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<i>Statement provided by:</i> Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean	
<i>Statement:</i> ECLAC takes note and welcomes the report prepared by the Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information. ECLAC also acknowledges and welcomes the new focus of the work plan 2020-2022 on awareness-raising, promotion, and implementation materials as key guidance for countries to support their work towards the operationalization and implementation of the GSGF. These implementation materials will be crucial for ECLAC technical assistance activities aiming to support the national processes in Latin American and the Caribbean. The new work structure in Task Teams for capacity building, privacy and confidentiality, and principles of the GSGF is mostly welcome as well. In this way, ECLAC expresses its commitment in helping to urge and assist Member States to adopt and implement the Global Statistical Geospatial Framework and contribute further to the work of the Expert Group, as member of the Task Team in Capacity Building and other topics where it be necessary to collaborate.	
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