12:40	General discussion	
12:40 - 12:45	Conclusions	
12:45 - 14:00	Lunch break	
Session 2: Data stewardship and governance		
Session moderator: Dominik Rozkrut, President, Statistics Poland		
14:00 - 14:10	Session introduction	
14:10 - 14:40	Presentation by Manuela Lenk, Vice Director of Interoperability and Registers, Swiss Federal Statistical Office, followed by questions to the presenter	
14:40 - 15:10	Presentation by Tom Dufour, Director General for Strategic Data Management, Statistics Canada, followed by questions to the presenter	
15:10 - 15:30	Coffee break	
15:30 - 16:00	Towards establishing the role of Chief Data Officer within National Statistics Offices: the Dutch experience by Florian Henning, Data Officer at CBS Netherlands, followed by questions to the presenter	
16:00 - 16:30	Presentation of the work by the UNECE Task Force on Data Stewardship by Urmet Lee, Director General of Statistics Estonia, followed by questions to the presenter	
16:30 - 17:30	Discussion	
19:15	SUBSCRIPTION DINNER	

Friday, 18 November 2022		
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Session 3: Process of revising and enforcing statistical legislation		
Session moderator: Gabriel Gamez, Inter-regional advisor, United Nations Statistics Division		
09:30 - 09:40	Session introduction	
09:40 - 09:55	Adoption of the Law of Ukraine "On Official Statistics" by Ihor Verner, Chair of the State Statistics Service of Ukraine	
09:55 - 10:10	Revising statistical legislation in Latvia by Ieva Zaceste, Head of Legal Department, Statistics Latvia	
10:10 - 10:25	Statistical laws navigator: Improving knowledge and enabling smarter analysis on modern data ecosystem governance by Catherine Krüger, Inter-regional advisor, PARIS21	
10:25 - 10:45	Questions to the presenters	
10:45 - 11:05	Coffee break	
11:05 - 12:30	Discussion in groups	
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch break	
13:30 - 14:30	Guided tour of the <u>UN Museum</u> - special exhibition: "100 years of multilateralism in Geneva"	
14:30 - 15:10	Report back from the groups	
15:10 - 16:10	Panel discussion: - Aikaterini Katsouraki, President's Office, Associate (Legal), Hellenic Statistical	
	Authority	
	- Ieva Zaceste, Head of Legal Department, Statistics Latvia	
	 - Jelena Zivković, Group manager, and Aleksandar Ninkovic, Advisor, Legal Affairs Group, Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia 	
	- Nicola Shearman, Head of International Relations, United Kingdom Statistics Authority	
16:10 - 16:30	Coffee break	
Conclusions and closing		
16:30 - 16:45	Conclusions of the meeting and next steps	
16:45 - 17:15	Discussion	
17:15 - 17:30	Closing	