The ACSS Committee of ASEAN Secretariat and ASEAN Community Statistical System (ACSS) Committee fully support the 2030 Agenda for the SDG.

The ACSS Strategic Plan 2016-2025 have already covered the work for SDG in the ASEAN Member States (AMS). The ACSS Work Plan 2016 had implemented the SDG activity by conducting Workshop on the SDG in June 2016 where the participants from AMS drafted TOR for WG of SDG indicators (LSDDG) TOR of WGSDG.

The ACSS Committee adopted the establishment of the WGSDG in its 6th Session of ACSS Committee in Lao PDR on November 2016. The Philippines as a lead country for and Chair for this WGSDG starting in 2017.

In September ASEANSecretariat circulated a template of SDG indicators for AMS to submit return to ASEAN Secretariat on their priority list of SDG indicators. This will be mapped by ASEANSecretariat for further discussion (agenda meeting) at the 1st WGSDG in 2017.

AMS & ASEANSecretariat would be pleased if in very beginning of the WGSDG meeting ASEANSecretariat & ESCAP can work in collaboration as well as the EU-ASEAN COMPASS Project.