

PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA

**Sixth Meeting of the United Nations Committee of Experts
on Environmental Economic Accounting
New York, 15-17 June 2011
Conference Room, NLB C**

1. **Opening and objectives of the meeting**
2. **Revision of the SEEA - Central framework (*for discussion*)**
The Committee will review progress made in the drafting of the Chapters of the central framework of the revised SEEA and will provide advice on the way forward.
3. **Revision of the SEEA - Experimental accounts on ecosystems (*for discussion*)**
The Committee will discuss the proposal for the roadmap for developing the experimental accounts on ecosystems prepared by the European Environment Agency, the World Bank and UNSD.
4. **Applications of the SEEA (*for decision*)**
The SEEA will discuss a proposal for the structure and content of the part of the revised SEEA on Applications prepared by the subgroup of the UNCEEA, established at its fifth meeting.
5. **Examples of applications of the SEEA (*for discussion*)**
The Committee will discuss various application of the SEEA including its relationship with on-going indicator initiatives such as green economy and green growth, measuring sustainable development, etc. It will also discuss consumption based indicators and input-output types of analyses.
6. **Implementation of the SEEA (*for discussion*)**
The UNCEEA will discuss a paper outlining a possible strategy on the implementation of the SEEA will be presented.
7. **The SEEA and major international events (e.g. Rio +20, Water conferences -ISI, World Water Forum - Conference on green growth in Korea, etc.) (*for discussion*)**
As part of the promotion of the SEEA, it is important that the statistical community and beyond are informed of the applications of the SEEA to inform analytical frameworks such as the green economy/green growth, water conferences, etc. The role of NSOs in ensuring the SEEA becomes one of the outcome of Rio+20 will be discussed.

8. **Extension of the integrated economic statistics manual to environmental information** *(for discussion)*
 The Committee will discuss a proposal for extending the manual on integrated economic statistics to environmental information.
9. **SEEA-Agriculture and rural development** *(for discussion)*
 The paper will elaborate on the way forward to develop a sector-specific SEEA looking at the impacts of agriculture, forestry and fishing on the environment and the contribution of the environment to the sector.
10. **Energy accounts and statistics** *(for discussion)*
 The Committee will be updated on the progress of work in the development of the SEEA-Energy, Energy Statistics Compilers Manual, including on how it can support the implementation of the SEEA and the SEEA-Energy.
11. **Environment statistics** *(for information)*
 The Committee will be informed of the current development in environment statistics and in particular updated on the progress of work on the revision of the Framework for the Development of Environment Statistics (FDES).
12. **Programme of work of the UNCEEA** *(for information)*
 The Committee will have before it the programme of work of the UNCEEA and the annex reporting on the programme of work of other bodies working on environmental-economic accounting and supporting statistics for which the UNCEEA plays a role of coordination.
13. **Report of Groups working under the auspices of or in collaboration with the UNCEEA** *(for information)*
 Reports presenting progress of work of the various groups will be presented to the UNCEEA to ensure coordination among the group is ensured.