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<i>Statement provided by:</i> The State of Kuwait	
<i>Statement:</i> Unofficial translation:  We agree with the program and timetable for updating the 2008 System of National Accounts. We stress the importance of alignment with other key statistical evidence and related classification criteria in order to achieve as consistency and consistency as possible.  We emphasize the development and progress made in resolving issues related to globalization, digitization, well-being, sustainability and communications. We also emphasize the importance of providing guidance in the Arabic language as it is one of the official languages of the United Nations, and it should be accompanied with practical examples. Close discussions should also take place with the national account compilers along with the national accounts users. We also point out the importance of classifying and arranging the issues raised and their impact on the gross domestic product.  It is important that the work is undertaken jointly in cooperation between the Working Group on National Accounts and the Regional Commissions.  We emphasize the importance of the above. The assessment should indicate the reasons for not converting or starting the transition to the new system. We call for a feedback and recommendations from the Commission or the Statistics Division.	
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