

## **Decision 2015/216**

### **Report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-sixth session and the provisional agenda and dates for the forty-seventh session of the Commission**

At its 35th plenary meeting, on 10 June 2015, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-sixth session;<sup>1</sup>
- (b) Decided that the forty-seventh session of the Commission should be held in New York from 8 to 11 March 2016;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-seventh session of the Commission as set out below:

#### **Provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-seventh 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 the work and timetable

3. Demographic and social statistics:

- (a) Population and housing censuses;

##### **Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (b) Disability statistics;

##### **Documentation**

Report of the Washington Group on Disability Statistics

- (c) Poverty statistics;

##### **Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) International migration statistics;

##### **Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (e) Education statistics;

##### **Documentation**

Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

- (f) Refugee statistics;

##### **Documentation**

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<sup>1</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2015, Supplement No. 4 (E/2015/24).*

Report of Statistics Norway and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

- (g) Household surveys.

**Documentation**

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on Household Surveys

4. Economic statistics:

- (a) National accounts;

**Documentation**

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National

Accounts

- (b) Industrial statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (c) Energy statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) Distributive trade statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (e) Statistics of international trade in services;

**Documentation**

Report of the Task Force on Statistics of International Trade in Services

- (f) Information and communications technologies statistics;

**Documentation**

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

- (g) International Comparison Programme;

**Documentation**

Report of the World Bank

- (h) Price statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Ottawa Group on Price Indices

- (i) Informal sector statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Delhi Group on Informal Sector Statistics

- (j) Transformative agenda.

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

5. Natural resources and environment statistics:

- (a) Environmental-economic accounting;

**Documentation**

Report of the Committee of Experts on Environmental-Economic Accounting

- (b) Climate change statistics;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (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 Secretary-General on the work of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities

- (b) Statistical capacity-building;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

Report of the Partnership in Statistics for Development in the Twenty-first Century (PARIS21)

- (c) Development indicators;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

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

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (e) National quality assurance frameworks;

**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) Broader measures of progress;

**Documentation**

Report of the Friends of the Chair

- (h) Big data;

**Documentation**

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

- (i) World Statistics Day;

**Documentation**

Report of the Secretary-General

- (j) Regional statistical development in Western Asia;

**Documentation**

Report of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia

- (k) Governance, peace and security statistics.

**Documentation**

Report of the Praia Group on governance statistics

7. Programme questions (Statistics Division).

8. Provisional agenda and dates for the forty-eighth session of the Commission.

**Documentation**

Note by the Secretariat containing the draft provisional agenda for the forty-eighth 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-seventh session.