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<i>Statement provided by:</i> The State of Kuwait	
<i>Statement:</i> Unofficial translation: The revisions (amendments) received are welcomed, since they are more specific to facilitate monitoring of indicators. Measuring the impact of Coronavirus disease Covid 19 on the Sustainable Development Goals: There is a need to provide member states with a list of indicators that have been identified as being most affected by COVID-19. Metadata review: Kuwait supports the proposal to continue updating the metadata and solving the problems in the proposed methods that will enhance the accurate data monitoring processes Workflow related to data classification We support the IAEG's efforts in this regard, considering that the best way to identify vulnerable groups is through more accurate household surveys and questionnaire, with a priority to income and expenditure surveys, and to support the accuracy of data in this regard. Teams of the Group of Experts We support the completion of the work while continuing to support countries' capabilities to use these applications. The Department supports continuing work on improving the integration of geospatial and statistical information for better monitoring included in the work plan for 2030 through supporting the working group in this regard. Work program of the expert group March 2021 to March 2022 We support the IAEG in implementing its scheduled work program during the period from March 2021 to 2022	
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