



## Sixth Session of the Committee of Experts on UN-GGIM

### SIDE EVENT

## UN-GGIM:Arab States Meeting (Closed)

Thursday, August 4, 2016

13:15 pm - 14:45 pm

Venue: Conference Room 12 (CR12)  
United Nations, New York

#### Objectives:

Arab Member States will be briefed on the report of the UN-GGIM:Arab States to be presented to the 6<sup>th</sup> session of UN-GGIM and given an overview on the progress of the activities of its Working Groups that were established following the inaugural Session of their regional Committee. The participants in the meeting will discuss and agree on the dates and the provisional agenda of the next (fourth) meeting of the Committee to be hosted by Qatar.

#### Draft Agenda:

**Moderator:** Saad Al-Hamlan, Head of Delegation of Saudi Arabia / Chair of UN-GGIM:Arab States

**1. Opening Session** (15 minutes):

- Introduction and Context – Amor Laaribi (UNSD/UN-GGIM Secretariat)
- Welcoming remarks- Saad Al-Hamlan (Saudi Arabia)

**2. UN-GGIM: Arab States Report** (15 minutes):

- Summary of the UNGGIM:Arab States report– Mosaed Al-zahrani, UNGGIM:Arab States Secretariat, Saudi Arabia

**3. Working Groups Work Programmes** (30 minutes)

- Overview on the work programme of the Working Groups – Chairs of the WGs
- Moderated interactive discussion with participants on the WG activities

**4. Discussion of future activities and Conclusions** (30 minutes)

- Fourth meeting to be hosted by Qatar: fixing dates and objectives
- Activity Plan for the rest of the year
- Concluding remarks: Saad Al-Hamlan (Saudi Arabia)

***“This is a closed meeting and only members of UN-GGIM:Arab States are invited”***

