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STATEMENT OF TURKEY

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts

Turkey is inspired and pleased by the considerable efforts put by Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts.

We also strongly support the work program of Advisory Expert Group on National Accounts.

We highly appreciate the efforts of International Institution's work. We believe that they should continue to support countries for the efficiency and sustainability of the full implementation of the SNA.

For all new research agenda topics, international agencies and NSOs are highly in need of each other. However the effectiveness and efficiency of this collaboration needs to be enhanced by covering data providers to increase the use of administrative registers in economic statistics. Best practices should be shared and practical guidance on globalization and digitalization should be prepared. Since inclusiveness of the stakeholders into the system is one of the important issues for the production of economic statistics, platforms (trainings and meetings with data providers) should be established to discuss new topics with partners to produce statistics on this issue.

Given the contributions of international organizations to national accounts and economic statistics, it is thought that such collaborations will shed light on the next decades.