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Matters relating to the Standing
Working Group on Ageing:
decisions on matters relating to
the Standing Working Group on Ageing

### **Decisions relating to the Standing Working Group on Ageing**

#### **Background**

- 1. The Standing Working Group on Ageing (SWGA) held its thirteenth meeting on 19–20 November 2020 in Geneva as a hybrid meeting. The report of the meeting is contained in document ECE/WG.1/2020/2.
- 2. As part of its deliberations, the Standing Working Group adopted the programme of work of the Population component of the subprogramme on Housing, Land Management and Population for 2021 as contained in the document ECE/WG.1/2020/5.
- 3. Further, following the approval by the Economic and Social Council of revised Terms of Reference of the SWGA in July 2020 (E/RES/2020/19), the Standing Working Group will strive to link the implementation and monitoring of the Regional Implementation Strategy for the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing for the ECE Region (MIPAA/RIS) with activities addressing the regional/national follow-up on the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and other population-related international frameworks, including the United Nations Decade of the Healthy Ageing, 2021–2030 (A/RES/75/131).

#### **Draft Decision**

- 4. The Executive Committee hereby approves the programme of work of the Population component of the subprogramme on Housing, Land Management and Population for 2021 as contained in the document ECE/WG.1/2020/5.
- 5. The Executive Committee welcomes efforts of the Standing Working Group on Ageing to align its activities with the regional/national follow-up on the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and other population-related international frameworks, including the United Nations Decade of the Healthy Ageing, 2021–2030.