

Component A – Quality of Official Statistics

Status of recommendations'
implementation

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Recommendations A1

- The strategy for quality should be marketed more vigorously.
- The steering committee should be integrated with the quality work in the production of statistics.
- The internationally agreed standard for describing and structuring statistical business processes, GSBPM, should be considered for the process of planning a new survey and defining quality requirements for processes.
- The work with EFQM must be integrated with CoP, QAF (Quality Assurance Framework of the European Statistical System).

Recommendations A1 (cntn'd)

- ICBS should ensure that the glossary complies with international standards and definitions.
- Use of the standard questions should be promoted
- ICBS should make a plan for the further internal coordination
- Work on generating incentives for Other National Authorities (ONA) should be planned.
- ICBS should try to map reporting to international organizations (who/what).
- A discussion on quality labeling should be introduced in ICBS, and subsequently in the NSS and in the Public Council.
- Make a detailed plan for the work with coordination of NSS.
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Integrated Metadata System

- Keep it up!
- The Data Documentation Initiative (DDI) should be considered as a technical standard for metadata storing and integration.
Please consult:
<http://www1.unece.org/stat/platform/display/metis/Data+Documentation+Initiative+-+DDI>
- ICBS should choose a standard system for implementing DDI.

Recommendation A2

- It is recommended to work further on the Hebrew translation of the CoP and the QAF.
- The experts recommend that the five pilot teams, in collaboration with the quality team of the ICBS, complete the self-assessment questionnaires.
- It is recommended to have a sixth quality audit pilot for statistics that will cover all the steps from A to H.
- It is recommended that, based the experience from the six pilots, the quality team draw up an action plan for implementing quality audits in the ICBS.
- It is recommended to translate the GSBPM into Hebrew, supplementing the descriptions of the processes with examples of good practices or standards from the ICBS.

Thank You !!!