

One day high level seminar on the implementation of the System of National Accounts 2008 in the GCC Countries

27 May 2010, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman

Agenda

- 09:00 **Opening**
- Objectives of the seminar
Administrative matters and introduction of participants
Adoption of the agenda
- 09:15 **The System of National Accounts**
- Setting the stage
Use of the national accounts in policy analysis
The 2008 SNA – the way forward to keep pace with the rest of the world
- 09:45 **Assessment of national accounts compilation in GCC**
- 10:00 **2008 SNA implementation programme**
- Background
Implications
Link to high frequency indicators
- 10:30 **Tools for the implementation**
- 11:00 *Coffee break*
- 11:30 **Review of the strategic framework**
- 11:45 **Recommendations from the Seminar on the implementation programme for the 2008 SNA in the Western Asia region.**
- 12:00 **Discussion**
- 12:45 **Conclusions of the meeting**
- 13:00 **Closing of the seminar**