IN THE ESTIMATION OF ADULT MORTALITY

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ORGANIZATION OF WORK

Thursday, 26 October 2006

Afternoon session: 13:30-17:30

1. **OPENING OF THE MEETING:** Ms. Hania Zlotnik

2. OVERVIEW OF THE PROJECT: Mr. John Wilmoth

3. BRIEF SUMMARY OF MORTALITY ESTIMATION ACTIVITIES

Participants (one per institution) are asked to provide a brief overview of work and a statement of priorities in the area of mortality estimation from the perspective of their home institutions.

Afternoon break: 15:30-15:45

4. CURRENT ESTIMATES OF ADULT OR OVERALL MORTALITY

ii. UN Population Division: Ms. Cheryl Sawyer

b) Comparison of estimates: Mr. Kirill Andreev, Ms. Cheryl Sawyer

5. UN AND WHO RELATIONAL MORTALITY MODELS:

ORGANIZATION OF WORK (CONTINUED)

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Morning session: 8:30-12:00

6. ESTIMATING ADULT MORTALITY USING INCOMPLETE VITAL REGISTRATION DATA

- a) Evaluating the validity of indirect estimates of adult mortality: Mr. Ken Hill
- b) Simulation analysis of death distribution methods (DDM): Ms. Danzhen You
- c) Comparison of data sources for DDM estimation: Ms. Mila Andreeva
- d) Toward a methods protocol for DDM estimation: Mr. John Wilmoth

Morning break: 10:30-10:45

7. DATABASE DEVELOPMENT

a) Database design and data processing: