

1997/219. Report of the Statistical Commission on its twenty-ninth session and provisional agenda and documentation for the thirtieth session of the Commission

At its 34th plenary meeting, on 18 July 1997, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its twenty-ninth session;¹⁷

(b) Decided that the thirtieth session of the Commission should be held in New York from 1 to 5 March 1999;

(c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the thirtieth session of the Commission set out below.

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND DOCUMENTATION
FOR THE THIRTIETH 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 organization of work
Note by the Secretariat on the state of preparation of documentation
3. International trade statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Task Force
4. International economic and social classifications.
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
5. Statistical implications of recent major United Nations conferences.
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation and use of the Minimum National Social Data Set
Report on the seminar on poverty statistics, organized by the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, in collaboration with other regional commissions
6. Aspects of economic statistics.
Documentation
Reports of the groups carrying out work on various aspects of economic statistics, including evaluation of the International Comparison Programme
7. Environment statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Task Force
8. Service statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Task Force
9. National accounts.
Documentation
Report of the Task Force
Draft classification of individual consumption by purpose
Draft classification of the functions of government
Draft classification of the purposes of the non-profit institutions serving households
Draft classification of outlays of producers by purpose
10. Finance statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Task Force
11. Technical cooperation.
Documentation
Report on the initiative to develop best practices and other issues
12. Coordination and integration of international statistical programmes.
Documentation
Report of the Working Group on International Statistical Programmes and Coordination on its nineteenth session
Report of the Administrative Committee on Coordination Subcommittee on Statistical Activities on its thirty-first and thirty-second sessions
Report of the special ad hoc group on the structure and operation of the Statistical Commission
Report on an integrated presentation of statistical work of the international organizations
13. Programme questions and related matters.
Documentation
Draft programme of work of the Statistics Division of the Secretariat for the biennium 2000–2001
Proposals concerning the medium-term plan for statistics
14. Provisional agenda and dates for the thirty-first session of the Commission.
15. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its thirtieth session.

¹⁷ Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1997, Supplement No. 4 (E/1997/24).