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Statement:	
Esri congratulates the work of the Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial information (EG-ISGI) and is pleased to see the endorsement of the GSGF in decision 51/123, by the Statistical Commission and decision 9/106 with UN-GGIM adopting the GSGF.	
The workplan, including the newly established task teams is key to ensure best practices and adoption. Critical in this is the identified matrix which maps the interlinkages between the principles and key elements of the GSGF and the Strategic Pathways of the IGIF.	
Esri is also committed to help in capacity development and to that end has recently released a series of new learn pathways for Official Statistics. These pathways guided by UNFPA input, aim to address the overall goal of development of material that enables capacity development.	
Esri would like to express its interest to continue supporting the important work of this group in our capacity as expert contributors.	
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