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Republic of Korea

Statement:
The Republic of Korea appreciates wide-ranging works and efforts made by the UN Global Working Group(GWG) on Big Data for Official Statistics and its task teams.
We hope activities of the task teams and regional hubs can soon be shared with all members of global statistical communities.
Statistics Korea will be engaging in a Data as a Service (DaaS) project, a UNGP-based project to be launched in 2021, by providing in-kind contributions including our IT expertise.
We have organized a task force comprised of IT experts and other specialists in order to provide best support for this project and deliver successful outcomes from it.
In respect of changing its name of GWG, the Republic of Korea fully supports the change and looks forward to making further development in big data for official statistics with the UN-CEBD.

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