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Poland aligns itself with the European Union’s common position.

Statistics Poland highly appreciates the activities conducted by the HLG-PCCB in 2021. We want to congratulate the HLG-PCCB on the achievement which was the World Data Forum in Bern. The UNWDF provided us with an opportunity to catch up with the most recent developments in the application of new data sources, and it also gave us a chance to contribute to data innovations, which are the core of Statistics Poland’s development agenda:

1) as a lead up to the UNWDF, Statistics Poland co-organized and hosted the Road-to-Bern event: “Harnessing Remote Sensing for Sustainable Cities,” where we discussed possibilities of remote sensing and showcased practical applications of alternative data sources for SDGs; the hybrid format of the event attracted various data users and data producers from all over the world (stat.gov.pl/en/events/international-events/event-harnessing-remote-sensing-for-sustainable-cities,5,1.html),

2) remote sensing was further explored at the 2021 DGINS Conference on Earth Observation for Official Statistics, co-organized and hosted by Statistics Poland in a hybrid format in Warsaw (dgins2021.stat.gov.pl).

Poland approves the amended Terms of Reference as presented in the document and the proposed work plan of the HLG-PCCB for 2022.

Statistics Poland is honored to be a member of the HLG-PCCB and is committed to actively contributing to its works.

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