



Plenary Meeting

5th Meeting of the Inter-agency and Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goal Indicators (IAEG-SDGs)

Agenda Item 15. Preparation of a proposal for additional indicators and other changes for the 2020 Comprehensive Review

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Comprehensive reviews, including consideration of additional Indicators

UNSC 48 (*draft*) Decision:

(d) ...agreed with the proposed plan for annual refinements of the indicators and the two comprehensive reviews to be presented to the Commission in 2020 and 2025, respectively;

(e) Agreed in principle with the plan for possible additional indicators; however, considering the potential additional reporting burden on countries and mindful of the importance of maintaining the stability of the indicator framework, agreed that this has to be part of the comprehensive review following a proper, open and transparent process;

List of Targets where Additional Indicators may possibly be desirable

(Report of the IAEG-SDGs to the UNSC48, Annex V, E/CN3/2017/2)

- 1.a
- 2.2
- 2.a
- 3.4
- 3.5
- 3.6
- 3.9 (3)
- 3.b
- 3.c
- 4.1 (2)
- 4.b
- 6.4
- 7.1
- 8.5
- 8.7
- 8.9
- 8.10
- 9.2
- 10.2
- 10.3
- 10.4
- 10.7
- 12.4
- 12.6
- 14.4
- 14.7 (2)
- 15.a
- 16.3
- 16.6
- 16.10
- 17.6
- 17.8
- 17.19

Proposed Work Plan for comprehensive reviews including consideration of additional indicators (1)

- IAEG Members will review the current list of 37 possible additional indicators for 33 targets to decide which to include in an open consultation—**by end of 2017**
- IAEG Members will review indicators based on the following:
 - a. Indicator does not map well to the target;
 - b. Additional indicator(s) is needed to cover all aspects of the target;
 - c. New data sources are available;
 - d. Methodological development of tier III indicator has stalled or has not produced expected results;
 - e. Indicator is not measuring progress towards meeting the target.and propose changes and possible deletions—**by fall meeting of 2018**
- One or more open consultations on the proposed possible additional indicators will subsequently be launched —**by end of 2018**
- One or more open consultations on the proposed changes and deletions--**by mid-2019**

Proposed Work Plan for comprehensive reviews including consideration of additional indicators (2)

- IAEG Members will review the results of the consultations, and among proposals that equally address the same issue, IAEG Members may give preference to those proposals with an established methodology and with data available **–by September 2019.**