

**Meeting of the Task Force on Statistics
of International Trade in Services**

22-24 January 2007

World Tourism Organization, Capitan Haya 42, Madrid

Draft AGENDA

Revised 10/01/07

- 1. Opening by UNWTO Secretary General**
- 2. Adoption of the agenda**
- 3. Progress with Revision of Balance of Payments Manual, SNA and other frameworks related to trade in services - IMF, UNSD, OECD**
- BOPCOM 06-38
- 4. Update of the Manual on Statistics of International Trade in Services (MSITS)**
 - a. Complete review of responses to worldwide consultation on issues for the update of the Manual on Statistics of International Trade in Services and decide on necessary actions. OECD –documents TFSITS (07) 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2f and 2g *provide summaries of responses on Chapter 1, Ch 2, Ch3, Ch4, Annexes and General issues.*
 - b. Discuss drafts of annotated outline chapters for an updated MSITS
 - i) Chapter 1 UNSD (General introduction and overview) -TFSITS (07) 3
 - ii) Chapter 2 WTO (Conceptual framework) -TFSITS (07) 4, 4a
 - iii) Chapter 3 IMF (Services transactions between residents and nonresidents) -TFSITS (07) 5
 - iv) Chapter 4 OECD (Foreign affiliates trade in services statistics) -TFSITS (07) 6, 6a
 - v) Chapter 5 WTO (Measuring trade in services by mode of supply) -TFSITS (07) 7, 7a
 - vi) Annex TSA UNWTO - TFSITS (07) 8
 - vii) Other existing annexes
 - viii) Proposals for new annexes
 - Analytical annex OECD - TFSITS (07) 9
 - Services Export and Import Prices
 - ix) Other issues – name of updated MSITS - other
 - c. Workplan, timetable for chapters and annexes, posting on website and preparation of next steps - OECD TFSITS (07) 10
- 5. Discussion on preparation of future compilation guidance**

6. Knowledge transfer and technical cooperation

- Technical assistance – coordination update – Proposed IMF/TF Trade-in-services
Statistics Seminar

7. Data collection and other developments

8. Any other business

9. Date and location of next TF meeting – provisionally 21 September 2007 in Paris