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DRAFT AGENDA

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1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Short reports on developments in plant variety protection
 - (a) Reports from members and observers (oral reports by the participants)
 - (b) Reports on developments within UPOV (oral report by the Office of the Union)
4. Molecular Techniques
 - (a) Reports on developments within UPOV
 - (b) Reports on work by members and observers

5. TGP documents (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
Revision of TGP documents
 - TGP/7: Development of Test Guidelines (documents to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
 - TGP/8: Trial Design and Techniques Used in the Examination of Distinctness, Uniformity and Stability (document(s) to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
 - TGP/12: Guidance on Certain Physiological Characteristics (document Netherlands)
 - TGP/14: Glossary of Terms Used in UPOV Documents (documents to be prepared by the European Union and by the Office of the Union)
6. Variety denominations (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
7. Information and databases
 - (a) UPOV information databases (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
 - (b) Variety description databases (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union and documents invited)
 - (c) Exchangeable software (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union and documents invited)
 - (d) Electronic application systems (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
8. Uniformity assessment
 - (a) Method for calculation of COYU (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
 - (b) Assessing uniformity by off-types on the basis of more than one sample or sub-samples (document to be prepared by the Office of the Union)
9. Example varieties (document to be prepared by France)
10. Experiences with new types and species (oral reports invited)
11. Database for Pea variety descriptions (document to be prepared by France)
12. Disease resistance testing in Tomato (document to be prepared by the Netherlands)
13. Proposals for Partial Revisions / Corrections of Test Guidelines (if appropriate)
14. Matters to be resolved concerning Test Guidelines adopted by the Technical Committee (if appropriate)

15. Discussion on draft Test Guidelines (Subgroup)*
 - (a) Cassava (document TG/CASSAV(proj.1), Kenya to prepare a document)
 - (b) Coriander (document TG/CORIA(proj.1), Brasil to prepare document)
 - (c) Echinacea (document TG/ECNCE(proj.2), Poland and United Kingdom to prepare a document)
 - (d) Endive (Revision) (document TG/118/4, Netherlands to prepare a document)
 - (e) *French Bean (Partial revision: diseases) (documents TG/12/9(proj.3), TWV/44/33, document to be prepared)
 - (f) Lycopersicon (excluding *Lycopersicon esculentum* Mill.) (Tomato rootstock) (Netherlands to prepare a document)
 - (g) Parsnip (Revision) (document TG/218/1, United Kingdom to prepare document)
 - (h) *Pea (Partial revision: grouping characteristics) (documents TG/7/10, TWV/44/33, France to prepare a document)
 - (i) *Pleurotus (document TG/PLEUR(proj.1), Republic of Korea to prepare a document)
 - (j) Poppy (Revision) (document TG/166/3, Hungary to prepare document)
 - (k) **Raphanus sativus* L. (Revision) (document TG/63/7(proj.4) - TG/64/7(proj.3), Germany to prepare a document)
 - (l) *Shiitake (*Lentinula edodes*) (document TG/SHIITK(proj.2), Japan to prepare a document)
 - (m) *Watermelon (Revision) (document TG/142/5(proj.1), Netherlands to prepare a document)
16. Recommendations on draft Test Guidelines
 - * Tomato (Partial revision: see document TWV/44/34, paragraph 77) (document TG/44/11)
17. Date and place of the next session
18. Future program
19. Report of the session (if time permits)
20. Closing of the session

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* Indicates possible final draft Test Guidelines