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of national names authorities, legislation, policies 
and procedures

Standardization of administrative area names

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Summary***

To implement resolution I/4 of the First United Nations Conference on the 
Standardization of Geographical Names, on national standardization, the national 
team for the standardization of geographical names compiled a standardization plan 
comprising the following phases:

(a) Standardization of island names;
(b) Standardization of administrative area names;
(c) Standardization of natural topographic feature names;
(d) Standardization of human-made feature names;
(e) Standardization of cultural heritage names.

In the report, the national team focuses on work on the standardization of 
administrative area names, which took place from 2009 to 2011, describing the 
activities carried out during that period.

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** Prepared by the secretariat of the national team for the standardization of geographical names. 
*** The full report is available in the language of submission only from http://unstats.un.org/unsd/ 
geoinfo/UNEGGN/ungegnConf10.html.