Distinguish chair and honorable delegates,

Agency on statistics under the President of the Republic of Tajikistan as main coordinator on compiling and dissemination of SDG indicators in the country working with international organization on producing unavailable indicators. Statistical Agency of Tajikistan always grateful from the cooperation with international organization such as: World Bank, UNFPA, FAO, UNICEF, WHO, ESCAP and others for the technical assistance and capacity building to NSO.

Agency on statistics under the President of Tajikistan prepared its National Statistical Strategy for the period until 2030, which was adopted by Government Decree and for implementation current strategy with support of The World Bank from last year started a new project named “Modernization of national statistical system”. This project designed to solve the issues staying near statistical system of the country, including overall turning to electronic compilation of data and tasks on producing and dissemination of SDG indicators.

Moreover, it should be mentioned that besides all difficulties during pandemic with support of the Government of Tajikistan and international organizations Statistical Agency was able to conduct Population and Housing Census on time – in 2020.

Regarding producing unavailable SDG indicators Agency on statistics working with international organization to find the ways of producing them for the country by adding new questionaries in household budget survey and conducting new surveys. Statistical office of Tajikistan planning to conduct DHS, LFS, time management survey and other surveys in near future to obtain SDG indicators.
The NSO of Tajikistan is always ready for cooperation with international organizations on improving national statistical system of the country and producing quality and timely data, especially SDG indicators (Tier 2 and Tier 3).

Thank you!

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