**Tool for Stakeholder Mapping**

There are multiple stakeholders interested in the collection, monitoring, and use of mortality and cause of data in the country. A mapping of these stakeholders and their role in mortality data are essential to understand the level at which they should be engaged in the planning of an SRS. We propose initiating the mapping from the main government institutions (e.g. Ministry of Health, MoH) and walking your way to government partners, NGOs, civil society and communities. It is essential that the mapping is not limited only to the national level actors. While a good desk review and rapid contacts with key informants may be enough to identify the stakeholders, in some cases, interviews with subnational (region, districts) level officials may be necessary. Some stakeholders identified may need to be invited to join a technical committee to advise on the design, development and implementation and funding of the SRS. The table below provides a list of information to capture on each potential stakeholder. We provide a few examples in the table for illustration.

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| # | Stakeholders | Type (government, private, NGOs, Civil Society, | Level of operation (International, National, Subnational) | Role in mortality data (collection, use, funding) | Potential contribution to and role in the SRS | Contact (with name of representative) | Invite to SRS technical/advisory committee (Y/N) |
| 1 | *Monitoring and Evaluation Department, MoH* | *Government* | *National* | *Collection, use, funding* | *Leadership, strategic guidance, funding* |  |  |
| 2 | *Community Health Department, MoH* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | *Department of Public Health, MoH* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | *National Institute of Public Health (MoH)* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | *Civil Registration Unit, Ministry of Justice* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | *District Health Officials* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | *National Institute of Statistics, Ministry of Finance* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | *University (School of Public Health/Medicine)* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | *Bilateral partners (e.g. USAID)* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | *Multilateral partners and UN (e.g. WHO, UNICEF, UNFPA)* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | *Health and Demographic Surveillance Sites* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | *Medical professional association* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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