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Statement:

- a) INEC Ecuador is grateful for the information compiled in this report and takes note of it.
- b) INEC Ecuador agrees with the need for a broader group of countries and stakeholders to continue working on the data stewardship approach. From the proposal presented, it is important for the working group to focus on broadening the consultation based on the case studies that have already been carried out and it is necessary for the countries to evaluate their status so that work can be done at a regional level, or based on common situations. Many countries have challenges in terms of current regulations, which limit their actions on the inclusion of actors that are part of the new data ecosystem, so the example of other countries can lead the way forward.
- c) INEC Ecuador is in complete agreement with the path to follow for the preparation of the final document of the third United Nations World Data Forum;
- d) INEC Ecuador has reviewed the proposed work plan of the Group and agrees with it.

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