4. Regional initiatives and partnerships for strengthening national statistical systems for the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Items for discussion and decision:
4(b) Initiatives by global, regional and subregional organizations in support of the collective vision and framework for action

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**Statement:**

(a) Indonesia supports and appreciates the work of the Committee on Statistics in building collective vision and framework for advancing official statistics for 2030 Agenda of Sustainable Development. Indonesia appreciates the efforts that have been made by international organizations to achieve the goal or target in each area of collaboration.

(b) Indonesia appreciates the assistance and cooperation of several international organizations in supporting Indonesia 2020 Population Census, the realization of One Indonesian Disaster Data, the National Socioeconomic Survey (SU SENAS), and other statistical programs that support the achievement of SDG's.

Furthermore, Indonesia hopes to actively collaborate and be involved in some strategic programs and initiatives to strengthen statistical development for implementation of the 2030 Agenda.

(c) The emerging trend of SDGs Center establishment in a number of universities in Indonesia and NGOs, which is focusing on SDGs implementation and monitoring has provided evidence of non government actors significant contribution in the SDGS achievement. Their roles are supporting and encouraging government and Statistics Indonesia to produce SDGs indicators available at local levels, as well as SDGs indicators that are not available yet.

(d) Statistics Indonesia also collaborates with Local Government and related Ministries to carry out Community Based Engagement (Village Fond of Statistics known as Desa Cantik) as the foundation of data development within the framework of the National Statistical System. This program aims to enable the Local Government to be able to manage and utilize statistical data as the main information for regional development. Through Data-driven decision making, regional development will be better and on target.
(e) In order to strengthen the statistical capacity in the implementation of Desa Cantik, Statistics Indonesia plays a role in providing guidance, assistance and consultation related to standardize statistical business processes, quality assurance, data integration, data and metadata standardization.

Modernization of national statistics achieved by developing statistical capabilities that support integrated statistical business processes and methods through the development of a national statistical infrastructure system. Indonesia hopes that this national statistical infrastructure system can be used to encourage the provision of quality data by the local government. Furthermore, this system can be adopted by another NSO.

(f) Indonesia hopes that Desa Cantik becomes a best practice for other countries in implementing cooperation to support the implementation of NSS. Therefore, it requires international assistance and support to be able to accelerate the development of data from villages.

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