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MALAYSIA'S FEEDBACK	
<p>Thank you Mr. /Madame honorable chair and distinguished delegates, Ladies and Gentlemen.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Malaysia would like to welcome the report and to convey our note of appreciation for the effort made by the Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat in the area of demographics statistics. We believe that the report will help us in terms of the development on the use of electronic data collection technologies in a population and housing census as well as the revised set of international statistical standards for civil registration and vital statistics.2. Malaysia <u>is scheduled to conduct her sixth population and housing census in 2020</u> and will disseminate census results on population and housing in a comprehensive and holistic manner.3. Malaysia <u>already adopted</u> the Principles and Recommendations for a Vital Statistics System, Revision 3 in our vital statistics compilation as well as the revision of the Handbook on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Systems: Management, Operation and Maintenance.4. Malaysia also would like to welcome the preparation of three additional methodological outputs, as follows: (i) Guidelines for Assessing the Quality and completion of Civil Registration and Vital Statistics; (ii) the current version of Handbook on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Systems: Preparation of a Legal Framework; and (iii) the current version of the handbook on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Systems; Developing information, Education and Communication.5. Malaysia also will continue to make improvements and modernisation for the civil registration and vital statistics systems; including digitization and integration with administrative and survey data, while recognizing the importance of systematic planning for ICT. <p>Thank you Mr/Madame Chair. [Thank you for your attention]</p>	