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**Social and economic benefits, supporting sustainable
development, measures taken and proposed for the
implementation of resolutions and evaluation of the work
of the Group of Experts****A review of the General Assembly and Economic and Social
Council resolutions and their relevance to the United Nations
Group of Experts on Geographical Names****Summary****

The full paper contains a report on the progress made in implementing recommendation 3 contained in the report of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names on its 2019 session. Recommendation 3 is that appropriate working groups review the General Assembly and Economic and Social Council resolutions noted in document [GEGN.2/2019/83](#) and find their relevance to the work of Group. The resolutions noted in the document, as well as those adopted since, were selected, listed and reviewed for their relevance to the Group in general and the Working Groups in particular, and for the Group's strategic plan, which is currently being developed. Some topics, such as the Sustainable Development Goals and indigenous people and their heritages, are of particular relevance to the general orientation of the Group. Further elaboration of their relevance is suggested at the level of the Member States.

* [GEGN.2/2021/1](#).

** The full report was prepared by the Convenor of the Working Group on Evaluation and Implementation, Sungjae Choo (Republic of Korea), on behalf of the Bureau and the working group convenors. It will be available under document symbol GEGN.2/2021/80/CRP.80, in the language of submission only, at https://unstats.un.org/unsd/ungegn/sessions/2nd_session_2021/.

