

Summary of decisions of February 2020 IAEG-SDG Member WebEx Meeting
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The IAEG-SDGs held a WebEx meeting on 26 February 2020 to review three indicators for tier reclassification. The meeting was open to all countries, international and regional agencies and entities, and other stakeholders.

Information including the full tier reclassification proposals and presentations are available at the following website: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/meetings/webex-26feb2020/>

The decisions reached by the IAEG-SDGs are summarized in the table below:

Summary of decisions

Indicator	Possible Custodian Agency(ies)	Partner Agency(ies)	IAEG-SDG decision during Feb. 2020 WebEx meeting
12.5.1 National recycling rate, tons of material recycled	UNSD, UNEP	OECD, Eurostat, UNU	Reclassified to Tier II
12.7.1 Number of countries implementing sustainable public procurement policies and action plans	UNEP		Reclassified to Tier II*
17.14.1 Number of countries with mechanisms in place to enhance policy coherence of sustainable development	UNEP		Reclassified to Tier II ⁺

* with a caveat to: 1-not create a combined index, but to instead have a ‘dashboard’ of a limited number of sub-indicators; and 2-delete sub-indicators C (Number of staff dedicated to supporting the implementation of SPP policy or SPP practitioners) and D (Training/Capacity-building of public procurement practitioners on SPP) from the . The list of sub-indicators would be revisited and would depend on data availability. For reference, see proposed table of sub-indicators from the presentation: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/files/meetings/webex-26feb2020/PPT%20SDG%2012.7.1_update%20for%20Feb.pdf

⁺ although IAEG-SDG would revisit once there is more experience with the questionnaire to make it more compact.