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Comment Form

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## Global Consultation Comment Form

### Revised SEEA Chapter 1 - 6

Deadline for responses: 7 December 2011

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The comment form has been designed to facilitate the analysis of comments. In Part I general comments on the general style, content and coverage of the chapter are sought. In Part II any technical and other comments should be included.

#### Relevant documents

Before submitting responses you are encouraged to read the accompanying papers available on the website.

*Revision of the SEEA: Draft Version for Second Round of Global Consultation, October 2011 – Chapters 1 – 6*

*Reading guide for the SEEA Revision Second Round of Global Consultation*

*Supporting material for selected classifications and lists in the revised SEEA*

### **Part I: General comments**

This is the first global consultation based on the complete set of chapters for the SEEA Central Framework. In this section please provide general comments on the drafts chapters. You may like to consider providing comments on the style and tone, the content and coverage, and the general accessibility of the material.

- Most of our remarks were taken into account
- Easier structure of the document making it as a friendly reader document
- Figures are easier to read
- Better comprehension through the use of examples

### **Part II: Technical and other comments**

In the box below please supply any additional comments including those of a more technical nature. As this is the first consultation where the complete 6 chapters have been released, comments on the consistency of the technical content across the chapters would be appreciated.

Please reference your responses with the relevant paragraph number or section number.

- Thanks for introducing accounting, economic, and specialized tables which are now better for the reader than text only
- Equations are more frequent which helps to understand better the logic of SEEA
- Thanks for introducing more definitions and links regarding demography and employment
- Thanks for the classifications in the annex
- Thanks for talking about resource management besides its protection
- Tables are more elaborate, detailed, and easily to read
- Thanks for the comparisons introduced and which are very useful
- Annex A 5.1 is very good especially that it elaborates the NPV mathematically through equations
- Thanks for introducing combined presentations which are very helpful
- Figure 5.2.1 is excellent