

# **Action Taken Report**

on recommendations of Annual Report of  
the National Statistical Commission (NSC)  
for the year **2019-20**

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<b>Capacity Building in Statistics at National level and assessment of requirement of Statisticians nationally</b>		
<b>Para 2.3(a)</b>	The Commission observed the need for a more targeted approach in the outreach programme presently conducted by NSSTA, MoSPI to address the geographically lopsided representation of universities in ISS. Commission also felt that there is a need for more rigorous publicity of the career in official statistics particularly in ISS and the state statistical cadre amongst the students pursuing Statistics at undergraduate and post graduate levels.	<p>Each year, based upon recommendation/ direction of Training Programme Approval Committee (TPAC), NSSTA conducts following awareness workshop/training programme on 'Official Statistics', for the purpose of wide publicity of career in the field of official statistics particularly in ISS and the state statistical cadre amongst the students pursuing Statistics at undergraduate and post graduate levels.</p> <p><b>(i) Training of Trainers (ToT) for University faculties:</b> This is a one-week exposure training programme on Official Statistics' for University Senior Professors of Department of Statistics of Universities/ Colleges, conducted at NSSTA;</p> <p><b>(ii) Awareness workshops on University Campus/ Colleges:</b> NSSTA conducts one day workshop on 'Official Statistics' for Students and Faculty of Statistics/ Economics Department of Universities/ Colleges at their campus.</p> <p><b>(iii) One day study tour of different Universities/Colleges</b> is conducted for</p>

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		<p>students as well as their faculties at National Statistical System Training Academy (NSSTA), to spread the awareness in the field of Official Statistics.</p> <p><b>(iv) Training Programme for M-Stats student of ISI:</b> NSSTA conducts this training programme of 8 days on 'Official Statistics' for Student of M-Stats of ISI at ISI Kolkata each year.</p> <p>TPAC will be apprised of the recommendation for suggesting appropriate changes.</p> <p>As far as recruitment to Indian Statistical Service (ISS) is concerned, it may be noted that the same is done by MoSPI on the recommendation of Union Public Service Commission as per laid down process.</p>
<b>Para 2.3 (b)</b>	A dedicated webpage/website highlighting the career prospects in official statistical system may be developed by MoSPI for this purpose.	A mechanism of self-registration is also being developed over MoSPI website under NIIP project, where anyone would be registered her/himself and undergo the different training programme in the field of Official Statistics and accordingly, s(he) may also be able to explore the opportunities from career prospective over MoSPI website.
<b>Para 2.3 (c)</b>	Commission desired that the matter may be pursued with MoHRD to have information on the students with statistics	M/o Education has conveyed that as per All India Survey on Higher Education, it can only share the pass out data of Statistics Students of Post Graduate Course. In Under Graduate

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	subject passing out from Universities and to understand the pattern of their absorption in the labour market. NSSTA, MoSPI may also independently take up the matter with universities.	levels data is being collected as programmes such as B.Sc. & B.A.
<b>Analytics on National and State level data</b>		
<b>Para 2.5</b>	During the 110 <sup>th</sup> NSC meeting held on 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2019, the discussion on the subject highlighted the need to make forecasting and robust predictive analysis integral to the official statistical system. Data including the input data for Gross Domestic Product (GDP) need to be analysed in more detail.	<p>MOSPI generates estimates of Macro-economic aggregates using a number of data sources. The estimates are compiled by following the recommendations of System of National Accounts 2008. MoSPI neither carries out predictive analysis based on input data sources nor does any forecasting of the macro-economic estimates, being producer of the actual estimates. Making forecast or prediction may create bias in the actual estimates. Therefore, it may not be appropriate for this Ministry to make forecasting and predictive analysis integral to the official statistical system.</p> <p>As for analysis of input data, while producing the GDP estimates, detailed analysis of input data is carried out but their forecasting is not done in order to remain unbiased as mentioned above.</p>

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Specific Price Index for capturing the impact on poor segment on the population		
Para 2.11(a)	Commission observed that comparison with e-commerce/online purchase should be built in the design to cross check or benchmark the data, at least for urban CPI.	Para 2.11 (a) to 2.11 (b):  Price Statistics Division (PSD), NSO is contemplating a pilot study with IIT Chennai for capturing e-commerce/on-line purchase and scanner price data (point of sale) of retail outlets for CPI. In this regard, three Meetings have already been held with IIT Chennai for spell out 'Terms of Reference' and 'modality' of proposed pilot study. Further, IIT Chennai has shared a document related to scope of proposed pilot study, which is being examined by PSD.
Para 2.11(b)	It was desired that PSD may provide a detailed paper to NSC responding to these queries.	
Modalities for the district level test study to be undertaken by NSC for Data integration and dissemination		
Para 2.14(a)	It was decided that NSO may indicate 4 Regional Offices in different geographical regions with adequate resources who could coordinate the project in one of the district of their jurisdiction.	FOD has already conveyed the names of 4 Regional Offices namely Dehradun, Raipur, Bengaluru and Bhubaneshwar in this regard.
Para 2.14(b)	It was further decided that Dr. Kiran Pandya, member, NSC with DG (Statistics) will prepare a concept note indicating the scope of work and deliverables for the project and share the	The concept note is under preparation.

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	same with NSO.	
<b>Documentation and Data Sharing Protocols:</b>		
<b>Para 2.16</b>	In view of the increase in use of technology in the work of MOSPI, issues related to data sharing protocol and information security assumes more significance. It was noted that MoSPI follows the Data Documentation and Dissemination Policy in respect of sharing of final data and reports with users, there was no expressed guidelines in terms of ensuring information security in the system. Commission opined that given the sensitivity of data it is essential to have a comprehensive information security protocol. NSC secretariat submitted that Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MEITY) has developed umbrella guidelines and it is possible to customize the same for MoSPI to develop broad guidelines to begin with.	MoSPI has constituted an Inter-Ministerial Committee (IMC) for steering the IT initiatives of the MoSPI. MeitY is also one of the members of the IMC. The Terms of Reference (ToR) of the IMC inter alia include to decide on statistical data and metadata exchange protocol amongst Central and State Governments and other agencies including international organisations. While deciding the statistical data and metadata exchange protocol, the information security aspects will also be looked into.

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<b>Formulation of Views of present NSC on the draft National Statistical Commission (NSC) Bill 2019</b>		
<b>Para 2.19(a)</b>	The composition of the proposed Commission should adopt a hybrid model with regards to the members of the Commission. Instead of 5 full time members, it may have a mix of both full time and part time members.	<b>Para 2.19 (a) to 2.19 (g):</b>  The observations of the Commission have suitably been incorporated in the draft NSC Bill.
<b>Para 2.19(b)</b>	The tenure of both the Chairperson and members may be kept at 5 years and the maximum age limit for members may be 65 years and in case of Chairperson may be 70 years.	
<b>Para 2.19(c)</b>	The status of Chairperson and Members may be included in the Bill.	
<b>Para 2.19(d)</b>	The list of core indicators should be flexible and not fixed, so that addition and deletion can be done as per requirement.	
<b>Para 2.19(e)</b>	The Deputy Governor, RBI as nominated by the Governor, RBI and the Chief Statistician of India (CSI) to be ex-officio	

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	members of the Commission.	
<b>Para 2.19 (f)</b>	The Search Committee for selection of Chairperson and Members of the Commission should follow the standard government selection protocols under the Cabinet Secretary.	
<b>Para 2.19(g)</b>	Each state may have a State Chief Statistician, and the person should not be below the rank of Additional Chief Secretary /Principal Secretary in the State.	
<b>Miscellaneous issues</b>		
<b>Para 2.20</b>	The Commission also discussed the issue of proposed pilot study to develop methodology for Social audit. It was decided that Dr. Kiran Pandya, Member, NSC will interact with professors of Sampling and Official Statistics Unit (SOSU) & Applied Statistics Unit (ASU) of ISI regarding the Social Audit Pilot project and thereafter prepare a concept note and approximate budget which he would present in the next meeting.	Prof. Kiran Pandya, Member NSC apprised the meeting about proposed Social Audit Pilot project. Indian Statistical Institute (ISI) presented their pilot project “Enhancing Social Audit through Survey Sampling and Analytics” which was jointly prepared by Prof. Kiran Pandya and some Professors of ISI.



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Action Plan for NSC:		
Para 2.22(a)	The Guidelines for Conducting Statistical Surveys to be followed by Central Ministries/ Departments, which intend to conduct any statistical survey as contained in Government of India Notification No. 232 dated 5th December 2011, may be re-circulated.	Para 2.22 (a) to Para 2.22 (b):  All the Central Ministries/ Dept. were requested to ensure implementation of these guidelines and to inform NSC Sectt. about the statistical surveys conducted by them during last 5 years and their current status.
Para 2.22(b)	Information regarding any statistical survey conducted by the Central Ministries/ Departments in last 5 years may be sought and compiled.	
Ratification of subject and coverage of NSS 78th round survey on Domestic Tourism and Multiple Indicator Survey		
Para 3.4 (a)	NSS may undertake these Surveys and work out a mechanism for quick release of results. They need to work quickly to convert the schedule of enquiry into questionnaire in this direction	Questionnaire approach has already been implemented since NSS 78 <sup>th</sup> round which commenced from January, 2020.
Para3.4 (b)	For the MIS Survey, these may be conducted at regular intervals so that the data requirements for the	The first Multiple Indicator Survey (MIS) has been launched in 78 <sup>th</sup> round from Jan-Dec 2020.

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	corresponding SDG indicators can get updated.	
<b>Para 3.4 (c)</b>	While finalizing the questionnaire, information may also be sought for the awareness and offtake of associated government schemes like the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana etc	The question on awareness of the household about Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) has been included in the questionnaire of first MIS.
<b>Para3.4 (d)</b>	For employment and unemployment surveys, more probing questions need to be asked on how the youth are engaging themselves, especially when they are neither in education, training or employment (NEET) and means for sustenance.	The question on NEET has been introduced in the MIS Schedule.
<b>Para 3.4 (e)</b>	For the education component, the nature of educational institution (public, private, semi private, etc) where last education was availed may also be asked.	Question regarding type of institution in which the household member is enrolled has been kept in MIS Questionnaire with codes for 'Govt.', 'Private –aided by Govt.', 'Private-unaided', and 'not-known'.
<b>Para 3.4 (f)</b>	For the issue of migration, NSS may also look at the legal provisions like the Inter-State Migrant Workmen Act and see whether any inputs need to be	On this issue, about 16 questions have been included in MIS questionnaire on migration (including re-migration) of the household members.  In the subsequent MIS/Migration survey,

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	sought from the respondents while finalizing the schedule.	legal provisions of the Inter-State Migrant Workmen Act can be explored.
<b>Para 3.4 (g)</b>	A complete mapping needs to be done on how the questionnaires and Meta data of the proposed NSS Rounds map into the final indicator.	For all the indicators brought out on the basis of Surveys, the metadata is provided in terms of concepts and definitions, design, methodologies based on which the data is collected. With the introduction of questionnaires from NSS 78 <sup>th</sup> round, metadata would include the mapping of questions and metadata to the final indicator.
<b>Para 3.4 (h)</b>	As the subjects to be covered under MIS are quite diverse, the Working Committee may assess the adequacy of sample size and appropriateness.	The Working Group constituted for the MIS has undertaken a study on adequacy of sample size of some of the SDG indicators. The findings were presented in the 8 <sup>th</sup> Working Group meeting held on 28.08.2020.
<b>Requirement of Sample Size in NSS for valid estimates in relation to some of the important surveys like PLFS and ASI</b>		
<b>Para 3.10(a)</b>	A Committee to be constituted to study the adequacy of the sample size of the surveys and for improving the quality of data. The Committee may inter alia also comment on the issue of data quality and the deployment of technology to develop the real time validation. Chairman suggested that Prof Mousumi	A Committee has been constituted for determination of sample size for sub-state level estimates under the Chairmanship of Prof. T.J. Rao, ISI Kolkata wherein Dr. G.C. Manna is a special invitee.

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	Bose, Applied Statistics Unit, ISI Kolkata may chair this committee depending on her availability and Dr G C Manna may be a special invitee to the Committee. The names for other members of the committee may be decided by MoSPI.	
<b>Para3.10 (b)</b>	A joint meeting of the Standing Committee on Labour Force Statistics (SCLFS) and NSC may be convened to understand the change in design effect and noticeable under estimation of certain parameters in the PLFS report.	SCLFS has ceased to exist and labour force surveys are now guided by Standing Committee on Economic Statistics (SCES). The design and schedule of PLFS (2021-22) has been discussed in the meeting of subcommittee 2 of SCES. The joint meeting of subcommittee 2 of SCES and NSC may be organised.
<b>Para 3.12</b>	Commission observed that the same Committee may look into the matters raised in the meeting of NSC on 5th Sept 2019. Further, the Chairman desired that the composition of the Committee may be revised to have Prof T J Rao, ISI as the Chairman of this Committee whereas former Principal Advisor of Reserve Bank of India, Shri Gautam Chatterjee may be a member of the committee depending on	A Committee to determine the sample size for sub-state level estimates under the chairmanship of Prof. T. J. Rao has been formed. The other members of the committee are Shri Gautam Chatterjee, Former Principal Advisor of RBI, Shri K. P. Unnikrishnan, Former ADG, NSO, Dr A. K. Srivastava, Retired Prof., IASRI, New Delhi, Dr Tauqueer Ahmad, Head Sample Survey, IASRI, New Delhi, Shri Panchanan Das, Former ADG, NSO, Dr. G. C. Manna, Member, NSC. The first meeting of the committee was held on 06.03.2020.

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	their availability. Dr. G.C Manna, Member, NSC may be a special invitee to the Committee. The names for other members of the committee may be decided by MoSPI.	
<b>Regular arrangements for Pooling of the Central and State sample data</b>		
<b>Para3.15 (a)</b>	The Commission asked the Secretariat to share the past report with members.	NSC Secretariat had shared the report to NSC chairman and members on 12.09.2019.
<b>Para 3.15(b)</b>	The Commission further recommended that NSO may submit a note highlighting the estimates and their confidence limits in respect of few characteristics like LFPR, WPR, UR and MPCE separately for central and state samples for a few states representing different regions based on NSS 68th round.	The exercise of developing confidence limits for the parameters LFPR, WPR, UR and MPCE based on central sample data of NSS 68 <sup>th</sup> round has been taken up. Request has been sent to States/ UTs to provide estimates of LFPR, WPR, UR and MPCE based on state sample data of NSS 68 <sup>th</sup> round along with corresponding RSE (%) and confidence limit for different sectors/gender.
<b>Para3.15(c)</b>	A group may be constituted under the Chairmanship of Dr. G. C. Manna, Member, NSC to	As far as the RFP of GSS and its present status is concerned, the same has not been envisaged to regularize the mechanism of

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	study the issues hindering the Pooling of data and recommend ways on how a regular mechanism can be put in place. The recommendations could then be considered by MoSPI when they implement the ICT based Generalized Survey Solutions (GSS) in NSS which would also address the bottlenecks in Pooling of Central and State sample data.	pooling of central and state samples.
<b>Improving data quality in NSS survey -FOD, SDRD, DQAD</b>		
<b>Para3.19 (a)</b>	The survey questionnaire need to be made more dynamic to adopt and reflect the changes in Indian economy from both the supply and demand side.	Efforts have been made to address the issue while designing the questionnaires.
<b>Para3.19 (b)</b>	Use of alternate source of data to complement and facilitate or validate data collected through surveys while the survey if going on.	Some checks have been incorporated in Computer-Assisted Personal Interviews (CAPI) module to validate data at the time of collection of information. External validation of data after completion of survey field work is being done for the survey to the extent of availability of corresponding external data.

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<b>Para3.19 (c)</b>	Exploring the use of advanced technologies like using Analytical tools such as Big Data, AI and Machine learning to improve the data collection and survey process.	MoSPI will explore the use of advanced technologies like using Analytical tools such as Big Data, AI and Machine learning to improve the data collection and survey process.
<b>Para3.19 (d)</b>	NSO to expedite the skill training ecosystem for survey enumerators, data quality persons etc in collaboration with MSDE.	NSO has collaborated with National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) and formulated Qualification Packs for Field Survey Enumerator, Data Quality Assurance Executive and Survey Supervisor.
<b>Para3.19 (e)</b>	NSO to also expedite the cadre review of ISS and SSS officers so that regular positions can be created and filled up in the medium term.	<p><b>Subordinate Statistical Service (SSS) Officers:</b> Cadre Review process in respect of SSS Officers has been initiated and draft proposal has been prepared in consultation with participating Ministries/ Departments/ Organizations. The Proposal has been envisaged with the objective to augment SSS with sufficient manpower so that the policies and vision of the Govt. of India may be implemented in its letter and spirit supported by an accurate data collected by the Field Level Officials, who primarily are SSS Officers. Presently the proposal is at draft stage.</p> <p><b>Indian Statistical Service (ISS) Officers:</b> The Cadre review proposal of ISS Officer has already been initiated by the Ministry and the same is in under process.</p>

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<b>Para3.19 (g)</b>	A Methodological Study Unit may be established in NSO to take up focused studies on priority.	MoSPI has decided that a Methodological Study Unit is placed in the Survey Design & Research Division of NSO, MoSPI.
<b>Para3.19 (h)</b>	Experts from leading industry may also be invited to participate and contribute in the survey process.	Experts from leading industry are also included during the constitution of the Working Group. In recent past, representatives of FICCI, Tata Trusts etc have been included in the Working Group.
<b>Para3.19 (i)</b>	Technological interventions are extremely critical to strengthen the survey set up. NSC emphasized on creating a road map on augmentation of technology into survey - planning.	e-SIGMA(e-Survey Instrument and Generalised Multimodal Application), a Generalized Survey Solution (GSS) is being developed for augmentation of technology into survey –planning.
<b>Para3.19 (j)</b>	Restructuring and resizing the survey questionnaire by regrouping the questions and abridging the questionnaire may be taken up at pilot basis as a measure to address the larger issue of response fatigue.	Questionnaire has been drafted in consultation with different stakeholders and deliberated in different meeting of Working Group(s). On recommendation of the Working Group, pilot survey was conducted to finalize the questionnaires for surveys on MIS, Consumption basket for development of chain base indices etc. Necessary modifications in the questionnaires on the basis of the experiences of the pilot survey have also been incorporated.



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<b>Data quality in Household Consumer Expenditure Survey</b>		
<b>Para3.23 (a)</b>	The Commission noted that MoSPI will be undertaking two back-to-back surveys on consumer expenditure to be undertaken during the period 2020-21 and 2021-22. This will facilitate taking a decision on the appropriate year to be chosen for the next base year revision of macro-economic indicators.	Preparation for the first survey has already been started and a Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base indices in line with the erstwhile consumer expenditure survey will be launched soon.
<b>Para3.23 (b)</b>	The item basket of Consumer Expenditure Survey (CES) may be revised and rationalized by removing obsolete items/items with insignificant contribution to the total Monthly Per Capita Expenditure (MPCE) and inclusion of new/emerging items. Also, there is need to prune down the list of items by regrouping/merging/amalgamation of a number of existing items.	In the proposed Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base indices, obsolete items with insignificant contribution to monthly per capita expenditure have been clubbed with item category 'other'.  Regrouping / merging / amalgamation of existing items have also been done on the basis of relative importance and consumption pattern of the households.
<b>Para3.23 (c)</b>	With a view to capture information on subsidies availed by the households through a host of social-	In the proposed Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base indices, a number of items have been identified and provision for collecting

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	welfare programmes, appropriate provision in the CES schedule/questionnaire may be made in the forthcoming surveys.	information on subsidies availed by the households for these items has been made in the survey on consumption basket for development of chain base indices.
<b>Para3.23 (d)</b>	Ways and means to be evolved for capturing information on consumption from other sources as well including on-line retails sales etc.	This issue has been taken into consideration during the development of questionnaires for Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base indices.
<b>Para3.23 (e)</b>	The length of the CES schedule / questionnaire may be optimized by suitable re-grouping / re-arrangement of items so that the respondent burden is minimized. Efforts to be made to ensure that the time taken for filling up the responses may be targeted at around 45 minutes.	The existing CES schedule has been split into four questionnaires with a view to minimize the length as well as time taken for collecting information.
<b>Para 3.23 (f)</b>	A targeted and focused approach may be adopted while interviewing the informants to reduce non-sampling errors. This may be implemented with technological interventions through a suitable rule-based randomization of the blocks/sections and items in	Rule base randomization of the blocks/sections/items will be implemented in the CAPI version of the questionnaire for the upcoming Survey on Consumption Basket for Chain Base indices.

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	the schedule/questionnaire.	
<b>Para3.23 (g)</b>	Rapid advancement of e-commerce has led to significant change in the purchasing behaviour of the households and such purchases constitute a notable share of households' procurement of goods and services (metros/urban areas). Suitable provision in the CES questionnaire should be made to capture information on online purchases.	Provision for collection of information on online purchase has been made in the upcoming survey on consumption basket for chain base indices.
<b>Para3.23 (h)</b>	The new approach may be finalized and implemented after following due survey protocols. The possibility of conducting CES in PLFS fashion (i.e., following rotational panel) where information on a particular group of items, say, food items may be collected from a group of households in a particular visit while information on non-food items may be collected from the other group households should also be explored.	The possibility of following such a PLFS approach was discussed the meeting of the working group in detail. However, in view of the fact that the information collected through CES is also used to derive the distribution of population by MPCE fractile classes, it was decided to collect information on the entire consumption basket from the same set of households in three separate monthly visits.

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<b>Para 3.24</b>	Considering the analysis presented by SDRD and views of the members it was agreed that the Household Consumer Expenditure Survey (HCES) Data of NSS 75th round are not sensitive enough to capture the significant changes in the household consumption behaviour, especially those goods and services delivered through social-welfare programmes. It was recommended that the survey results may not be released in its present form nor used as a basis for base year revision of the macro-economic indicators.	As recommended, results were not released.
<b>Para 3.25</b>	It was further recommended that MoSPI should accelerate the intervention of technology for faster data collection with improved quality and quick release of results.	Technological intervention has already been implemented while collecting the data. Data are being collected through CAPI in Questionnaire mode which is expected to reduce the time lag for release of data.
<b>Discussion on the length of the Schedule of NSSO Surveys</b>		
<b>Para 3.28(a)</b>	The CES schedules to be reworked and rationalized before canvassing them in the	The previous CES schedule has been modified and rationalized following the recommendations of NSC and also on the

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	two back-to-back surveys for 2020-21 and 2021-22. NSS may rework their plans for other surveys to accommodate these activities.	basis of the experiences gain through a pilot survey. The first survey using the modified questionnaires will be launched soon.
<b>Para3.28 (b)</b>	The schedules for key surveys to be rationalized so that the response time may be within 40 minutes.	In the proposed Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base indices, the schedule has been split into four questionnaires to shorten the response time.
<b>Para3.28 (c)</b>	The survey approach and concepts to be reworked so that they are more relevant to the changing requirements of the society. For the CPI basket, keeping in view the requirement of stakeholders, explores the feasibility of using randomization techniques / splitting techniques. MoSPI may consider carrying out a quick pilot study, as necessary, to decide an appropriate survey methodology for more realistic estimate of Household Consumption and Expenditure (HCE).	The questionnaires of the upcoming Survey on Consumption Basket for Development of Chain Base in indices (replacing the erstwhile survey on consumer expenditure) have been designed keeping in mind all these recommendations of the NSC.

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<b>Tabulation plan and Estimation procedure of NSS 77th Round</b>		
<b>Para3.32 (a)</b>	NSO(SDRD) needs to look at already published data like the Cost of Cultivation Studies conducted by the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare under the Comprehensive Scheme for Cost of Cultivation of Principal Crops may be examined/studied by NSO (SDRD), with a view to examine possible overlaps.	The coverage of information collected in Cost of Cultivation Studies will be studied during the preparation of survey instruments for the next round of survey on Situation Assessment of Agricultural Household of NSO with the aim to eliminate/ reduce possible overlaps between Cost of Cultivation Studies and Situation Assessment of Agricultural Household.
<b>Para 3.32(b)</b>	Proposals for undertaking new surveys for consideration of NSC, may include the need for the survey from the prospective users/sponsors, probable indicators and draft tabulation plan. An in-depth study of availability of administrative data and availability of data from other sources/surveys needs to be duly factored into the proposal.	<b>Para 3.32 (b) to 3.32 (c):</b>  This will be duly considered in the proposals for new surveys for consideration of NSC.
<b>Para 3.32(c)</b>	Findings from the analysis may be presented to the NSC.	

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<b>Tabulation plan and Estimation procedure of Time Use Survey (TUS), 2019</b>		
<b>Para 3.35</b>	NSO (SDRD) made a presentation on tabulation plan and estimation procedure of the Time Use Survey. The NSC desired that the detailed instruments, concepts and methodology may be shared with the NSC.	The survey instruments have been shared with NSC.
<b>Miscellaneous issues</b>		
<b>Para 3.37</b>	The Commission also discussed the house listing operation and its usefulness in the survey. The Commission recommended that NSO (SDRD) may undertake a study to assess the feasibility of doing away with house listing exercise by using alternative cost effective and efficient methods. Results of the study may be placed before the NSC.	This will be undertaken.

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