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<i>Statement:</i> Unofficial translation:  The State of Kuwait agrees with the revision process and the work of the consultative group, and endorses the new edition of the Handbook of Statistical Organization.  Kuwait supports issuing the Handbook as a permanent online living document that meets the proposed characteristics and technical requirements.  Kuwait supports publishing Chapter 2 in hard copy with translation into all official languages of the United Nations.  The State of Kuwait agrees on the proposed revision mechanisms. Including the tasks and responsibilities of the advisory team and the organization of thematic conferences.	
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