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Report of the Statistical Commission on its fifty-second session and provisional agenda and dates of its fifty-third session

At its 8th plenary meeting, on 8 June 2021, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its fifty-second session;¹
- (b) Decided that the fifty-third session of the Commission would be held in New York from 1 to 4 March 2022;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-third session of the Commission, as set out below:

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND DOCUMENTATION FOR THE FIFTY-THIRD 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 work and timetable
3. Demographic and social statistics:
 - (a) Demographic statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (b) Human settlements statistics;
Documentation
Report of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)
 - (c) Health statistics;
Documentation
Report of the World Health Organization
 - (d) Disability statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Washington Group on Disability Statistics
 - (e) Social statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (f) Gender statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (g) Statistics on drugs and drug use;
Documentation
Report of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
 - (h) Crime statistics;

¹ Ibid., 2021, Supplement No. 4 (E/2021/24).

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

- (i) Education statistics;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

- (j) Civil registration and vital statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

Report of the Expert Group on Refugee and Internally Displaced Persons Statistics

- (k) Ageing-related statistics and age-disaggregated data.

Documentation

Report of the Titchfield Group on Ageing-related Statistics and Age-disaggregated Data

4. Economic statistics:

- (a) National accounts;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts

- (b) Agricultural and rural statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

- (c) Industrial statistics;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

- (d) Business registers;

Documentation

Report of the Wiesbaden Group on Business Registers

- (e) Energy statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (f) International trade and economic globalization statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (g) Digital trade and e-commerce statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Inter-Agency Task Force on International Trade Statistics

- (h) Service statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Voorburg Group on Service Statistics

- (i) Information and communications technology statistics;

Documentation

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

- (j) Tourism statistics;
Documentation
Report of the World Tourism Organization
 - (k) International Comparison Programme;
Documentation
Report of the World Bank
 - (l) Price statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on Price Statistics
Report of the Ottawa Group on Price Indices
 - (m) Informal economy statistics.
Documentation
Report of the International Labour Organization
5. Natural resources and environment statistics:
- (a) Environment statistics;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (b) Environmental-economic accounting;
Documentation
Report of the Committee of Experts on Environmental-Economic Accounting
 - (c) Climate change statistics.
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
6. Activities not classified by field:
- (a) Coordination of statistical programmes;
Documentation
Report of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities
Report of the Committee of the Chief Statisticians of the United Nations System
 - (b) Data and indicators for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;
Documentation
Report of the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goal Indicators
Report of the High-level Group for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity-Building for Statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
Report of the Secretary-General on the work for the review of progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals
 - (c) Follow-up to the policy decisions of the General Assembly and the Economic and Social Council;
Documentation
Report of the Secretary-General
 - (d) Integration of statistical and geospatial information;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information

- (e) Big data;

Documentation

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

- (f) Regional statistical development;

Documentation

Report of the Economic Commission for Europe

- (g) Governance, peace and security statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Praia Group on Governance Statistics

- (h) Open data;

Documentation

Report of the Working Group on Open Data

- (i) Working methods of the Statistical Commission;

Documentation

Report of the Bureau

- (j) Data stewardship.

Documentation

Report of the Working Group on Data Stewardship

7. Programme questions (Statistics Division).

8. Provisional agenda and dates of the fifty-fourth session of the Commission.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat containing the draft provisional agenda of the fifty-fourth 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 fifty-third session.