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Statistics Poland strongly supports the work of the Network of Economic Statisticians. The challenges of economic policy at the global and local level require a quick response from the official statistics systems, focusing on practical solutions to the most pressing needs in the field of producing relevant statistics, capturing in a sufficiently thorough manner the nature of phenomena observed, in particular, as a result of digital transformation and globalization.

Statistics Poland welcomes the progress made by the Network of Economic Statisticians and its sprints and endorses the updates in the Terms of Reference for the Network and the work program of the Network for 2022.

Statistics Poland supports the proposed program, including micro-data linking with the use of different and new data sources, which will enrich statistical output by providing new multidimensional data and data of greater granularity and frequency. The coordination of such works is crucial to share good practices, receive comparable country results, avoid overlapping the projects, and prioritize works in the limited resources of NSOs. It also provides additional information on the needs of data users. The involvement of stakeholders increases the adequacy of official statistics. The cooperation with Eurostat is also essential, as such works (e.g., within micro-data linking) are also carried out at the EU level.

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