Ninth meeting of the High-level Group for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity Building for statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Palestine, 7-9 November 2017
Venue: tbc
Closed meeting

Provisional Agenda

Tuesday, 7 November 2017

9:00-9:30 Registration of participants

9:30-10:30 Closed session
- Welcome new members
- Election of co-chair
- Representation of the HLG-PCCB in the Programme Committee for the second UN World Data Forum

10:30-11:00
1. Opening
- Welcome from Host
- Remarks from co-Chairs
- Remarks from UNSD
- Introduction of issue partners

11:00 – 11:20 Coffee break

11:20 – 12:30
   a. Decisions of the Statistical Commission
      i. Open Data - presentation of the International Seminar on Open Data for the SDGs held in Korea, September 2017
   b. General Assembly Resolution (A/RES/71/313) and implications on the work of the HLG-PCCB
   c. Discussion

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:45
3. Implementation of the Cape Town Global Action Plan and Capacity Building
   a. Implementation of the Cape Town Global Action Plan
      i. Update by co-Chair
      ii. Presentation by Secretariat
      iii. Tour de table on national experiences
      iv. Discussion
15:45 – 16:00 Coffee break

16:00 – 17:00
  b. Capacity building
     i. Reporting on the work of the Joint Sub-group
        1. Priorities of Tier II indicators
     ii. Presentation by issue partners on capacity building activities
     iii. Discussion on mobilization of resources

**Wednesday, 8 November 2017**

9:30 – 11:00
  4. Update on preparations for the second United Nations World Data Forum (UNWDF)
     b. Update by the Secretariat on the Programme Committee
     c. Update by the Secretariat on preparations for the second UNWDF and key milestones and timeline for the second UNWDF
     d. Update by the host country on the venue and logistical information (via Webex)
     e. Presentation by the Programme Committee co-chairs
     f. Discussion

11:00-11:20 Coffee break

11:20 – 12:20
  4. Continued Discussions

12:30 – 13:00
  5. Closing

13:00-14:30 Lunch

14:30 – 17:00 Closed session
  • Proposed work plan for 2018
  • Preparation of the report of the HLG to the UN Statistical Commission
  • Other activities, including UN Statistical Commission side events, HLPF side events, and UNGA
  • Timeline for the bidding of the 3rd UN World Data Forum
  • Any other business

**Thursday, 9 November 2017**

An all-day event on official statistics in the State of Palestine, including meetings with PCBS's close partners and a glimpse on how official statistics are produced in Palestine (Additional information and details to follow).