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Statement:
1. NSO of Mongolia appreciates and supports the milestones on following the development in statistical business register.   a. The global core set indicators of business and trade statistics on the globalization and digitalization; well-being and sustainability; business dynamics, demography, entrepreneurship identified and aligned the terms, definitions, classifications, frequency, coverage and breakdowns with the metadata for the indicators and it had tested in some countries.   Mongolia is pleased to announce its readiness to test these indicators with the Committee.   b. it is proposed to evaluate the business register of our country through the assessment tool and receive technical assistance in the further development of the business register.   c. Mongolia has tried to profile of national group enterprises using international recommendation that Eurostat and UNSD has developed, although the handbook/recommendation has not clear methodology for who are starting the process. Therefore, Mongolia is pleased to receive a technical assistance or methodology that provide profiling process or technique by step by step.   2. NSO of Mongolia is ready to contribute to the activities and initiatives of committee that is planned to be implemented in 2021-2022.   Mongolia would like to have other country examples and best practices on administrative data, big data, web scraping, artificial intelligence to update and maintain the statistical business register and early warning systems.   3. Mongolia supports and plans to implement the following proposals and initiatives that the Committee have been working.   a. To increase production of statistics of businesses based on linkage of statistical business registers with administrative data, Mongolia is also working to link statistical business registers not only with administrative records, but also with economic statistics to link them with foreign trade statistics and household databases, and to produce comprehensive business statistics.   b. Mongolia is planning to extend statistical business register of Mongolia by entrepreneurship record based on establishment census - 2021.

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c. The National Statistics Office of Mongolia is pleased to inform about dissemination of the data on Mongolian SMEs based on the business register database in accordance with the Mongolian Law on Supporting Small and Medium Enterprises, which has been published since 2018.

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