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| <i>Statement provided by:</i><br>Spain   |           |
| <i>Statement:</i><br>Spain welcomes the revision process and the work of edition of the new Handbook of Statistical Organization.<br><br>We support publication of chapter 2 "Overview" in hard copy, with translation into all official United Nations languages.<br><br>Finally, as regards to the update and revision mechanisms, we think that the Division itself can carry out updates at regular intervals; while for revisions, the Division would seek detailed guidance from the advisory group, carry out consultation rounds and submit to the Commission for endorsement. |           |
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