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Collaboration with the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names (for discussion and decision)

Statement provided by:

Austria

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Austria notes the report provided by the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names and welcomes the collaborative progress made by the Group of Experts during the intersessional period.

Austria strongly welcomes the efforts of building a stronger relationship between the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names and the Group of Experts that has been realized with the cooperation model.

Austria supports the cooperation model with ongoing activities and resources of the national “Board on Geographical Names” and their reports to the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names.

We like to emphasize the importance of standardized geographical naming for an integrative information management across domains, especially for the task of successful data integration.

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