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Legal and policy frameworks, including issues related to authoritative data (for discussion and decision)

Statement provided by:

Canada

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On behalf of Canada, I would like to commend the Working Group on Policy and Legal Frameworks for Geospatial Information Management for its efforts to develop resource materials for the policy and legal resource kit. We see these as foundational guides for IGIF implementation and the development of appropriate national-level legal and policy frameworks.

Canada would also like to acknowledge the strong leadership of the Working Group Co-Chairs, Sweden and Australia. We look forward to taking on a greater leadership role in the upcoming year, and wish to encourage fellow Member States to participate in the Working group as well.

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