Meeting of the Technical Sub-group on the
Movement of Persons – Mode 4

22 -24 February 2006

Agenda

Wednesday – 22 February

2.30-5:30 International activities and needs for information on remittances and GATS Mode 4
   1. Update on the revision of BPM5 and 1993 SNA - Issues related to Movement of Persons and Mode 4 (IMF/ UNSD)
   2. International Working Group on Improving Data on Remittances (World Bank)
   3. The Luxembourg Group (Eurostat)
   4. High level dialogue on International Migration and Development (UN Population Division)
   5. Other

Thursday – 23 February

9:30-12:30 Conceptual issues on remittances
   6. Issue paper on the definition of remittances (UNSD)
   7. Country experiences: Mexico

2:30-5:30 Measurement of economic impacts of movement of persons
   8. Measurement of GATS Mode 4 (WTO)
   9. Country experiences: Philippines

Friday – 24 February

9:00-11:00
   10. Improving Central Bank Reporting and Procedures on Remittances in Latin America and Caribbean Region (CEMLA)
   11. Future of the Group