Statement/Intervention provided by: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland supports the adoption and formal ratification of the renaming of the Working Group on Geographical Names Data Management. This is a more concise name and better reflects the current activities of the Working Group.

We also support the programme of work outlined for the Working Group for the period 2021-23, and a change in the stated ambition for the online discussion forum, that it may work more effectively in becoming a forum for documentation sharing rather than specifically a discussion forum, and that an increased programme of virtual meetings could also help to take the place of the discussion forum.