

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE 14TH SESSION

15th SESSION OF THE OIC-STATCOM

29–30 September 2026 Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia



Monitoring of the Resolutions of the 14th Session

Part B of the Survey, circulated to the National Statistical Offices of OIC Member Countries



Circulated

16 June 2026, to the
NSOs of OIC
Member Countries



Three reminders

9 July, 3 August and
18 August 2026



Cut-off date

14 September 2026



Scope

20 resolutions were
adopted; 18 entail action by
the Secretariat or by
Member Countries



No action required

Resolutions #4 and #19
record the appreciation and
the congratulations of the
Commission



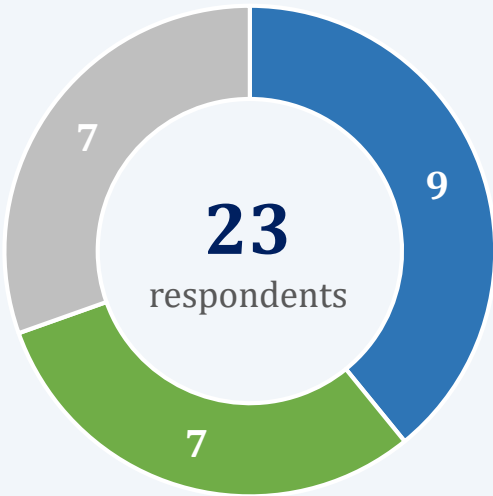
Respondents by regional groups of the OIC

23

NSOs responded

40%

response rate
(23 of 57)



■ Asian Group ■ Arab Group
■ African Group

Resolutions #1, #2 and #3: Programme of Action for 2026–2030

Implementation, national focal points and alignment with the OIC agenda

Reported by the Secretariat and by OIC-StatCom members through Part B of the Survey



Resolution #1: Implementation of the PoA 2026–2030

The Secretariat has prepared a detailed report on the implementation of the Programme of Action for 2026–2030, based on Part A of the Survey, outlining progress towards the objectives of the Strategic Vision for 2030.

Report and Survey available at
www.oicstatcom.org/strategic-vision.php



Resolution #2: National focal points for the PoA



■ Designated ■ Not yet designated

21
respondents confirmed that they had
completed Part A of the questionnaire



Resolution #3: Alignment with the OIC PoA 2026– 2035

Work has continued on aligning the two Programmes of Action, with particular attention to monitoring and evaluation indicators and to the institutional arrangements required for their compilation and dissemination.

A dedicated session, “**From SDG Interlinkages to OIC Strategic Priorities: Shaping the Monitoring Future for OIC PoA 2026–2035**”, is included in the Work Programme of the 15th Session.

Resolution #5: Thematic side events on the margins of the UNSC

Side event of the 57th Session of the UN Statistical Commission

“Strengthening Agricultural Census Systems in OIC Countries: Lessons Learned and Future Directions”, 5 March 2026



Organised in collaboration with

TurkStat

Turkish Statistical Institute

FAO

Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations

IsDB

Islamic Development Bank

UNSD

United Nations Statistics Division

Convened by the Secretariat in line with Resolution #5



Focus of the discussion

The side event brought together senior officials and technical experts to:



Exchange practical lessons from recent agricultural census experiences



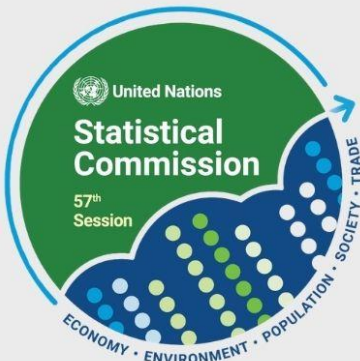
Discuss forward-looking priorities for strengthening agricultural census systems in OIC countries



Promote the effective use of census results for policy-relevant outputs supporting food security, rural development and sustainable agriculture

Resolution #5: Impressions from the side event





Side Event of the 57th Session of the UN StatCom

STRENGTHENING AGRICULTURAL CENSUS SYSTEMS IN OIC COUNTRIES: LESSONS LEARNED AND FUTURE DIRECTIONS

Thursday, 5 March 2026
13:15 – 14:30 EST
Turkish Mission 821 First Avenue, New York, USA

Scan the QR code to register:



#UN57SC

SIDE EVENT OF THE 57TH SESSION OF THE UN STATCOM

PANEL DISCUSSION

“STRENGTHENING AGRICULTURAL CENSUS SYSTEMS IN OIC COUNTRIES: LESSONS LEARNED AND FUTURE DIRECTIONS”

THURSDAY | 5 MARCH 2026 | 13:15 – 14:30 EST | TURKISH MISSION, 821 FIRST AVENUE, NEW YORK, USA

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Date and venue

Thursday, 5 March 2026, 13:15–14:30 EST
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Organisers

SESRIC, in collaboration with TurkStat, FAO, the IsDB and UNSD

Purpose

Lessons learned and future directions for agricultural census systems in OIC countries

Source: SESRIC visibility materials for the side event of the 57th Session of the UN Statistical Commission, 5 March 2026.

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Resolution #6: Statistical Capacity Building (StatCaB) Programme

Engagement of OIC-StatCom members

Key findings from Part B of the Survey



Response to the StatCaB Biennial Survey 2026–2027



■ Responded ■ Not yet responded

Reported by respondents through the Survey



Participation in StatCaB activities since October 2025



■ Participated ■ Did not participate

As provider or as beneficiary of at least one activity



Records of the Secretariat

19 of 23

respondents had submitted their completed StatCaB Questionnaires for the biennium 2026–2027 as of 14 September 2026

Broad engagement with the new biennial monitoring mechanism, with continued follow-up needed so that all Member Countries complete the Survey.

Resolution #6: StatCaB Questionnaire for the biennium 2026–2027

Aligned with CSA 2.0 and Objective 4.2 of the Strategic Vision for 2030

Circulated to the National Statistical Offices of OIC Member Countries and followed up by the Secretariat



2025

Questionnaire updated in line with CSA 2.0 and Objective 4.2, and kept for the biennium 2026–2027



16 October 2025

Updated StatCaB Questionnaire circulated to the NSOs of OIC Member Countries



19 August 2026

Further reminder sent to the countries yet to submit their completed Questionnaire



14 September 2026

Responses received from the NSOs of 28 OIC Member Countries

28

OIC Member Countries have responded

49% of the 57 OIC Member Countries, as of 14 September 2026



Purpose of the biennial mechanism

The Questionnaire provides the basis for identifying the statistical capacity needs of OIC Member Countries and the areas in which they can serve as providers of expertise, thereby shaping the StatCaB work programme for the biennium.

Resolution #6: Statistical activities delivered by the Secretariat

3 October 2025 – 28 September 2026

Statistical training courses, technical missions, study visits, workshops, international meetings and webinars



38

Statistical activities conducted by the Secretariat



1,500+

Participants from all 57 OIC Member Countries



14

OIC Member Countries provided experts and speakers



37

International and regional organisations and OIC institutions as partners

Activities by type



Details of the activities: www.oicstatcom.org/statcab.php · www.oicstatcom.org/webinar-series.php · www.oicstatcom.org/activities-archive.php

Resolution #7: Integration of the Tobacco Questions for Surveys (TQS)

Integration into national surveys in OIC Countries

Progress since October 2025, supported by the partnership between SESRIC and the CDC Foundation

 Completed since October 2025

 Completion status

Djibouti

The National Institute of Statistics (INSTAD) integrated the first five TQS questions into the Fifth Djiboutian Household Survey on Social Indicators (EDAM5-IS); final results reported in September 2026

Guinea

The National Institute of Statistics (INS) integrated TQS Q1, Q2a, Q2b and Q3 into the Sixth Guinea Demographic and Health Survey (EDSG-VI); final report sent to SESRIC in January 2026

Uzbekistan

The National Statistics Committee completed the integration of the TQS into the Sample Survey of Households in December 2025

23

countries have completed the TQS and TQS-Youth integration projects

 New commitment received

The Authority of Statistics and Geographic Information Systems (ASGIS) of the Republic of Iraq will include TQS-Youth questions in the National Adolescents and Youth Survey.

 Procedures under way

Kyrgyz Republic, Mozambique, Suriname and Togo.

The partnership with the CDC Foundation has been extended through 2026 to reach the target of 25 countries.

Resolution #8: OIC Statistics Database (OICStat) and related data tools

Continued enhancement since the 14th Session

The first and only international repository of official statistics covering all 57 OIC Member Countries



OICStat in figures

1,897 indicators

28 thematic categories

1970 earliest year of the time series

3 official languages of the OIC: Arabic, English and French

oicstat.sesric.org



New since the 14th Session

62

indicators in a new thematic category on **Digital Transformation and Artificial Intelligence**

Covering ICT infrastructure and connectivity, e-government and e-participation, and the digital economy.

Standardised metadata continue to be strengthened for each indicator: definition, source, data period and last update date.



Dissemination and visualisation tools

OIC Countries in Figures (OIC-CIF): statistical profiles of each of the 57 Member Countries

OIC Ranker and OIC Top Bottom Finder: ranking by a selected indicator

SESRIC Motion Charts (SMC): evolution of indicators over time

A dedicated OICStat brochure has been published.



OICStat underpins the Statistical Yearbook on OIC Member Countries, the SWOT Outlook on OIC Member Countries, the OIC Statistical Outlook series and the annual report on the prioritised SDGs in OIC Countries.

Resolution #9: Energy statistics and data cooperation for SDG 7 monitoring

Key findings from Part B of the Survey

Strengthening energy statistics and data cooperation for low-carbon development and SDG 7 monitoring



Data-sharing arrangements with national stakeholders



■ In place ■ Not yet established

Arrangements with energy ministries, regulators and utilities for the production of energy statistics



Integration of administrative, geospatial and big-data sources



■ Integrate one or more ■ Do not integrate

In the regular production of energy statistics and accounts, in support of SDG 7 monitoring

Resolution #10: Modernisation and digitalisation of National Statistical Systems

Key findings from Part B of the Survey

Modernisation roadmaps covering statistical processes, governance, skills and ICT infrastructure



Comprehensive modernisation roadmap



■ Developed or implemented ■ Not yet



Alignment with internationally recommended practices



■ Aligned ■ Not aligned



Observation

Respondents identified a broad range of internationally recommended frameworks, standards and classifications in use or referenced to support modernisation and standards-based statistical production.

Frameworks and standards reported: GSBPM, GSIM, GAMSO, SDMX, UN Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics, UN NQAF, IMF e-GDDS, DDI, SNA, BPM, GFS, ISIC, NACE, CPC and other sector-specific standards.

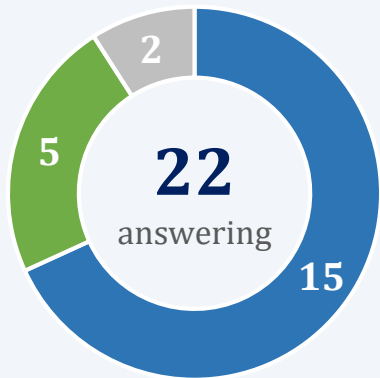
Resolution #11: Strengthening SDG 4 education data and measurement

Key findings from Part B of the Survey

Alignment with the global SDG 4 indicator framework, collaboration and readiness to share practices



Alignment with the global SDG 4 indicator framework



- Aligned
- Partially aligned
- Not yet aligned



Collaboration with international and regional organisations



- Collaborate
- Do not collaborate

Such as UNESCO-UIS and UNSD, to strengthen education data ecosystems



Willingness to share best practices



- Willing to share
- Not currently willing

Modalities identified: webinars and training courses or workshops

Resolution #11: Statistical Training Course on SDG 4 Indicators

9–10 December 2025, online

Organised by the Secretariat under the StatCaB Programme on “SDG 4 (Quality Education) Indicators”



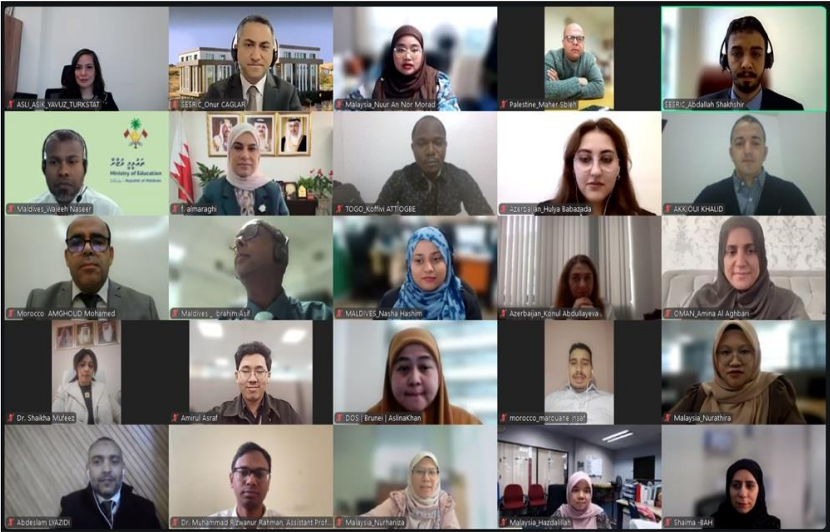
70
participants



29
OIC Countries



2
days, online video
conferencing platform



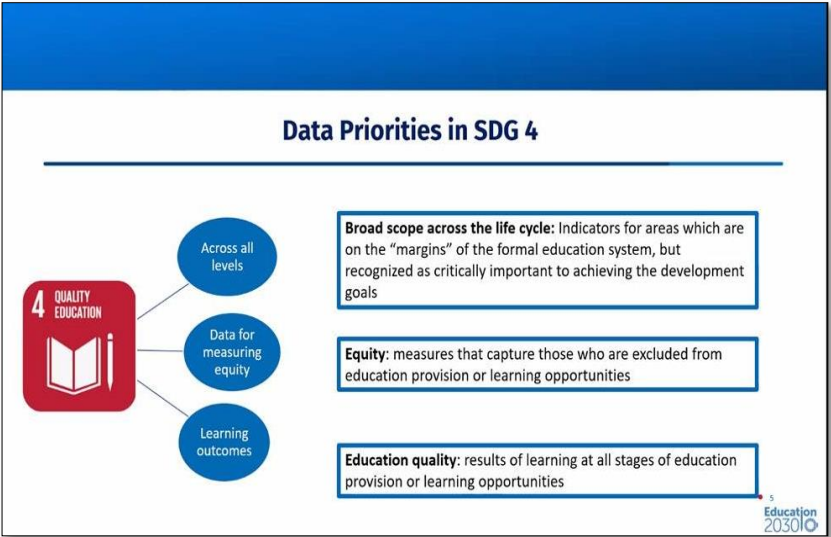
Conducted by experts from

Turkish Statistical Institute (TurkStat) · UNESCO
Institute for Statistics (UIS) · Islamic University
of Technology (IUT) · International Islamic
University Malaysia (IIUM)



Objective

To improve the capacities of participants in the
collection, collation, processing and
dissemination of SDG 4 indicators, and to share
the relevant country experience of Türkiye with
the participating OIC Member Countries.



Resolution #12: Ethical use of new data sources and technologies

Key findings from Part B of the Survey

Safeguarding privacy, ensuring data quality and reinforcing public trust in official statistics



Ethical frameworks or guidelines in place



■ In place ■ Not in place



Collaboration on responsible AI and data use



■ Collaborate ■ Do not collaborate



Willingness to share best practices

4

respondents expressed their willingness to share their experiences

Topics proposed: generative AI in statistical production, responsible AI governance and use, national experiences in census implementation and national accounts, and institutional change management for integrating AI into statistical processes.



Reported frameworks cover statistical confidentiality, personal data protection, privacy, secure handling of information, restricted access, anonymisation and aggregation, documentation of data sources, data-quality assessment, risk management and information security.

Resolutions #13 and #14: Geospatial technologies and new data sources

Key findings from Part B of the Survey

Use of geospatial technologies and electronic data-collection tools in censuses and surveys



Use of geospatial and electronic data-collection tools



■ Use such technologies ■ Do not use



Exchange of electronic data-collection devices



■ Participated ■ Did not participate



Willingness to lend or receive devices

11 respondents expressed their willingness

Willing to lend or receive electronic data-collection devices, such as tablets, from other OIC Member Countries. Respondents reported tablet- and CAPI-based collection, GIS and GPS-enabled field operations, digital maps and real-time monitoring.



Resolution #14: measures on the responsible use of non-traditional data sources, including big data, geospatial information and data science applications, are reported under Resolutions #12 and #13.

Resolution #13: Webinar on integrating GIS into population and housing censuses

30 April 2026, Statistical Experience Sharing Webinar Series

“Integrating Geographic Information Systems (GIS) into Population and Housing Censuses: Latest Trends”



95

official statisticians and experts



32

OIC Countries



NSOs

relevant ministries and national institutions



Organised in collaboration with

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD)

United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA)



Country experiences shared

BPS–Statistics Indonesia · Department of Statistics (DoS) of Jordan · Pakistan Bureau of Statistics (PBS) · Turkish Statistical Institute (TurkStat)

Good practices on integrating GIS and geospatial information into population censuses and household surveys.

Resolution #15: Success stories and new initiatives of the OIC NSOs

Documenting the achievements of the past decade

A structured questionnaire circulated to the National Statistical Offices of OIC Member Countries



30 December 2025

Structured questionnaire circulated: Introduction, Part A on success stories and Part B on new initiatives



February – July 2026

Reminders sent on 18 February, 23 March, 4 May and 9 July 2026



4 March 2026

Consultation with the Members of the Commission at the Follow-up Meeting, on the margins of the 57th Session of the UNSC



14 September 2026

Responses collated and analysis commenced by the Secretariat



Responses received

24

OIC Member Countries



Contributions shared

322

success stories

121

new initiatives



Next steps

The work will continue in consultation with the Members of the Commission, with a view to finalising the project through a comprehensive publication to be launched on an appropriate occasion.

Resolution #16: Side event on the margins of the 15th Session

“Fostering Partnerships within Statistical Ecosystems”

Panel discussion to be organised jointly by GASTAT and SESRIC on 30 September 2026 in Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia



Rationale

The need for comprehensive, high-quality and timely data to monitor the Sustainable Development Goals requires strong partnerships, as National Statistical Offices cannot address all data gaps alone.

The panel discussion will examine practical strategies for strengthening cross-sector collaboration and for connecting statistical institutions with international organisations, the private sector, academia and civil society, with a view to overcoming data-sharing barriers and advancing innovative governance models.



Topics of the deliberations



Advancing public-private partnerships to strengthen statistical data



Increasing international cooperation in data sharing



Strengthening cross-border partnerships to tackle global challenges

Including the linking of research with official statistical production in areas such as artificial intelligence, data innovation and data governance.

Resolution #17: Development finance statistics and TOSSD

International Forum on TOSSD (IFT-TOSSD)

Total Official Support for Sustainable Development: visibility of South-South and Triangular Cooperation as well as Islamic finance



Forum meetings, Paris, 16–18 March 2026

SESRIC and the IsDB, together with other Member Countries, attended the meetings held in hybrid format: the 2nd Meeting of the Statistical Working Group on 16–17 March 2026 and the 5th Meeting of the Steering Group on 17–18 March 2026. A launch event presenting the 2024 TOSSD figures and the IFT 2025 Annual Report was organised on 16 March 2026.



Composition of the Forum

33 members and 10 observers

8 OIC Member Countries are members:

Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Egypt, Gabon, Indonesia, Nigeria, Qatar and Senegal, with Tunisia as an observer. The IsDB and SESRIC are among the four intergovernmental organisation members.



Forthcoming meetings

The 3rd General Assembly, the 7th Steering Group Meeting and the 3rd Statistical Working Group Meeting of the Forum will be held on 13–16 October 2026 in Lima, Peru, in hybrid modality.

Resolution #17: National statistical capacities in the SNA 2025

Regional Workshop on “Measuring Natural Resources in the National Accounts”

1–4 September 2026, Chiba, Japan, organised jointly by SESRIC and UN SIAP in collaboration with the OECD



17

officials from 11 countries across the Asia-Pacific region



9

officials from 6 OIC Member Countries



4

days of technical sessions



Regional Workshop on Measuring Natural Resources in the National Accounts
Chiba, Japan, 1-4 September 2026



Participating OIC countries

Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Malaysia, Pakistan and Uzbekistan

Participants were mainly from NSOs, as well as Central Banks and line ministries working on national accounts, natural resource statistics and environmental-economic accounting.



Focus of the workshop

Compiling natural resource statistics in line with the SNA and the SEEA, with particular attention to methodological developments reflected in the 2025 SNA: the treatment of natural resource depletion, asset classification, renewable energy resources, and the integration of natural resource accounting concepts into national accounts.

Resolution #18: Data protection, continuity and recovery strategies

Workshop on “Safeguarding Data in Crises”, 22–23 October 2025

Organised in collaboration with AITRS, ESCWA and IsDB



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participants



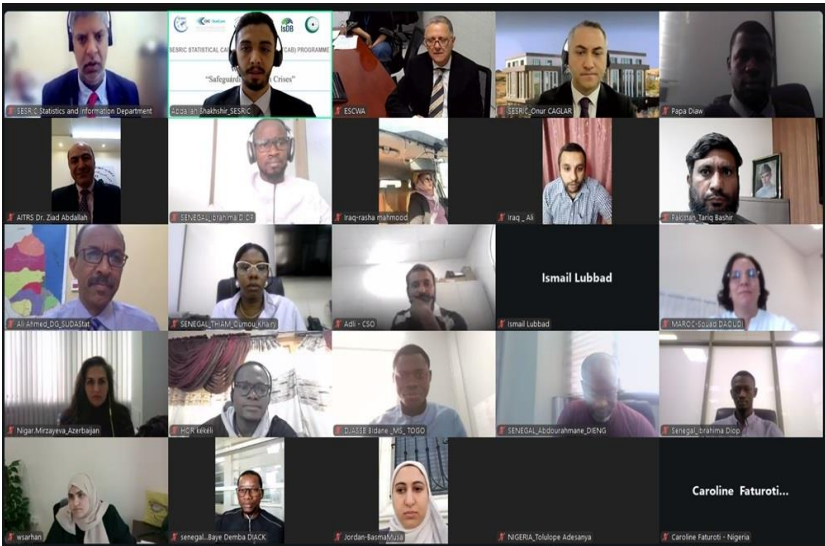
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OIC Countries



NSOs

and other institutions
within the National
Statistical Systems



Contributing Institutions

AITRS · ESCWA · IsDB · UNSD · Palestinian
Central Bureau of Statistics · Central Bureau of
Statistics of Sudan · Central Statistical
Organization of Yemen



Statistics in conflict countries: modalities and possible scenarios

During conflict	Post conflict
1. Methodologies: - Adapt survey methods to the context: mini-census-quick counts, etc... - Apply statistical techniques on the available data; - Proxy data: NGOs and Int data; - Flexible and responsive survey design; - Ensure psychological support for Teams 2. Modern technologies - Satellite imagery and statistical modelling; - Mobile data and social media (refugees in Leb); 3. Capacity development: - Training modes and recruitments;	1. Rehabilitation of Statistical Systems; 2. Building on the previous phase; 2. Adapting to infrastructure constraints; 3. Capacity development and build trust; 4. Allocate resources; 5. Raise awareness of taking censuses as a backbone of the statistical systems; 6. Use multi methodologies modes. 7. Addressing population displacement and returnees; 8. Sampling issues; 9. Wise use of international and local aid.
4. Coordination of international aid	



World Statistics Day 2025

Organised as part of SESRIC’s activities to commemorate World Statistics Day 2025, celebrated globally on 20 October 2025 under the theme “Driving Change with Quality Statistics and Data for Everyone”.

Resolution #20: Organisation of the 15th Session of the OIC-StatCom

Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, 29–30 September 2026

Prepared in close coordination with the General Authority for Statistics (GASTAT) as the host institution



Host institution

Following the acceptance by the Commission of the kind offer of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to host the 15th Session, the Secretariat has undertaken the necessary preparations for the organisation of the Session in Jeddah on 29–30 September 2026, in close coordination with GASTAT.



Joint arrangements

All technical, substantive and logistical arrangements for the Session have been carried out jointly by the two institutions, through regular consultations maintained throughout the preparatory period and in a spirit of close and effective cooperation.



Contribution of the IsDB Group

The IsDB Group has continued to contribute to the organisation of the Session as a permanent ex-officio Bureau member of the Commission and as a co-organiser.

Thank You

for your kind attention

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