

To help continue and ensure the quality of data and reporting, the MPGs foresee a review of BTRs, the so-called technical expert review (TER) and multilateral consideration of progress (FMCP). The TER and FMCP will be replacing the current international consultation and analysis (ICA) process for developing countries (used to technically analyse BURs) and the International Assessment and Review (IAR) for developed countries. It will be a very important resource for improving the quality of the information presented in BTRs. It is a process conducted with respect for national sovereignty. It will help countries improve their BTRs over time and obtain capacity-building support for this purpose, where needed. The process consists of two steps: a TER conducted by a technical expert review team (TERT) in consultation with the country concerned, and a facilitative, multilateral consideration of progress (FMCP) session in the form of a workshop organised under the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) under the UNFCCC.