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Statement:
Mexico takes note of the Spatial Information and Geoespatial Services for Disasters working group, as well of the progress that the working group has achieved. We recongnize the importance of having common and standardized definitions and terms of reference for this type of information and services.
We emphasize the need to keep the present collaboration and communication between the working groups with the National Agencies or Offices in charge of attention to disasters and those in charge of geospatial and statistical information, as well as international organizations. Proper information is essential to enhance the capacity to cope with disasters. The COVID 19 pandemic adds challenges that have to be solved, also with the contributions from geospatial and statistical information.
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