

## Congratulatory Message from the Commissioner of Statistics Korea



Congratulations on winning the prestigious 2010 UN21 Award !

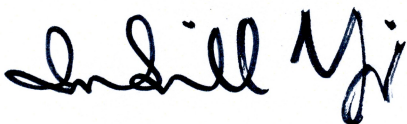
I am honored to deliver the congratulatory message on the UNSD's 2010 UN21 Award for 'Improvement in Client Services' endowed by the Secretary General Mr. Ban Ki Moon on 29 July 2010.

'UNdata' is an innovative and user-friendly service which provides 32 UN statistical databases with 60 million bits of statistical data covering social and economic fields which can be utilized by users all around the world.

As more reliable and solid statistics become an indispensable basis for an evidence-based policy making process, I am elated by the UNSD's assiduous efforts in recent years to strengthen and support the statistical capacity building of UN member countries, under the leadership of the UN Statistics Division.

I look forward to the UNSD continuing their central role in assisting all member countries to cope with the rapidly changing statistical environment through the production of high-quality statistics.

I strongly believe that the celebration of this esteemed Award will be a memorable occasion to be shared by all member countries.



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