

Government of Pakistan  
Ministry of Finance, Revenue & Economic Affairs  
(Economic Affairs Division)

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

No. 3(1)UN-IV/UNESCAP/2015

Islamabad, the 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2018

**Subject:- Fourth Meeting of the Regional Steering Group for Civil Registration and Vital Statistics in Asia and the Pacific, 13-15 November, 2018 in Bangkok.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to Parep Bangkok's letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 on the subject noted above.

2. United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) has invited a nomination to participate in the subject meeting.
3. This meeting will focus on preparations for the midterm review of the Asia-Pacific CRVS Decade, 2015-2024, building on past recommendations by the Steering Group and the Commission, including the decision to convene a Ministerial Conference to take stock of mid term progress and celebrate the mid-point of the Decade in 2020.

The meeting is held to:

- a. Agree on process, templates and guidelines for midterm progress reporting by countries;
- b. Initiate preparations for the 2020 Ministerial Conference; and
- c. Review the working arrangements of Regional Steering Group and make recommendations on possible adjustments for the second half of the Asia Pacific CRVS Decade.

5. Ministry of statistics is therefore requested to kindly nominate one relative officer dealing with the subject matter by 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2018 positively. Filled participant registration form may be sent by email to Ms. Nasikarn Nitiprapathananun [nitiprapathananun@un.org](mailto:nitiprapathananun@un.org) and [stat.unescap@un.org](mailto:stat.unescap@un.org) or fax +66 2288 1082 by 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2018.

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