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**Reports: Governments on the situation in their countries
and on the progress made in the standardization of geographical names**

Report of Estonia

Summary **

The report covers activities in Estonia concerning the standardization of geographical names from 2023 to 2025. Information is provided on the Place Names Act, activities of the Place Names Board, Handbook for the Management of Address Data, the Estonian Topographic Database, the National Place Names Register, and databases. The business analysis of the new address and place name system was completed in 2023. In 2024, the development of the new place name register began, and it will be completed in 2025.

This paper is for information.

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** The full report was prepared by the Place Names Board of Estonia, Estonia. The report will be available under document symbol GEGN.2/2025/109/CRP.109, in the language of submission only, at https://unstats.un.org/unsd/ungegn/sessions/4th_session_2025/