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ITEM	Report of the Secretary-General on statistical capacity development
MALAYSIA'S FEEDBACK	

Malaysia would like to welcome the Report of the Secretary-General on statistical capacity development and we appreciate the effort made by United Nation Statistics Division (UNSD). In the case of Malaysia, in 2018 there were 11 events organized/funded by UNSD that have been participated by 15 officers from Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM). Malaysia strongly supports and willing to participate in the upcoming event organized by UNSD.

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IITEM	Progress report of the Statistical Data and Metadata Exchange (SDMX) sponsors on SDMX
MALAYSIA'S FEEDBACK	

We acknowledge that SDMX is an efficient mechanism and processes for the exchange of statistical data and metadata among international organisations and their member countries. However, DOSM is not part of the SDMX sponsored program and capacity building initiatives. In spite of this, we do give full support of the SDMX implementation, particularly in term of capacity development in data and metadata sharing in line with the modernization of our statistical business framework. The implementation of SDMX will also improve our business processes as well as harmonisation and standardisation of statistical metadata.

In line with our Transformation Plan 2015-2020, DOSM is currently focusing on to be the central Statistical Data Hub of Malaysia as the continuation of our Statistics Data Warehouse (StatsDW) which had been in production for more than two years. Further to this, there is a need for us to develop and implement more efficient mechanism and processes in the exchange of data and metadata in StatsDW via SDMX. Hence, we would like to be part of the SDMX capacity building initiative, which will strengthen the function and capability of DOSM in data dissemination per say.