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Progress in the development of a toponymic geo-database for the national gazetteer

Submitted by Indonesia**

Summary***

The report provides a description of the current status of the toponymic geo-database being developed by the National Coordination Agency for Surveys and Mapping with a view to establishing a national gazetteer. The geo-database is now in its final stage, where information is being aggregated by region. It is also noted that, in 2011, the Government of Indonesia enacted the Geospatial Information Act, transforming the National Coordination Agency into the Geospatial Information Agency.

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*** The full report is available in the language of submission only from <http://unstats.un.org/unsd/geoinfo/UNGEGN/ungegnConf10.html>.

