

Development Account Project

Strengthening statistical capacity in support of progress towards the
Internationally Agreed Developments Goals in countries of South Asia

Consultation session on Statistical capacity-building in South Asia

21 July 2008, Colombo, Sri Lanka

Agenda

Monday, 21 July 2008

Afternoon session 13:30 pm – 17:30 pm

Chair: Mr. Bishnu D. Pant

13:30-15:30 Role of development partners in supporting statistical capacity-
building in South Asia

Presentation by Bishnu Pant

Presentations by: ADB, UNESCAP and UNSD

15:30-15:50 *Coffee break*

15:50-16:30 Resources and funding of statistical capacity-building: country
experiences

Country presentations: Sri Lanka

16:30-17:30 Optimizing and coordinating international resources towards the
statistical development in South Asia

Round table discussion