



United Nations Expert Group Meeting on Statistical Methodology for Delineating Cities and Rural Areas

Conference Room 8, UNHQ

New York

28 - 30 January 2019

PROVISIONAL WORK PROGRAMME

Time	Topic
<u>DAY 1 — Monday, 28 January 2019</u>	
9:00 – 9:45	Registration of participants (pick up grounds passes from UNSD staff at the lobby of Two United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017 - located on 44 th street between 1 st and 2 nd Avenues)
10:00 – 10:30	Session 1 – Opening session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opening remarks – UNSD - Introduction of participants and administrative matters
10:30 – 11:15	Session 2 – Purpose of convening this Expert Group meeting, rationale and process (based on the Concept Note of this Meeting) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by UNSD - General discussion
11:15 – 11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 – 13:00	Session 3 – Presentation of the proposed methodology for delineation of cities and rural areas developed by the European Commission and partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by the European Commission (based on documentation provided in advance and made available to the participants of this meeting) - General discussion
13:00 – 15:00	<i>Lunch</i>
15:00 – 16:15	Session 4 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Brazil - Presentation by NSO of Mongolia - General discussion
16:15 – 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:30 – 18:00	Session 5 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Zambia - Presentation by NSO of Republic of Korea
<u>DAY 2 — Tuesday, 29 January 2019</u>	
10:00 – 11:15	Session 6 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of France - Presentation by NSO of Mexico - General discussion
11:15 – 11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>

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11:30 – 13:00	Session 7 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Portugal - Presentation by NSO of Ecuador - General discussion
13:00 – 15:00	<i>Lunch</i>
15:00 – 16:15	Session 8 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Indonesia - Presentation by Census Bureau of United States - General discussion
16:15 – 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:30 – 18:00	Session 9 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Canada - Presentation by NSO of India - General discussion
<u>DAY 3 — Wednesday, 30 January 2019</u>	
10:00 – 11:15	Session 10 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by NSO of Poland - General discussion
11:15 – 11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 – 13:00	Session 11 – National Presentations on the proposed methodology and its applicability to the national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion
13:00 – 15:00	<i>Lunch</i>
15:00 – 16:15	Session 12 – General Discussion on the proposed methodology, its applicability to national circumstances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion
16:15 – 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:30 – 18:00	Session 13 – Conclusions and recommendations, process and next steps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion - Recommendations and conclusions of the Expert Group Session 14 – Closing session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Closing remarks – UNSD