



## **WORLD STATISTICS DAY CELEBRATION IN BURKINA FASO**

In a letter addressed to Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon, the President of Burkina Faso, His Excellency Blaise Compaore, announced that, in addition to efforts to mark African Statistics Day on 18 November, his country will observe the first World Statistics Day on 20-10-2010 with the following activities:

- Formal ceremony to launch WSD;
- Conference/debate on “Progress in Official Statistics in Burkina Faso”;
- Exhibit of statistical products;
- Radio-quiz on knowledge of national, sub-regional and international statistics;
- Recreational activities.

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