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ANNOTATED PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Adoption of the agenda

The representatives of participating organizations will have before them the provisional agenda of the meeting (LC/L.1748) for consideration and subsequent adoption, with such modifications as they may deem appropriate.

- 2. Review of progress made in coordinating the inter-agency project on the use of gender indicators in public policy-making and analysis of the contributions made by participating organizations to its implementation and financing
- (a) The ECLAC secretariat will report on the fulfilment of its mandate as coordinator of the working group on gender indicators of the Inter-Agency Network on Women and Gender Equality (IANWGE) and will present to participants the inter-agency project implemented by the five regional commissions, together with the inventory prepared by ECLAC of gender indicators and tools available in the United Nations system.
- (b) The ECLAC secretariat will report on the cooperation and financing agreements concluded regionally with organizations of the United Nations system within the framework of the inter-agency project on the use of gender indicators in public policy-making, in accordance with the agreements adopted at the eighth, ninth and tenth Meetings of Specialized Agencies and Other Bodies of the United Nations System on the Advancement of Women in Latin America and the Caribbean.
- (c) The representatives of participating organizations will report on activities being pursued in the area of gender indicators.
 - (d) Further financing options will also be considered.

Reference documents

- Report of the First Session of the Inter-Agency Network on Women and Gender Equality (New York, 26 February 1 March 2002) (IANWGE/2002/11)
- ECLAC, "Report of the Task Force on Tools and Indicators for Gender Impact Analysis, Monitoring and Evaluation", Inter-Agency Network on Women and Gender Equality (New York, 26 February 1 March 2002), mimeo
- Documentation submitted by organizations participating in the meeting

3. Cooperation strategies for the effective use of indicators in the follow-up to the Millennium Summit

The representatives of participating organizations will consider ways of coordinating joint cooperation activities to assist the countries of the region in using indicators for monitoring the achievement of the development objectives set forth in the Millennium Declaration adopted by the States Members of the United Nations.

Reference document

- Protocol of intent to monitor fulfilment of the goals of the Millennium Summit, signed by ECLAC, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and the World Bank
- 4. Follow-up to the proposal on gender statistics and indicators for measuring the extent and situation of violence against women in Latin America and the Caribbean, adopted at the first technical meeting on gender indicators held within the framework of the Programme of International Statistical Work for Latin America and the Caribbean

The representatives of participating organizations will decide on the next steps to be taken to implement the recommendations adopted at the International Meeting on Gender Statistics and Indicators for Measuring the Extent of Violence against Women in Latin America and the Caribbean and Trends in this Respect (La Paz, Bolivia, 21-23 November 2001).

Reference documents

- Report of the International Meeting on Gender Statistics and Indicators for Measuring the Extent of Violence against Women in Latin America and the Caribbean and Trends in this Respect (La Paz, Bolivia, 21-23 November 2001) (LC/L.1734)
- Diane Alméras, Rosa Bravo, Vivian Milosavljevic, Sonia Montaño and María Nieves Rico, Violencia contra la mujer en relación de pareja: América Latina y el Caribe. Una propuesta para medir su magnitud y evolución, Mujer y desarrollo series, No. 40 (LC/L.1744-P)

5. Preparations for the second technical meeting on gender indicators to be held within the framework of the Programme of International Statistical Work for Latin America and the Caribbean

The representatives of participating organizations will consider ways of taking part in the preparations for the second technical meeting on gender indicators under the Programme of International Statistical Work for Latin America and the Caribbean, to be held in Bolivia in the second half of 2002 to consider proposals from the region for mainstreaming a gender perspective into poverty measurement.

Working document

Draft agenda prepared by the ECLAC secretariat

6. Future activities for regional inter-agency coordination

- (a) The participating organizations will coordinate activities to promote the compilation, processing, analysis and dissemination of gender indicators and their harmonization across countries, in accordance with agreement 1 adopted at the tenth Meeting of Specialized Agencies and Other Bodies of the United Nations System on the Advancement of Women in Latin America and the Caribbean.
 - (b) The participating organizations will identify any other tasks that they consider relevant.

7. Other matters

Under this item, the representatives of participating organizations will consider any other issues they may wish to raise.

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