## **United Nations Statistical Commission**

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Items for discussion and decision: Network of Economic Statisticians

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#### Statement:

Actions to be taken by the Statistical Commission:

- (a) To express its views on the progress made;
- (b) To endorse the terms of reference of the Network;
- (c) To endorse the proposed activities and deliverables of the work programme of the Network for 2022

Comments and Recommendations:

- The establishment of a Network of Economic Statisticians is an important and unique project that provides workers in the field of economic statistics in all countries with direct and seamless opportunities to develop capabilities and learn about experiences and best practices and find practical solutions in this field through communication and friction with experts and specialists via platforms that will be provided to this network .
- The progress made in establishing a network of economic statisticians is relatively slow. This may be due to the health conditions related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- It may be useful to suggest the use of the Arabic language for our Arab region in the platforms of this network when it is established. This proposal can be generalized to other regions according to the language of each region.

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