Overview of UNSC53 decisions and 2022-2023 IAEG-SDG workplan

Open virtual meeting of the IAEG-SDGs: Data, COVID-19 and the SDGs
15 June 2022

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Areas of Work

A. Indicator framework implementation:
   • update good practices on SDG monitoring website, including collecting good practices on data innovation from countries;
   • share capacity building needs already identified with HLG and CCSA;
   • liaise with the HLG on activities on financial support for SDG monitoring to expand dialogue;
   • develop questionnaire to compile capacity building and training programmes on SDG monitoring and develop an online platform of these materials (from custodian agencies, RCs, etc.).

B. Methodological development/metadata review:
   ▪ continue review of any updated metadata with significant change(s) in methodology;
   ▪ metadata sub-group continues reviews of metadata to improve quality;
   ▪ liaise with custodians on E-handbook.
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C. **Data Disaggregation and Small Area Estimation:**
   - update data disaggregation good practices on wiki platform;
   - continue SAE for SDGs support to countries via e-learning and capacity building;
   - Working Group on Geospatial Information task team on data disaggregation to inform and engage with Group.

D. **IAEG-SDG Working Groups:**
   - review working group workplans for additional activities;
   - working groups (Geospatial and SDMX) to carry out work programmes and update Group.

E. **Dialogue with custodians/data flows:**
   - IAEG-SDG co-chairs to meet regularly with CCSA/CCS-UN co-chairs to discuss issues raised by countries;
   - bilateral meetings with custodians as needed.
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**F. Meetings/Working Modalities:**
- IAEG to hold monthly meetings;
- Periodic open meetings;
- 13th meeting in Oct/Nov (possibly a physical meeting).

**E. Specific Indicator issues:**
- **Target 8.9:** IAEG-SDG to develop a task team for the development of methodologies for indicators on sustainable tourism to ensure they are ready for submission for the 2025 comprehensive review;
- **Indicator 17.3.1:** UNCTAD to lead further work on South-South cooperation conceptual framework and report to IAEG on progress; UNSD to support countries on further review and include update to UNSC54.
Thank you!