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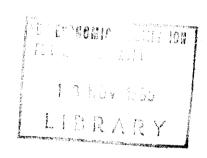
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## ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMISSION FOR WESTERN ASIA

Regional Seminar on Population and Housing Censuses

30 November - 4 December 1985 Baghdad



Provisional Agenda

# THE REGIONAL SEMINAR ON POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUSES IN THE REGION OF WESTERN ASIA

#### Saturday 30 November 1985

Saturday 30 November	EL 1905
8:30 - 10:00	Registration
10:00 - 11:00	Opening of the Seminar
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 - 14:00	<ul> <li>Review and Assessment of Population and Housing Census Programmes in the ESCWA Region.</li> </ul>
	Main Problems Encountered by Countries of the ESCWA Region in Processing their Census Data.
	<ul> <li>Analysis of the Census Data in the ESCWA Region -Drawbacks and Measures for Development.</li> </ul>

#### Sunday 1 December 1985

8:30 - 11:00	Presentation of the Country Papers.
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break.
11:30 - 14:00	Open Discussions on Census Programmes in the ESCWA Region. Discussion will be focussed on the following questions:

- Periodicity
- Census Methods
- Topics
- Concepts and Standards
- Tabulations
- Main Problems Encountered

### Monday 2 December 1985

8:30 - 11:00

- Use of Population Census Data for Indirect Methods of Estimating Fertility and Mortality Levels in the ESCWA Region.
- Use of the Population Census in Migration Statistics in the ESCWA Region.
- Arab League Contribution in Development of Migration Statistics.
- The Relationship between the Population Census Programme and Other Censuses and Household Sample Surveys Examples from the ESCWA Region.

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break.

11:30 - 14:00-

- Utilization of Census Returns in Development Planning.
- Utilization of Housing Census Data for Housing Policies and Plans.
- Use of the Population Census in Labour Force Statistics - Some Issues Regarding Concepts, Standards and Classifications in the ESCWA Region.

#### Tuseday 3 December 1985

8:30 - 10:00

Application of the New International Standards on Measuring the Economically Active Population Employment and Unemployment in the 1990 Round of Population and Housing

Censuses.

The Recent Issues and Development Relates to Census taking and their Impact on the 1990 World Population and Housing Census Programme.

10:00 - 11:00

Opening Session of the Meeting of the Heads of CSO in ESCWA

Region.

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30

Formulation Group Meeting

#### Wednsday 4 December 1985

11:30 - 14:00

Recommendations and Report of

the Seminar

