The United States (U.S.) welcomes the report of the U.N. Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat and the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Gender Statistics.

Representatives from the U.S. participated in both the 14th and 15th meetings of the IAEG-GS. The U.S. endorses the work of the U.N. Statistics Division and the Expert Group on Innovative and Effective Ways to Collect Time-Use Statistics. Time-use data are direct inputs to the sustainable development goal indicators critical to assessing progress towards gender equality. The U.S. also endorse the proposed future plans of the group.

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