Programme for Activity C2: 12 – 14 September 2016

Infrastructure for agricultiral statistics:

Methodology for the Implementation and Maintenance of Farms Frame

Day 1 12 Sep.	Hour	Overall Subject:
		Overall Subject: • Infrastructure for agricultiral statistics **Location:** • Infrastructure-Economic meeting room (floor 2-West) *Participants: Selected ICBS and MARD Staff, MS experts, the Twinning team of Component C*
	09:00-9:30	*Welcome and introduction* (Dr. Moshe Yanai and Ms. Charlotte Nielsen) • *Presentation of the Terms of Reference and agenda in order to ensure a common understanding of the purpose of the mission and the expected activities and results* • *Following up on Activity C1a* • *Presentation of participant*
	09:30-10:30	*MS: Typology (Classification of farms) part I* • *Concept*
	10:30- 10:45	Coffee break
	10:45-12:00	*MS: Typology (Classification of farms) part II* • *Methods*
	12:00-13:00	Lunch break
	13:00-14:30	*MS: Establishment of a farm register*
	14:30-14:45	Coffee break
	14:45-16:00	*MS: Maintenance of a farm register*
	16:00-16:30	*Discussion and summary of the first day*

Day 2 13 Sep.	Hour	**Overall Subject:** • Quality Check • Test of Concept for Calculating Farmers Income • Quality Of Official Statistics According CoP **Location:** • Infrastructure-Economic meeting room (floor 2-West) *Participants: Selected ICBS and MARD Staff, MS experts, the Twinning team of Component C*
	9:00-10:40	***MS: Quality check of data received from the census and surveys***
	10:40-11:00	Coffee break
	11:00-12:00	***BC: Introduction of the hands-on exercise (Test of concept for calculating farmers income by combining data from multiple sources)*** (Dr. Moshe Yanai) • *Data from MARD on crops and potential income* • *Data Agriculture, Environment and Energy Sector* • *Survey data ('Ronits survey')* • *Presentation of the current status of farm register in the ICBS* • *Discussion on the current data sources and their quality* • *How to select a proper data source?*
	12:00-13:00	Lunch break
	13:00-14:30	***Hands-on exercise part I***
	14:30-14:50	Coffee break
	14:50-16:30	***MS: Workshop on quality of official Statistics according to CoP*** *Documentation of methodology and processes of statistical production* • *GSBPM* • *Metadata* • *Publication- dissemination of the data* • *Indicators*

Day 3 14 Sep.	Hour	**Overall Subject:** • Users Needs for Agricultural Census and Farm Register • Summing Up the Mission and Recommendations **Location:** • Infrastructure-Economic meeting room (floor 2-West) *Participants: Selected ICBS and MARD Staff, MS experts, the Twinning team of Component C*
	9:00-11:00	***Hands-on exercise part II***
	11:00-11:15	Coffee break
	11:15-12:15	***BC/MS: Discussion of future opportunity with an agricultural census and farm register*** (Introduction by Dr. Moshe Yanai) • *Output needed* • *Potential publications* • *Agricultural statistics - the user perspectives benefits and challenges* • *Agricultural statistics for decision making* • *Long-term vs. Short term goals* • *Challenges (i.e. confidentiality)*
	12:15-13:15	Lunch break
	13:15-14:30	***BC/MS: Summing up the Mission and recommendation (group work)*** • *Summary of the Mission* • *Recommendations for a methodology - including a method for the integration of different administrative sources and already existing survey data into a farm register and outline of how a register is updated / maintained* • *Plan for coming Missions* • *Work to be done before next Mission*
	14:30-14:50	Coffee break
	14:50-15:50	***Presentation of recommendation and future work***
	16:00-16:30	***Discussion and Debriefing***

Abbreviations:
BC = Beneficiary Country (Israel)
ICBS = Israeli Central Bureau of Statistics
DST = Statistics Denmark
MS = Member State (Denmark)
IT = Information Technologies

Material to be prepared before the activity:
Presentations (DST and ICBS)
Material for 'Test of Concepts for farmers income' (ICBS)