

ECOSOC Decision 2007/236

Report of the Statistical Commission on its thirty-eighth session and provisional agenda and dates for the thirty-ninth session of the Commission

At its 41st meeting, on 24 July 2007, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its thirty-eighth session;¹
- (b) Decided that the thirty-ninth session of the Commission shall be held in New York from 26 to 29 February 2008;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the thirty-ninth session of the Commission as set out below:

Provisional agenda for the thirty-ninth session of the 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 the work of the session

Note by the Secretariat on the state of preparation of documentation for the session

3. Programme review: employment statistics.

Documentation

Report of the programme reviewer

4. Demographic and social statistics:

- (a) Human settlements statistics;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

- (b) Paris Group on Labour and Compensation;

Documentation

Report of the Paris Group on Labour and Compensation

- (c) Health statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on Health Statistics

- (d) Social statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (e) Education statistics;

¹ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2007, Supplement No. 4 (E/2007/24).*

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

- (f) Statistics of drugs and drug use.

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

5. Economic statistics:

- (a) National accounts;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts

- (b) Round table on business survey frames;

Documentation

Report of the round table on business survey frames

- (c) International merchandise trade statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Task Force on International Merchandise Trade Statistics

- (d) Statistics of international trade in services;

Documentation

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

- (e) Statistics of services;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on Services Statistics

- (f) Tourism statistics;

Documentation

Joint Report of the Secretary-General and the World Tourism Organization

- (g) International Comparison Programme;

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

- (h) Ottawa Group on Price Indexes;

Documentation

Report of the Ottawa Group on Price Indexes

- (i) Statistics of science and technology;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

- (j) Delhi Group on Informal Sector Statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Delhi Group on Informal Sector Statistics

- (k) Integrated economic statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Friends of the Chair
 - (l) Short-term economic indicators;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (m) Industrial statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (n) Distributive-trade statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (o) Agricultural statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Wye Group on statistics on rural development and agriculture household income
6. National resources and environment statistics:
- (a) Environment statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on Environment Statistics
 - (b) Environmental-economic accounting.
Documentation
Report of the Committee of Experts on Environmental-Economic Accounting
7. Activities not classified by field:
- (a) Coordination and integration of statistical programmes;
Documentation
Report of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities
 - (b) Statistics of human development;
Documentation
Report of the Human Development Report Office of the United Nations Development Programme
 - (c) International economic and social classifications;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (d) Coordination of ongoing methodological work;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General

(e) Statistical capacity-building;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

(f) Dissemination of statistics by the United Nations Statistics Division;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

(g) Development indicators;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

(h) Follow-up to Economic and Social Council policy decisions;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

(i) Principles governing international statistical activities.

Documentation

Report of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities

8. Programme questions (United Nations Statistics Division).

9. Provisional agenda and dates for the fortieth session of the Commission.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat containing the draft provisional agenda for the fortieth session of the Commission

Note by the Secretariat on the draft multi-year programme of work of the Commission

10. Report of the Commission on its thirty-ninth session.