

Modality for Strengthening Regional Cooperation on Social Protection in Asia and the Pacific



Mandate

“The Committee recommends **strengthening regional cooperation on social protection**, and encourages the secretariat, in coordination with relevant United Nations agencies, **to explore and develop a modality for regional cooperation** to support member States in this regard.”

*ESCAP Committee on Social Development, Fifth Session,
Recommendation 2*

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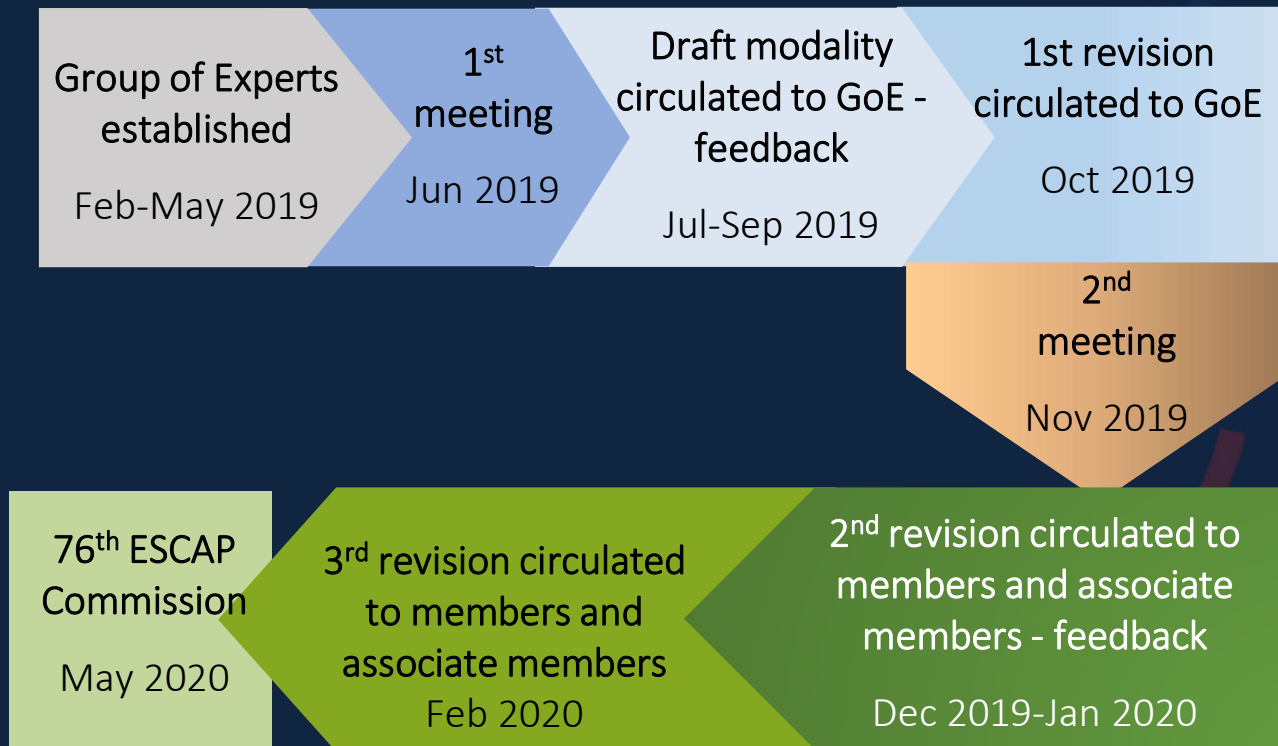
- **Objective:** to explore and develop a regional modality for strengthening regional cooperation on social protection
- **Membership:** Representatives of ESCAP members and associate members
- **Joint Secretariat:** ESCAP secretariat and ILO
- **Working modality:** in-person meetings and remote (written) inputs

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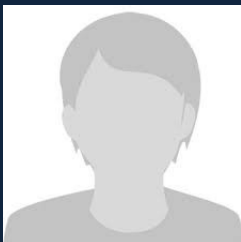
- **Activities:**

- ✓ Facilitate research and consultations, including the identification of national social protection experts
- ✓ Provide inputs to draft reports prepared by the WG secretariat
- ✓ Present the modality to ESCAP member-States for approval and endorsement

Provisional Timeline



Joining the Group of Experts



- Senior official
- Technical expertise in social protection policies and systems
- Line ministry responsible for the design and implementation of social protection

Kindly submit the completed nomination form through the Seats of Government to escap-sdd@un.org

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