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The European Statistical System (ESS) extends its congratulations to the IAEG-SDGs group and the secretariat for the report. The ESS supports the adoption of the new proposed indicators (17.3), including that the OECD and UNCTAD takes on the joint custodianship of the indicator ‘Additional financial resources mobilized for developing countries from multiple sources’.

The ESS considers that the proposal put forward by the IAEG-SDGs group balances the different viewpoints and positions countries brought into the work. The proposal represents a viable way forward within the framework of indicators to follow-up the 2030 Agenda.

The ESS would like to highlight especially the transparency of the proposed indicator and its recipient perspective. At the same time, it is recognized that any further developments of the proposal to be considered in the 2025 review should build on the deliberations held and progress achieved at the IAEG SDG’s Working Group.

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