

# **Working Group on Trends in national institutional arrangements in geospatial information management**

## **Task Group 2 (TG2)**

### **Founding Structures, Dissemination systems and Data Policies Models**

#### **S3. Establishment of a legal framework Legal Framework of the National System of Statistical and Geographical Information of Mexico**

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## S3. Establishment of a legal framework

### Purpose

Establish the legal basis by which the actions of all participants of the National System of Statistical and Geographical Information is regulated, as well as the conduct and development of the statistical and geographical activities of the country.



# Legal Background



(Amendment to Art. 26, 2006)

<http://www.diputados.gob.mx/LeyesBiblio/htm/1.htm>

In accordance with the **reform Articles 26 and 73 of the Constitution of the United Mexican States**, published in the Official Journal of the Federation (DOF) on April 7, 2006, **the Mexican State must have a National System of Statistical and Geographical Information (SNIEG)**. For the Federation, the State Entities, the Municipalities and the territorial demarcations of the Mexico City, the data contained in the System will be of compulsory use in the terms established by Law.



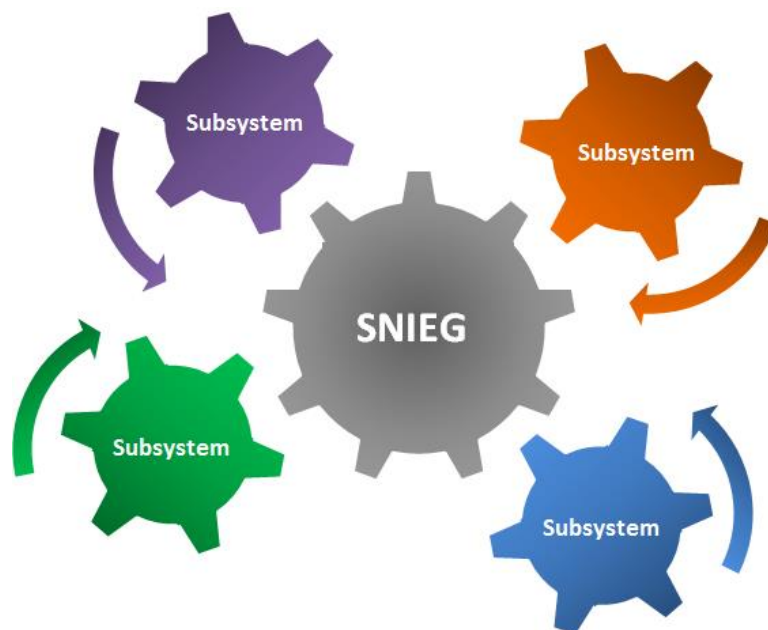
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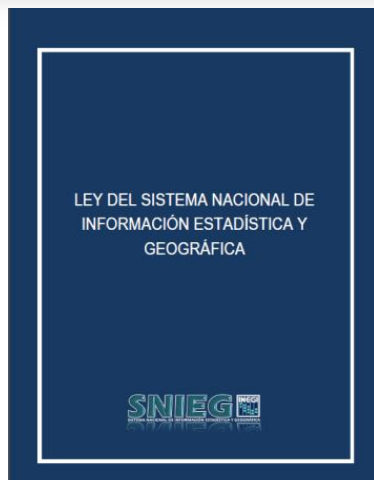
# Legal Faculty

The **responsibility for regulating and coordinating the System** is in charge of an organization with technical and management autonomy, legal personality and its own assets (**INEGI**).



# Law of SNIEG

In order to formalize the above provisions, the **Law of National System of Statistical and Geographical Information** was published in the Official Journal on April 16, 2008 which is of public order, of social interest and of general observance throughout the Republic.



(Published in the Official Journal of the Federation, 2008)

<http://www.snieg.gob.mx/contenidos/espanol/normatividad/marcojuridico/LSNIEG.pdf>

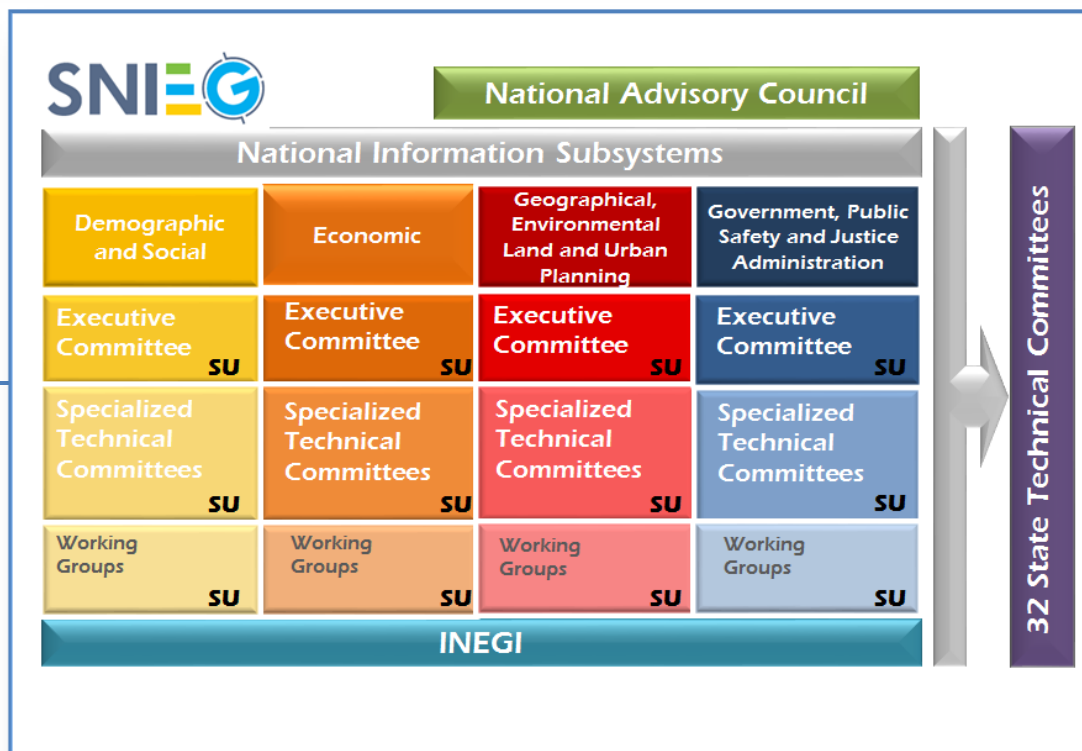
## It aims to regulate:

- 1 The National System of Statistical and Geographical Information (SNIEG)
- 2 The rights and obligations of System informants
- 3 The organization and functioning of the National Institute of Statistics and Geography (INEGI)
- 4 The administrative offenses and administrative means of defense against the acts and resolutions of the Institute



# Usability of the Legal Framework

The application of the Law of the National System of Statistical and Geographical Information is **obligatory for all the State Units (SU)**.



## SNIEG

Set of **Units** organized through **subsystems**, coordinated by the Institute\* and articulated by the **National Information Network**, in order to produce and disseminate **Information of National Interest**

( Art. 2 LSNIEG, 2008)

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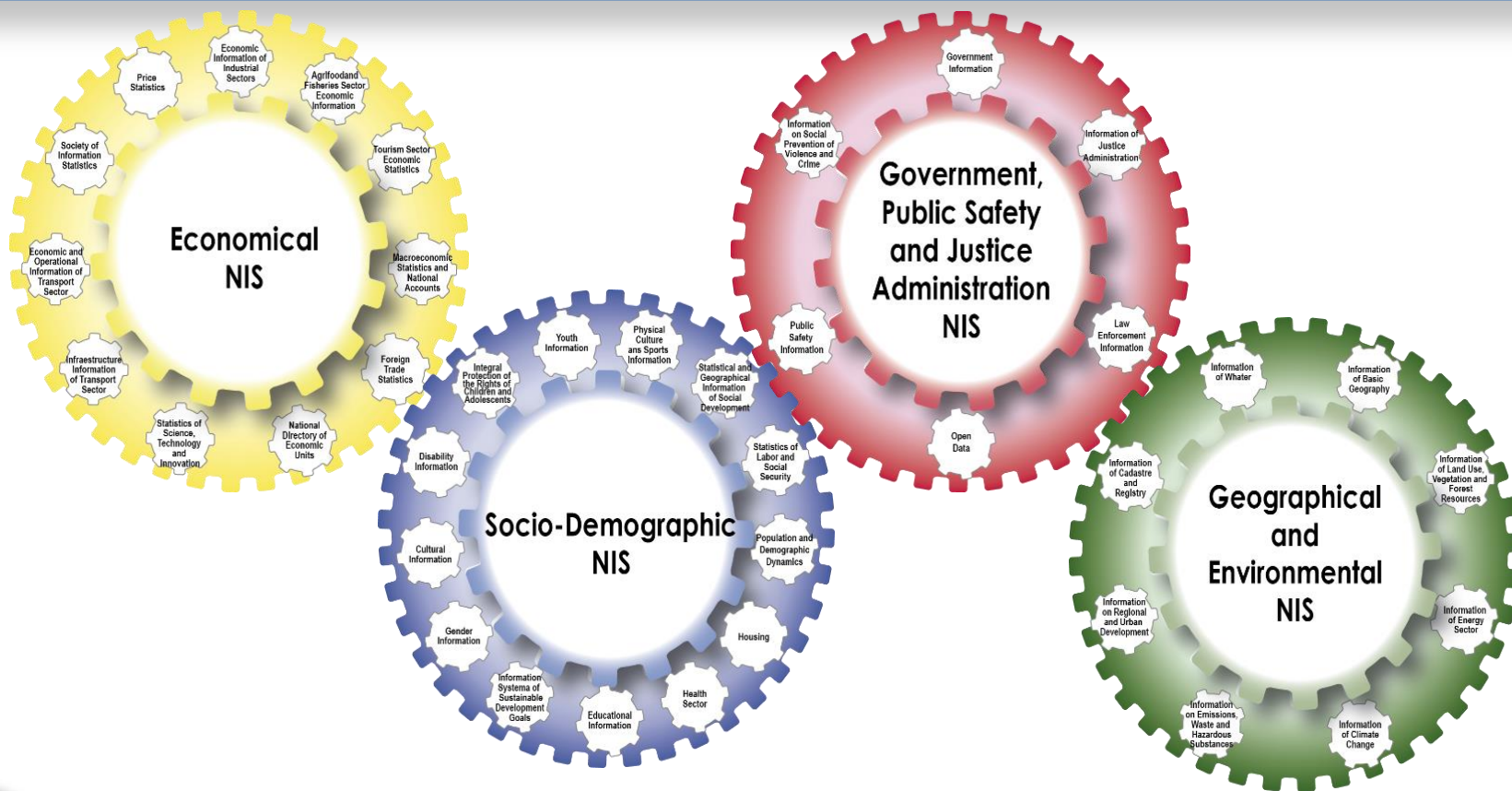
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# Usability of the Legal Framework

There are 39 Specialized Technical Committees in the four National Information Subsystems (NIS)



# Usability of the Legal Framework

The Collegiate Bodies of SNIEG participate in the development of normativity



Rules for Coordinating SNIEG  
(14 documents)

Technical Standards

- Statistical (10 documents)
- Geographical (11 documents)

<http://www.snieg.mx/>



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# Usability of the Legal Framework

The Law of SNIEG establishes **three programmatic instruments** for the management and regulation of the activities necessary for the **planning, programming, production and dissemination of Information of National Interest.**

1



SNIEG Strategic Program  
(24 years)

<http://www.snieg.mx/contenidos/espanol/programas/pesnieg.pdf>

(Art. 9 LSNIEG, 2008)

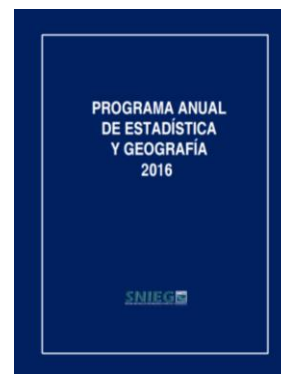
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National Program of  
Statistics and Geography  
(6 years)

<http://www.snieg.mx/contenidos/espanol/programas/PNEG%202013-2018.pdf>

3



Annual Program of Statistics  
and Geography  
(1 year)

[http://www.snieg.mx/Contenidos/espanol/Programas/PAEG\\_2016.pdf](http://www.snieg.mx/Contenidos/espanol/Programas/PAEG_2016.pdf)



# Good practice motivation

The definition and implementation of the Legal Framework is considered a good practice related to NIA, since it allows:



- ❑ Establish legal provisions for its proper functioning



- ❑ Define its functions and attributions as hierarchical entity within the public sector and responsible for the coordination of this System



**Thank you for your attention**



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