

Country Statement -Malaysia

ITEM 3(b): INITIATIVES BY GLOBAL, REGIONAL AND SUB- REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN SUPPORT OF THE COLLECTIVE VISION AND FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION.

Thank you Chair and good morning/afternoon everyone.

- i. Malaysia agrees with the collective vision and framework for action which focused on five actions areas.
- ii. Malaysia also supporting the implementation and adopting of modernization tools and concepts, such as the Statistical Data and Metadata Exchange, for strengthened quality, efficiency and effectiveness of statistical information management and exchange.

On Global Ocean Accounts Partnership (GOAP) front

- iii. Malaysia is currently involved in the development of guidelines on oceans accounts funded by the United Nations Development Account through UN ESCAP for testing and experimentation for the period of 6 months.
- iv. Malaysia is willing to become a member of the Global Ocean Accounts Partnership since GOAP can be a platform for a group of institutions shared interests on ocean data/statistics/accounts to collaborate and offer/receive capacity building support. Furthermore, the commitments from members will be voluntary and non-binding. However, Malaysia's involvement in this partnership is highly subjected to the approval.

Modernizing statistical business processes front

- v. Generic Statistical Business Process Model (GSBPM) is one of the frameworks that adopted by us to organize and conduct official statistical activities for the country. Now we are embarking on the uses of the Data Documentation Initiative (DDI) which is a platform to explain metadata and Statistical Data and Metadata Exchange (SDMX) for the standardization and distribution of statistical information internationally.

- vi. As an active member SGRPES meeting, Malaysia supports the proposal made by SGPRES for future programme of RPES that emphasize the alignment with "Advancing official statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. Hence, Malaysia is willing to contribute to the development of RPES Programme for 2021-2030.