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Statement:
Even though there is an outstanding progress in the implementation of the 2021 Round, Mexico agrees with the Commission to instruct stakeholders to make their greatest effort to comply with the established schedules, and to encourage them to do the necessary to ensure the success of the 2021 cycle; these results will be of great importance for the analysis of the world economy in pandemic time.
Likewise, Mexico supports activities to promote the use of the results of the ICP in the design and monitoring of economic and social policy.
Finally, Mexico considers that the incorporation of ICP activities into the regular programs of statistical agencies is essential to ensure the sustainability and the continuous improvement of this ambitious collaboration effort of the international statistical community. Mexico has already incorporated the ICP activities into its regular program.