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<i>Statement provided by:</i> Republic of Korea	
<i>Statement:</i> <p>The Republic of Korea welcomes the revision procedure and its work. When requested, the Republic of Korea will actively support it in order to ensure the high quality and completeness of the new edition of the Handbook.</p> <p>Considering rapid changes in statistical production environment such that COVID-19 has caused many challenges, it seems appropriate to deliver the Handbook in a way that can continuously keep being updated.</p> <p>Statistics Korea will promote this Handbook to statistical agencies within Korea to be used in various ways.</p> <p>The Republic of Korea strongly supports the publication of chapter 2 of the Handbook in hard copy so as to broaden its viewers and is willing to provide translation in Korean.</p> <p>It is reasonable that the Advisory Group is mandated to undertake actual tasks associated with the revision of the Handbook, which can ensure flexibility of the work, while the Statistical Commission will be responsible for important changes and decisions to be made.</p>	
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