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Joint ECE/Eurostat Work Session on Statistical Data Confidentiality
(Thessaloniki, Greece, 8-10 March 1999)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND TIMETABLE

The meeting will start on Monday, 8 March 1999 at 10:00 a.m.
in the International Congress Center of Helexpo, Thessaloniki

Time	Item	Topic	Documentation
Monday, 8 March 1999			
9:00 - 10:00		Registration of participants	
10:00 - 10:30	1	Opening of the meeting	Working Paper No. 1 Provisional Agenda
	2	Adoption of the agenda Designation of officers	
10:30 - 10:45	3	Report from the Conference on Statistical Data Protection (25-27 March 1998, Lisbon, Portugal)	
	4	Study Topic (i): New applications of disclosure control methods Session Discussant: Mr. Lawrence Cox (United States)	
10:45 - 11:00		a) Introduction to the topic by the Discussant	
11:00 - 11:40		b) Presentation of the Invited Paper by the Netherlands (E. Schulte Nordholt) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 2
11:40 - 12:20		c) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Spain (A. Garin, E. Ripoll) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 3
12:20 - 14:00		Lunch break	
14:00 - 14:40		d) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Italy (L. Franconi) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 4
14:40 - 15:30		e) Substantive discussion	Working Papers No. 5, 6, 14 and 24
15:30 - 15:50		Coffee break	
15:50 - 17:00		e) Substantive discussion(continued) and conclusion of Study Topic (i)	
17:00 - 17:30		Demonstrations	
TUESDAY, 9 March 1999			
	5	Study Topic (ii): Software and computing developments. Session Discussant: Mr. Josep Domingo-Ferrer (Spain)	
9:00 - 9:15		a) Introduction to the topic by the Discussant	
9:15 - 9:55		b) Presentation of the Invited Paper by the Netherlands (L. Willenborg, A. Hundepool) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 7
9:55 - 10:35		c) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Eurostat (D. Thorogood) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 8
10:35 - 10:55		Coffee break	
10:55 - 11:35		d) Presentation of the Invited Paper by G. Sande-- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 9
11:35 - 12:30		e) Substantive discussion	Working Papers No. 10, 11, 12 and 13
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch break	

14:00 - 15:10		e) Substantive discussion (continued) and conclusion of Study Topic (ii)	
15:10 - 15:30		Coffee break	
	6	Study Topic (iii): Administration and policy of statistical data confidentiality Session Discussant: Mr. Gordon Sande (Sande & Associates, United States)	
15:30 - 15:45		a) Introduction to the topic by the Discussant	
15:45 - 16:25		b) Presentation of the Invited Paper by the Netherlands (J. Nobel) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 15
16:25 - 17:05		c) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Eurostat (D. Thorogood) -- (30 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)	Working Paper No. 16
17:05 - 17:30		c) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Jan Holvast and UN/ECE	Working Paper No. 17
WEDNESDAY, 10 March 1999			
9:00 - 9:20		d) Presentation of the Invited Paper by Jan Holvast and UN/ECE	Working Paper No. 17
9:20 - 10:40		e) Substantive discussion	Working Papers No. 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25 and 26
10:40 - 11:00		Coffee break	
11:00 - 12:30		e) Substantive discussion (continued) and conclusion of Study Topic (iii)	
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch break	
14:00 - 14:50	7	Major problems concerning statistical data confidentiality in transition countries	
14:50 - 15:30	8	Future work	---
15:30 - 15:50		Coffee break	
15:50 - 16:30	9	Adoption of the report	Draft report
16:30	---	Closing of the meeting	---