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Fifth ICP Regional Coordinator Meeting

THE FAIRMONT WASHINGTON HOTEL
2401 M STREET N.W. WASHINGTON DC
March 7-11, 2005

Monday March 7 – Global and regional reports

09:30 – 09:45 Welcoming Address, Shaida Badiee
09:45 – 10:30 Global progress report on research, launching, etc, Fred Vogel
10:30 – 10:45 Advocacy campaign at global, regional and national levels, Farah Hussain

10:45 – 11:15 Coffee

11:15 – 12:00 Latin America's experience with pilot data collection and follow up regional meeting, Louis Marc Ducharme

12:00 – 12:30 Discussion

12:30 – 02:00 Lunch (Served at the Hotel)

02:00 – 03:30 Country preparedness report by regions (about 30 minutes per country)

- Which countries have started data collection and when, when do the rest begin data collection
- Which countries are collecting data on a monthly basis and which ones are collecting prices on a quarterly basis,
- Which countries are participating at the GDP level,
- Which countries are conducting nation wide surveys, including urban and rural areas,
- Which countries are submitting raw data and which are providing averages only,
- What is the protocol of agreement for data transfer and data accessibility? Etc

03:30 – 04:00 Coffee

04:00 – 05:30 Country preparedness report by regions (Continued):

Tuesday March 8 – Harmonizing regional data collection schedules / ring program

09:30 – 10:30	Harmonizing global data collection schedules – How do we reconcile different data collection schedules? Fred Vogel
10:30 – 11:00	**Coffee**
11:00 – 12:00	National coverage including urban and rural areas vs. capital city only vs. limited national coverage, Yuri Dikhanov
12:00 – 12:30	Ring Comparison Methodology, Yuri Dikhanov
12:30 – 02:00	**Lunch**
02:00 – 03:30	Building a global / ring list of specification for shop and non-shop items, Yonas Biru / Jinsook Lee
03:30 – 04:00	**Coffee**
04:00 – 05:30	Work plan, time fame and data transfer protocol for the ring comparison Yonas Biru / Jinsook Lee

Wednesday March – SPDs

09:30 – 10:45	SPDs for Construction, Anil Sawhney
10:45 – 11:15	**Coffee**
11:15 – 12:30	SPDs for Equipment Goods, Steven Burdette / Siew Hua Lee
12:30 – 02:00	**Lunch**
02:00 – 03:00	Housing, Alan Heston
03:00 – 03:30	**Coffee**
03:30 – 04:00	Government, Fred Vogel
04:00 – 04:30	Reference PPPs, Fred Vogel / Yuri Dikhanov
04:30 – 05:30	SPDs for Health and Education – Yonas Biru / Jinsook Lee

Thursday March 10 – Tool Pack / Work Plan for Q2/Q3 / Poverty PPPs

09:30 – 10:15	Data transfer protocol and data accessibility, recommendations of the ICP Executive Board, Jacob Ryten
10:15 – 10:45	Data transfer continued
10:45 – 11:15	**Coffee**
11:15 – 12:00	Review of Tool Pack Data Processing Module, Vilas Mandlekar
12:00 – 12:30	Questions and answers
12:30 – 02:00	**Lunch Served at the Hotel**
02:00 – 03:00	Workplan for regional comparison and Ring comparison
03:00 – 03:30	**Coffee**
03:30 – 04:30	Workplan continued

Friday March 11 -- Data transfer and accessibility protocols and summary of meeting

09:30 – 10:45	Data transfer and workflow between countries & regions, Nada Hamadeh Review of Tool Pack data validation procedures, Yuri Dikhanov
10:45 – 11:15	**Coffee**
11:15 – 12:00	Work plan and time frame for non-consumption items, Fred Vogel
12:00 – 12:30	Summary of meeting and plan for the next meeting, Fred Vogel

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