

**2006 United Nations Expert Group Meeting on the
2010 World Programme on Population and Housing Censuses
10-14 July 2006
United Nations, New York**

Organization of work (Provisional)

Monday, 10 July 2006

Registration of participants (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)

Morning session (10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)

Opening

Introductory remarks by Director of UNSD

Purpose of the meeting

Selection of Chairs and Rapporteur for the meeting

1. Report of the Expert Group Meeting on the Principles and Recommendations for Housing Censuses (5-8 June 2006)

- Presentation by UNSD: (ESA/STAT/AC.114/4)
 - a presentation by the United Nations Statistics Division on the recommendations of the Expert Group Meeting on the Principles and Recommendations for Housing Censuses

2. Draft *Principles and Recommendations for Population and Housing Censuses, Revision 2: Major issues for discussion*

- Presentation by UNSD: (ESA/STAT/AC.114/2)
 - a presentation by the United Nations Statistics Division on major issues in the updated Principles and Recommendations
- General discussion

Lunch break (1.00 p.m.– 2:30 p.m.)

Afternoon session (2:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.)

3. Plenary discussion of the draft and identification of unresolved issues to be taken up in group discussions

The meeting will discuss the draft recommendations while also identifying issues of concern that require more intensive discussions and consultations so that they can be taken up in group discussions and later reported and finalized in the plenary. Determination of unresolved issues will also be based on the discussions of day one. Chairs of the Working Groups will make introductory remarks about the contents of the parts of the draft recommendations that they are responsible for.

- Part One: Operational Aspects of Population and Housing Censuses
(Presentation by Chair of Working Group 2)
- General discussion

Reception (6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.)

Tuesday, 11 July 2006

Rooms open at 9:00 a.m.

Morning session (9:30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.)

4. Plenary discussion of the draft and identification of unresolved issues to be taken up in group discussions (continued)

- Part Two: Topics for Population and Housing Censuses
(Presentation by Chair of Working Group 1)
- General discussion

Lunch break (1.00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)

Afternoon session (2:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.)

5. Plenary discussion of the draft and identification of unresolved issues to be taken up in group discussions (continued)

- Part Three: Census Products and Data Utilization
(Presentation by Chair of Working Group 3)
- General discussion

Dinner, voluntary participation (6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.)

Wednesday, 12 July 2006

Rooms open 9:00 a.m.

Morning session (9:30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.)

6. Group Discussions

The meeting will break into discussion groups corresponding to the three working groups of the Expert Group. The working groups will identify issues of concern that require more intensive discussions and consultations and try to resolve them.

Lunch break (1.00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)

Afternoon session (2:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.)

7. Group Discussions (continued)

Thursday, 13 July 2006

Rooms open 9:00am

Morning session (9:30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.)

8. General Meeting on Results of Group Discussions in Plenary

The Chairs of the Working Groups will present in a plenary session the outcome of their group deliberations. The presentation of each of the working groups will be followed by a general discussion.

- 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. - Presentation on Part One: Operational Aspects of Population and Housing Censuses
- 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. - Presentation on Part Two: Topics for Population and Housing Censuses

Lunch break (1.00 p.m. - 2.30 p.m.)

Afternoon session (2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.)

9. General Meeting on Results of Group Discussions in Plenary (continued)

- 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - Presentation on Part Three: Census Products and Data Utilization

Friday, 14 July 2006

Morning session (10:30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.)

10. Presentation and discussion of draft recommendations

Lunch break (1.00 p.m. - 2.30 p.m.)

Afternoon session (2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.)

11. Presentation and discussion of draft recommendations (continued)