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## Statement:

Egypt appreciates efforts made in the field of regional statistical cooperation between the United Nations Statistical division and that made by ESCWA and commends the progress made by Arab countries in the field of statistical development and cooperation with ESCWA in:

Updating the platforms of sustainable development reports, the national accounts update project and international comparison program, the progress made in demographic statistics represented in multidimensional poverty project, the statistical dictionaries translation project and general guide to official statistics law, the transport and road statistics development project, disaster monitoring and climate change on land cover .

With regard to Egypt's priorities during the coming period, it was indicated to focus on developing national strategy for statistics, completing the automation of marriage and divorce records, and issuing the fifth poverty map.

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