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SUGGESTED TIMETABLE IN MEETING THE GENERAL STANDARDS ON STATISTICAL INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

STANDARD	Designated Statistics (Under EO 352)	Non-designated Statistics
A. Standards to Promote Reliability, Transparency and Integrity of the Philippine Statistical System		
1. Provide all appropriate metadata	1999	1999
2. Label statistics accordingly	1999	1999
3. Appraise the reliability of the data using statistical measures	1999	2000
4. Keep the users informed of revisions, anticipated delays in release and changes in methodology as well as on-going activities and plans for improvement	1999	2000
B. Standards to Improve Timeliness and Accessibility of Government Information		
1. Keep the public informed and disseminate the data at the earliest time		
1.1 Provide advance information about upcoming data.	1999	2000
1.2 Disseminate in advance a calendar of release.	1999	2000
1.3 Disseminate statistical information in any form immediately upon availability or even before release of the formal publication	1999	2000
1.4 Undertake simultaneous release of information at the national and local level by national agencies with regional or provincial units	1999	2000
2. Promote the use of all available data		
2.1 Disseminate all available disaggregations.	1999	2000
2.2 Make available the use of the most micro-level summary statistics thru Public Use Files	2000	2001
3. Reach out to more users using various media		
3.1 Disseminate statistics widely using both print and electronic media		
a. Print media	1999	1999
b. Electronic media		
b.1 diskette	1999	1999
b.2 e-mail	1999	1999
b.3 worldwide web	1999	1999
b.4 CD-ROM	2000	2001
3.2 Conduct user-awareness programs	1999	1999
4. Provide the users with utmost service and opportunities to feedback		
4.1 Establish a focal point for data inquiries in every agency	1999	1999
4.2 Respond to reasonable data requests within a period of 15 working days	1999	1999
4.3 Act upon complaints on access within a period of 15 working days	1999	1999
4.4 Solicit and record feedback from data users	1999	1999
5. Develop and maintain data archiving system		
5.1 diskette	1999	1999
5.2 other sophisticated electronic storage systems (microfiche, microfilm, CD ROM)	2000	2001