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EXPLANATORY NOTES ON VARIETY DENOMINATIONS
UNDER THE UPOV CONVENTION

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1. At its fortieth ordinary session, held in Geneva on October 19, 2006, the Council adopted the “Explanatory notes on variety denominations under the UPOV Convention”, as contained in document C/40/12, and noted that prior guidance provided by the “UPOV Recommendations on Variety Denominations” (document UPOV/INF/12 Rev.), was superseded by those Explanatory Notes.
2. The adopted Explanatory Notes (document UPOV/INF/12/1) have been placed on the UPOV website (see http://www.upov.int/en/publications/pdf/inf_12_1.pdf).
3. The Consultative Committee, at its seventy-second session, endorsed the proposal made by the Administrative and Legal Committee (CAJ) at its fifty-third session (paragraphs 57 and 58 of document CAJ/53/5) concerning the establishment of a list of contacts for the exchange of information on matters concerning variety denominations.
4. On January 25, 2007, Circular E-420 was sent to the representatives of members of the Council of UPOV requesting the completion of a form to establish a list of contacts for the exchange of information on matters concerning variety denominations. Based on the replies received, a draft list has been established by the Office of the Union and is reproduced in the Annex to this document. The final list will be published on the first restricted area of the UPOV website.

5. *The CAJ is invited to take note of the developments reported in this document and its Annex.*

[Annex follows]

ANNEX / ANNEXE / ANLAGE / ANEXO

LIST OF CONTACTS TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION ON MATTERS CONCERNING
VARIETY DENOMINATIONS /
LISTE DE PERSONNES OU SERVICES A CONTACTER POUR ECHANGER DES
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VARIETALES /
LISTE VON KONTAKTDATEN FÜR DEN INFORMATIONSAUSTAUSCH ÜBER
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LISTA DE NOMBRES Y DIRECCIONES A LOS CUALES RECURRIR PARA
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