

ISI Satellite Meeting in Maputo on 13-14 August 2009
STRATEGY FOR IMPROVING AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL STATISTICS

The purpose of the satellite meeting is to review the Global Strategy for the Improvement of Agricultural and Rural Statistics, seeking input from international organizations and national agencies that are involved in the production and analysis of agricultural statistics.

The meeting will be chaired by the Chair of the Friends of the Chair (FOC) Group established by the last UNSC meeting. The President of the National Institute of Statistics, Mozambique will be the co-Chair of the Meeting. The chair/ co-chair of the meeting will introduce the chair for each session and keep the session on time.

The agenda focuses on the chapters covered in the draft Strategy paper. It is suggested that each topic be assigned to a Session Chair who introduces the corresponding chapter(s) by providing a summary of the content. Each session will include 3-4 short comments from selected discussants (10-15 minutes) from countries and international organizations giving their perspective, suggestions and observations as they relate to the specific chapters of the Strategy paper. Then the matter will be open for about 50-60 minutes discussion. At the end, Session Chairs will be asked to make a short summary of the main points discussed during the Session.

AGENDA

Session	Time	13 August 2009	Session chairs
	0900-0930	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address by Prime Minister of Mozambique • Welcoming address by Fred Vogel, Chair of the Committee on Agricultural Statistics of ISI • Introductory remarks by Eduardo Nunes, Chair of the United Nations Statistical Commission Friends of the Chair Working Group on Agricultural Statistics(FoC) 	[Master of Ceremony from Mozambique]
<u>Meeting Chair:</u> Eduardo Nunes, Chair of UNSC Friends of the Chair <u>Meeting co-Chair:</u> Joao Loureiro, President of the National Institute of Statistics, Mozambique (INE)			
1	0930-1045	Policy Issues in the Global Economy and Strategic Plan for Agricultural Statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key notes by Mozambican Minister of Agriculture (20 mn). • Key notes by Mary Bohman, ERS (20 mn) • Overview of the “Strategic Plan” by Fred Vogel, WB (30 mn) 	Charles Lufumpa (African Development Bank)- 5 mn
	1045-1115	Break	
2	1115-1230	Data Requirements and Conceptual Framework for Agricultural Statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussant 1: Pieter Everaers, EUROSTAT (10-15 mn) • Discussant 2: Xiaoning Gong, FAO (10-15 mn) • Discussant 3: George Kvinikadze, Georgia (10-15 mn) Discussion	Mary Bohman (ERS) – 5 mn
	1230-1400	Lunch	

3	1400-1530	Assessment of Countries' Agricultural Statistical Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief summary of <i>Country Assessment</i>: Hiek Som, FAO (5 mn) François Fonteneau, PARIS21 (5mn) <i>Assessment methodologies of statistical systems</i>: Graham Eele, WB Discussant 1: Idir Bais, Algeria (10-15 mn) Discussant 2: Wang Pingping, China (10-15 mn) Discussion	Christophe Duhamel, (PARIS21) - 5 mn
	1530-1600	Break	
4	1600-1730	Determining the Menu of Indicators and a Core Set <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief summary of <i>Selecting Core Indicators for Agriculture and Rural Statistics (FAO/World Bank)</i>: Naman Keita, FAO (5 mn) Discussant 1: Moses Mnyaka, South Africa (10-15 mn) Discussant 2: Blagica Nokovska, FYROM (10-15 mn) Discussant 3: Ute Walseman, Germany (10-15 mn) Discussant 4: Vinh Q. Pham, Viet Nam (10-15 mn) Discussion	Pieter Everaers (EUROSTAT)- 5 mn
	Time	14 August 2009	Session Chairs
Chair: President, INE, Mozambique			
5	0900-1030	Integration of Agricultural Statistics into National Statistics System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief summary of <i>Use of Population Census to Build Agricultural Census/Survey Frame</i>: Hiek Som, FAO (5 mn) Discussant 1: Valeriano Levene, Mozambique- INE: (10-15 mn) Discussant 2: Redouane Arrach, Morocco (10-15 mn) Discussant 3: Flavio Bolliger, Brazil (10-15 mn) Discussant 4: Peter Harper, Australia (10-15 mn) Discussion	Naman Keita (FAO)- 5 mn
	1030-1100	Break	
6	1100-1230	Survey Framework <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief summary of <i>Enhancing Food Security Relevance of Household Surveys with a Food Security Module</i>: Pietro Gennari, FAO (5 mn) Discussant 1: Kathleen Beegle, WB (10-15 mn) Discussant 2; Miriam Barbuda, Brazil (10-15 mn) Discussant 3: Aberash Tariku, Ethiopia (10-15 mn) Discussion	Michael Steiner – (NASS)- 5mn
	1230-1400	Lunch	
7	1400-1515	Governance Issues in the National Implementation of the Strategic Plan for Agricultural Statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief Summary of <i>Guidelines on Integration of</i> 	Ben Kiregyera (ECA)- 5 mn

		<p><i>Agricultural and Rural Sector Strategies into NSDS (PARIS21/FAO):</i> Christophe Duhamel, PARIS21 (5 mn)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussant 1: Romeo Recide, Philippines (10-15 mn) • Discussant 2: John Male-Mukasa, Uganda - UBOS (10-15 mn) • Discussant 3: Konstantin Laikam, Russian Fed – ROSSTAT (10-15 mn) (TO BE CONFIRMED) • Discussant 4: Eloi Ouedraogo, Mali - AFRISTAT (10-15 mn) <p>Discussion</p>	
	1515-1545	Break	
8	1545-1700	<p>Panel Discussion on Future Direction: Statistical Capacity Building</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction by Misha Belkindas, WB • Cynthia Clark, USA • Pietro Gennari, FAO • Ismat Haddad, Jordan (TO BE CONFIRMED) • Xinia Andrade, Costa Rica • Lawson Fessou, AfDB • Lubili Marco Gambamala, Tanzania • Ben Kyregyera, UNECA • Pieter Everaers, EUROSTAT • Chris Gingerich, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation <p>Discussion</p>	Misha Belkindas (World Bank)- 5 mn
9	1700-1730	<p>Summary and Conclusions: Next Steps</p> <p>FAO: wrap up.</p>	Pietro Gennari (FAO)