

# Pilot Case Study for Applicability of the Basic Level OStat Certification and Accreditation Processes, Report Writing and Willingness to Participate by WG3 Members

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## A. Summary

*The eight members of WG3 were consulted on their willingness to participate in conducting the pilot case study on the applicability of the proposed Basic Level certification and accreditation processes, report writing for the case study and final report writing.*

*Two out of five tasks related to the Basic Level curriculum and examination by an Examination Committee was approved by the members. These tasks included development of model curriculum and listing of topics and available reference materials for Basic Level certification and accreditation. However, only Bahrain, SESRIC and IDP were willing to actively participate in all tasks of the Examination Committee for the purpose of a pilot case study.*

*Only Bahrain and SESRIC indicated their willingness to participate in all tasks of the temporary Program General Secretariat.*

*Egypt, IDB, SESRIC and Bahrain cited the importance of Compile and analyze the results of the Pilot Study from the Examination Committee and Program General Secretariat. Palestine, IDB, SESRIC and Bahrain cited the importance of finalizing the pilot case study report. However, only Bahrain and SESRIC indicated their willingness to participate in all tasks for Pilot Case Study Report preparation.*

*Bahrain, SESRIC and IDP indicated their willingness to participate in all tasks for WG3 Final Report preparation.*

*Three member countries (Qatar, Kazakhstan and UAE) did not favor a kick-off meeting.*

*Based on the results of the consultative questionnaires received from the members, there is a lack of willingness to participate in the pilot case study and report writing among the members.*

## B. Summary Results of Consultative Questionnaire

### I. Pilot Case Study on the Applicability of the Proposed Basic Level Certification and Accreditation Processes

#### I.1. Organizational Structure for Pilot Case Study

The Working Group will need to create temporary (a) Examination Committee and (b) Program General Secretariat to be able to study the applicability of the proposed program processes.

#### I.2. Tasks and WG3 Participation for the Pilot Case Study

##### A. Complete Basic Level Curriculum and Examination by Examination Committee

The Examination Committee (EPC) will have the following tasks in the Pilot Case Study due by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2011 and kindly tick box if you are willing to participate either is selected tasks as identified in B.1.1 or in all the tasks B.1.2.

##### A. Complete Basic Level Curriculum and Examination by Examination Committee

###### From Questionnaire Part

###### 5.2.A.1

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
<b>A.1 Tasks Related to the Development of a Basic Level Curriculum/Examination for Pilot Case Study (until 31 October 2011) (Shows all YES)</b>										
1. Develop a model curriculum for Basic level certification and accreditation	1		1	1			1	1	5	62.50%
2. List the topics covered for Basic level examination and the available reference materials	1		1	1			1	1	5	62.50%
3. Submit the sample Basic Level Certification and Accreditation curriculum, topics and references to <i>Program General Secretariat</i>	1						1	1	3	37.50%
4. Prepare a complete examination for pilot case study for Basic Level certification and accreditation based on developed curriculum.	1						1	1	3	37.50%
5. Submit examination to <i>Program General Secretariat</i> by 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2011.	1						1	1	3	37.50%
<b>A.2. Willingness to actively participate in all tasks of the Examination Committee for the purpose of a pilot case study (Show all YES)</b>										
Yes	1						1	1	3	37.50%

## B. Temporary Program General Secretariat for Pilot Case Study

The Examination Committee will have the following tasks and kindly tick box if you are willing to participate either is selected tasks as identified in B.2.1 or in all the tasks B.2.2.

From Questionnaire Part 5.2.B.1	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
<b>B.1. Tasks of Program General Secretariat for Pilot Case Study (1 October 2011 – 15 January 2012)</b> (Shows all YES)										
1. Prepare an information package for Basic Level Certification and Accreditation that includes a) Application form and requirements b) Examination coverage/topic/type (Sample Examination questions) (from EPC) c) Curriculum (from EPC) d) References (from EPC) e) Examination schedules (Time/Venue)	1						1	1	3	37.50%
2. Disseminate information package to all statistical organizations under WG3	1						1	1	3	37.50%
3. List the topics covered for Basic level examination and the available reference materials	1			1			1	1	4	50.00%
4. Process received applications for Basic Level Certification and Accreditation	1						1	1	3	37.50%
5. Select Sample Applicants for Pilot Case Study from received applications	1					1	1	1	4	50.00%
6. Send examination notice to Applicants	1						1	1	3	37.50%
7. Coordinate and conduct testing and scoring of Basic Level examination (between 16 December 2011 – 15 January 2012)	1						1	1	3	37.50%
8. Submit applications and testing results to WG3 for compilation into the Final Report	1						1	1	3	37.50%
<b>B.2. Willingness to actively participate in all tasks of the temporary Program General Secretariat.</b> (Show all YES)										
Yes	1							1	2	25.00%

### C. Pilot Case Study Report

The following tasks are for the preparation of the Pilot Case Study report to be submitted to Lead Country on 7th February 2012 and kindly tick box if you are willing to participate either is selected tasks as identified in B.3.1 or in all the tasks B.3.2.

#### From Questionnaire Part 5.2.C.1

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
<b>C.1. Tasks related to Preparation of Pilot Case Study Report 2012) (Shows all YES)</b>										
1. Compile and analyze the results of the Pilot Study from the Examination Committee and Program General Secretariat	1		1				1	1	4	50.00%
2. Finalize Pilot Case Study Report	1			1			1	1	4	50.00%
3. Submit report and recommendations of the Pilot Case Study Report to Lead Country for integration into Final Report by 7th February 2012.	1						1	1	3	37.50%

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
<b>C.2. Willingness to actively participate in all tasks for Pilot Case Study Report preparation (Show all YES)</b>										
Yes	1							1	2	25.00%

## II. Preparation and Submission of Final Report

The following tasks are for the preparation of the Final Report to be submitted to OIC Stat Com by February 2012 and kindly tick box if you are willing to participate either is selected tasks as identified in 6.1 or in all the tasks 6.2.

### PART 6. Preparation and Submission of Final Report

#### From Questionnaire Part

##### 6.1

Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
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#### 6.1. Tasks related to Preparation of Final Report due February 2012 (Shows all YES)

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
1. Prepare Final Report outline.	1						1	1	3	37.50%
2. Prepare First Draft	1						1	1	3	37.50%
3. Compile and analyze the results of the Pilot Study from the Examination Committee and Program General Secretariat	1		1				1	1	4	50.00%
4. Finalize Pilot Case Study Report	1			1			1	1	4	50.00%
5. Submit report and recommendations of the Pilot Case Study Report to Lead Country for integration into Final Report by February 2012.	1						1	1	3	37.50%

#### 6.2. Willingness to actively participate in all tasks for WG3 Final Report preparation (Show all YES)

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
Yes	1						1	1	3	37.50%

## III. Need for a Kick-Off Meeting

### Question on Need of Meeting after 7 September 2011

#### From Questionnaire Part 6.2

Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
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#### Do you think that a meeting should be held after September 7, 2011 to finalize the Program plan? (Show all YES)

	Bahrain	Qatar	Egypt	Palestine	Kazakhstan	UAE	IDB	SESRIC	Tally	%
Yes	1		1	1			1	1	5	62.50%
NO or Blank		1			1	1			3	37.50%

Comment

From Kazakhstan

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From UAE

Meeting should be held for very important issues, and after reaching certain level of the completion of the whole project.