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Morocco would like to express on behalf of the Africa group a contribution to the subject matter. Africa group take note of main activities in the area of international statistical classifications carried out since the fifty-second session of the Statistical Commission, held in 2021 and the update on the work of the task team on the revision of the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC), including the ISIC draft revised structure, as well as updates on the work of the task team on the revision of the Central Product Classification (CPC) and the development of the classification of business functions.

Africa Group:

- Welcomes the draft revised structure for the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities, revision 4;
- Takes note of the progress of work on the revision of CPC;
- Endorses the classification of business functions for use as an international standard classification and recommend that this classification should be deepened by giving additional time to a general consultation in order to ensure the full involvement of the actors in the field, the NSIs.
- Recommends to initiate the revision of the Standard International Energy Product Classification and encourages member States to actively participate in the review process and send their comments and suggestions to ECA for consolidation.

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