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ITEMS FOR INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION**

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**Items for discussion and decision: QUALITY ASSURANCE IN THE GLOBAL  
STATISTICAL SYSTEM**

**Comments**

- While expressing our support of the report, we suggest to include in the work programme of the Expert Group, to classify countries by the implementation status of the generic National Quality Assurance Framework template and guidelines; support them with special emphasis on those where the implementation is not satisfactory; and enabling exchange of good experience and practices.