



STATEMENT/INTERVENTION

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GERMANY welcomes and recognizes the efforts undertaken by the Group of Experts, its Working Group on Training Courses in Toponymy and of several Members States on activities to facilitate distance teaching / e-learning.

GERMANY supports the proposal of NORWAY to affirm UNGEGN to continue to encourage member states to implement geographical names management training courses according to the principles laid out in the Conference Resolution IV/5: Education in cartographic toponymy.

GERMANY acknowledges the progress made by the Working Group on Training Courses in Toponymy regarding distance teaching and supports the development of the five basic lectures as a starting point that can be downloaded from the UNGEGN website.

GERMANY, through its Federal Agency for Cartography and Geodesy (BKG), is willing to continue to contribute to future UNGEGN Training Courses on issues related to geographical names data management.

Thank you.

Federal Agency for Cartography and Geodesy (BKG), Germany

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