Agenda item 12. Workplan and next steps

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Activities of the IAEG-SDGs Nov. 2023– March 2024

Prepare report for the UNSC 55 & IAEG-SDG Nov. and Dec. meetings:

- Nov. 2023: Preparation of the IAEG-SDGs report to the 54th session of UNSC
- 22 Nov. 2023: IAEG-SDG monthly meeting
- Early Dec. 2023: IAEG-SDG monthly meeting

IAEG-SDGs Virtual meetings:

- Monthly closed meetings (Jan.-March dates TBD)
- Bi-annual open meetings (Q1: side event of UNSC 55 and Q4)

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1. Focus on the implementation of the indicator framework, including

- A particular emphasis on: a) geospatial information and elements; b) data integration; and c) non-traditional data and data innovations, all in support of the monitoring the SDGs.
- In addition, continue to share experiences and best practices on monitoring the SDGs, including on national SDG platforms, dashboards and other progress assessment tools, communication of SDG data and data storytelling, data disaggregation and inclusive data, data innovations and national efforts in bridging data gaps for SDG indicators as well as capacity building needs, opportunities and recommendations.
- 2. Regularly review methodological developments and issues related to the indicators and their metadata;

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- 3. Refresh the work stream on data disaggregation to provide further guidance to countries and liaise with other working groups and existing mechanisms for the data disaggregation work;
- 4. Review the work and workplans of the IAEG-SDG working groups on SDMX and Geospatial Information to ensure that they are in line with the work of the IAEG-SDGs;
- Continue the work of the Task Team on Sustainable Tourism;
- 6. Prepare and conduct the 2025 comprehensive review;
- Continue dialogues with custodian agencies to enhance the data flow process for global reporting on the SDGs;
- 8. Hold bi-annual open meetings, including the 15th meeting of the IAEG-SDGs in the fourth quarter of 2024 and continue to interact through regular meetings.

THANK YOU!

