Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Statistics Division

First Meeting of the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on the Sustainable Development Goal Indicators New York, 1-2 June 2015

Venue: UNHQ, Conference Room 3

Agenda

Monday, 1 June 2015

Morning session (10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)

1. Opening (10 minutes)

- Mr. Wu Hongbo, Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs

- 2. Methods of work of the group (50 minutes)
 - Introduction by UNSD
 - Open discussion

Break (20 minutes)

3. Indicator framework: global, regional, national, sub-national and thematic indicators (50 minutes)

- Introduction by UNSD
- Presentations:
 - National and sub-national monitoring, and its link to global monitoring (Philippines)
 - Regional monitoring, and its link to global monitoring (Cameroon)
 - Thematic monitoring, and its link to global monitoring (WHO/UNICEF)
- Open discussion
- 4. Process of selecting indicators (50 minutes)
 - Introduction by UNSD
 - Presentations:
 - Integrated statistical frameworks Example SEEA (UNSD)
 - Critical issues (disaggregation, inequality etc.) (SCRPD)
 - Open discussion

Afternoon session (2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.)

- 5. Discussion on indicators under specific goals to identify core issues for the work ahead
 - a) Goals 1, 2 and 10 (65 minutes)

- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion

Break (20 minutes)

b) Goals 3, 4 and 5 (65 minutes)

- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion

- c) Goals 6 and 7 (50 minutes)
- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion
- 6. Statements by Major Groups and other stakeholders (10 minutes)

Tuesday, 2 June, 2015

Morning session (10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)

- 7. Continuation of the discussion on indicators under specific goals to identify core issues for the work ahead
 - a) Goals 8, 9, 12 (70 minutes)

- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion

b) Goals 13, 14 and 15 (70 minutes)

- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion

Break (20 minutes)

c) Goals 11, 16 and 17 (20 minutes)

- Introductory remarks by countries and open discussion

Afternoon session (2:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.)

- 7. Continuation of the discussion on indicators under specific goals to identify core issues for the work ahead
 - c) Goals 11, 16 and 17 (Continued) (70 minutes)
- 8. Statements by Major Groups and other stakeholders (6 minutes)

Break (20 minutes)

- 9. Way forward (60 minutes)
 - Introduction and open discussion
- 10. Conclusions
- 11. Closing