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RE: Inclusion of the new entries for "Serbia" and "Montenegro".

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The ISO 3166 Maintenance Agency has agreed on the following change(s) to ISO 3166-1:1997 "Codes for the representation of names of countries and their subdivisions - Part 1: Country codes":

Page	Column	Title of column	Present entry	New entry
19	1	Country name (Short name)	SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	SERBIA
19	1	Country name (Official name)	Serbia and Montenegro	Republic of Serbia
19	2	Alpha-2 code (4)	CS	RS
19	3	Alpha-3 code (4)	SCG	SRB
19	4	Numeric code (4)	891	688
19	5	Remarks		
35/38	2	Index of alpha-2 code	CS	RS

43	2	Index of alpha-3 code	SCG	SRB
49/48	2	Index of numeric code	891	688
		Annex A		
54		Annex B	C S; 891	R S; 688

Description of change: Delete the old entry for "SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO" (p.19). Insert the new entry for "SERBIA" between "SENEGAL" and "SEYCHELLES" (p. 19).

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19	1	Country name (Short name)	SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	MONTENEGRO
19	1	Country name (Official name)	Serbia and Montenegro	Republic of Montenegro
19	2	Alpha-2 code (4)	CS	ME
19	3	Alpha-3 code (4)	SCG	MNE
19	4	Numeric code (4)	891	499
19	5	Remarks		
35/37	2	Index of alpha-2 code	CS	ME
43/42	2	Index of alpha-3 code	SCG	MNE
49/47	2	Index of numeric code	891	499
		Annex A		
54		Annex B	C S; 891	M E; 499

Description of change: Delete the old entry for "SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO"

(p.19). Insert the new entry for "MONTENEGRO" between "MONGOLIA" and "MONTSERRAT" (p. 16).

Notes:

- (1) In accordance with the current edition of the Terminology Bulletin "Country Names" issued by the United Nations Secretariat
- (2) In accordance with the current edition of the "Country Nomenclature for Statistical Use" issued by the United Nations Statistics Division
- (3) In accordance with the current edition of the "Standard Country or Area Codes for Statistical Use" issued by the United Nations Statistics Division
- (4) In the case of a withdrawal of ISO 3166-1 code elements these formerly allocated code elements are reserved in accordance with the principles for the maintenance of the codes. During a transitory period of at least five years after the withdrawal the code elements will not be reassigned to different country names.