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**Document E/CN.3/2021/L.2 - Draft provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-third session of the Commission**

**Document E/CN.3/2021/29 - Draft multi-year programme of work for the Statistical Commission 2021-2025**

***Statement provided by:***

Suriname

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Suriname on behalf of CARICOM countries:

Draws attention to the fact that Climate Change and the pertinent Statistics and Indicators are of utmost importance to CARICOM member countries, all being low lying Small Island Developing States (SIDS).

Requests that Climate Change, starting next year 2022, be included as an item for discussion and decision preferably annually, but at least every two years instead of every three years.

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