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<i>Topic¹</i>	<i>Agency responsible²</i>	<i>Related Group³</i>	<i>Priority⁴</i>
1. Terms of Reference and issues paper for research related to economic and currency unions	IMF/ECB		High1
<i>2. Institutional sector classification (for information)</i>	<i>IMF</i>	<i>BOPTTEG</i>	<i>High1</i>
<i>3. SPEs and shell and holding companies (units, sectorization, residence, transactions) (for information)</i>	<i>IMF</i>	<i>BOPTTEG, DITEG</i>	<i>High1</i>
<i>4. Residence of corporations (see also SPEs and holding companies) (for information)</i>	<i>IMF</i>	<i>BOPTTEG, DITEG</i>	<i>Medium</i>
<i>5. Application of direct investment to government corporations (for information)</i>	<i>IMF</i>	<i>BOPTTEG, DITEG</i>	<i>Medium</i>
<i>6. Goods for processing, Re-exports, Trans-shipment (for information)</i>	<i>UK France Hong Kong, SAR</i>	<i>BOPTTEG, TFSITS (for information)</i>	<i>High1 High1 High1</i>

¹ Where a topic is italicized, it is to indicate that another technical expert group has primary carriage; the topic has been included here as CUTEG will have an interest in the issue.

² The agency shown is to prepare an issues paper for consideration by CUTEG.

³ Indicates which other group(s) are involved in the subject: DITEG = Direct Investment Technical Expert Group, BOPTTEG = Balance of Payments Technical Expert Group, UNTSGMNP = the United Nations Technical Sub-Group on the Movement of Natural Person – Mode 4 (UNTSGMNP), TFSITS= Task Force on Statistics on International Trade in Services.

⁴ Indicates the priority the IMF Committee on Balance of Payments Statistics accorded the topic: *High1* indicates that the subject will be considered at the first meeting of the CUTEG, *High2* indicates that the topic will be considered at the second and subsequent meetings of CUTEG. Should there be time, the other topics will be considered, according to the priority indicated.

