

THIRTY-NINTH MEETING OF  
THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF  
CARIBBEAN STATISTICIANS (SCCS)

SCCS/2014/39/1

Georgetown, Guyana

27 – 29 October 2014

22 October 2014

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AGENDA

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- A.1 OPENING REMARKS
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SECOND HIGH LEVEL ADVOCACY FORUM ON STATISTICS:
  - B.1.1 A Review of the Summary of Conclusions and Recommendations
  - B.1.2 Elements that can inform an Action Plan for Sustaining the Development,  
Production and Dissemination of Statistics in CARICOM
- B.2 THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REGIONAL STATISTICAL WORK PROGRAMME -  
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- B.3 ECONOMY, FINANCE AND INVESTMENT STATISTICS IN THE CONTEXT OF THE  
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- B.3.1 Progress in the Compilation of National Accounts and Programme of Work 2014/2015 -
  - B.3.1.1 Status Report on National Accounts and Programme of Work 2014/2015
  - B.3.1.2 Progress Reports by Countries on the Compilation of National Accounts and on the Implementation Strategy for the System of National Accounts 2008
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- B.3.4 Other Areas of Economic Statistics – High Frequency Indicators-Recommendations from the CARICOM Advisory Group on Statistics
- B.3.5 The 2011 Round of the International Comparison Programme (ICP – Feedback on the Results - Recommendations [to be] submitted to the ICP Global Office

#### **B.4 POPULATION, DEMOGRAPHIC, SOCIAL AND LIVING CONDITIONS STATISTICS:**

- B.4.1 Progress in the Compilation of Social Statistics and Programme of Work 2014/2015 -

B.4.1.1 Status Report on Social/Gender Statistics and Programme of Work 2014/2015

B.4.1.2 Progress Reports by Countries on the Compilation of Social/Gender Statistics

B.4.2 Progress on the 2010 Round of Population and Housing Census – Key Issues raised at the Census Symposium 2014

B.4.3 Recommendations for the Work Programme of Population, Demographic, Social and Living Conditions Statistics

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B.5.1.1 Status Report on Environment Statistics and Programme of Work 2014/2015

B.5.1.2 Progress Reports of Countries on the Compilation of Environment Statistics

B.5.2 Other Issues and Initiatives in the area of Environment Statistics

B.5.3 Recommendations for the Work Programme on Environment Statistics

## **B.6 STATISTICS ON INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES:**

B.6.1 Progress in the Compilation of Statistics on Information and Communication Technologies 2014/2015 -

B.6.1.1 Status Report on Statistics on Information and Communication Technologies and Programme of Work 2014/2015

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## **B.7 REPORT OF THE FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH MEETINGS OF THE CARICOM ADVISORY GROUP ON STATISTICS (AGS)**

## **B.8 SUPPORT TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF STATISTICS IN CARICOM – UPDATE - STATISTICS CANADA**

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