

*Item 3 (b)*

*Population and social statistics*

Thank you madam Chair!

Azerbaijan also support the presented document and would like to thank technical advisory group on population and social statistics.

We are also participate in technical advisory group since greating and we will participate in future if will be organized

We strongly support elements capacity building strategy for population and social statistics, including core set, capacity framework, assessment process. National Statistical Office of Azerbaijan also collect and produce MDG indicators which included core set indicators on population and social statistics.

In this context we have some recommendation according future activities, such as:

- Propose that to continue TAG activity like steering group in future also for implementation regional strategy to improve population and social statistics.
- Exchange of experience among the different groups Committee on statistics, like group on economic, environmental statistics;
- create indicators system on the base of core set indicators of population and social indicators at the national level;
- analysis of current situation according availability of data, creating of metadata at the regional level Asian and Pacific countries and providing comparability, coordinate and support in this area;
- recommend countries and organizations include core set indicators like one of the component when will provide global assessment of the statistical system
- preaparation guidelines on implementation core set indicators population and social statistics