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REVISED 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) Developments in UPOV concerning the use of molecular techniques (document TWF/37/2)
 - (b) *Ad hoc* Crop Subgroups (oral report)

5. TGP documents (documents TWF/37/3 and TC/42/5 Annex II)
 - (a) *TGP documents to which the Technical Committee has given highest priority:*
 - TGP/4 Constitution and Management of Variety Collections (document TGP/4/1 Draft 7)
 - TGP/9 Examining Distinctness (document TGP/9/1 Draft 7)
 - TGP/10 Examining Uniformity (document TGP/10/1 Draft 4)
 - (b) *Other TGP documents:*
 - TGP/8 Trial Design and Techniques Used in the Examination of Distinctness, Uniformity and Stability (document TGP/8/1 Draft 4)
 - TGP/12 Special Characteristics: Section 1: Development of Characteristics based on a Response to an External Factor (document TGP/12 Section 1 Draft 3)
 - TGP/13 Guidance for New Types and Species (document TGP/13/1 Draft 6)
 - TGP/14 Section 2: Glossary of Technical, Botanical and Statistical Terms Used in UPOV Documents: Botanical Terms:
 - Plant shapes (including hair types) (document TGP/14.2.1(&.2) Draft 5)
 - Color characteristics (document TGP/14.2.3.1 Draft 2)
 - Color names (document TGP/14.2.3.2 Draft 4)
6. UPOV information databases (document TWF/37/4)
7. Variety denominations (document TWF/37/5)
8. Project to consider the publication of variety descriptions (document TWF/37/6)
9. Criteria for determining off-type plants (document TWF/37/9)
10. Drafters' Kit for Test Guidelines (document TWF/37/7)
11. Information on probability levels used in COY and population standards used in the assessment of uniformity by off-types (document TWF/37/10)
12. Additional characteristics (document TWF/37/8)
13. Discussion on draft Test Guidelines
 - Apricot (Partial Revision) (document TWF/37/12)
 - Banana (*Musa* L.) (Revision) (document TG/123/4(proj.4))

- Black Currant* (Revision) (document TG/40/7(proj.2))
- Blueberry* (Revision) (document TG/137/4(proj.2))
- Coffee (documents TG/COFFEE(proj.4Rev.) and TWF/37/11)
- Fig (*Ficus carica* L.) (document TG/FIG(proj.1))
- Grapevine (*Vitis* L.) (document TWF/37/13)
- Hawthorn (*Crataegus* L.)* (document TG/HAWTH(proj.3))
- Papaya (*Carica papaya* L.) (document TG/PAPAYA(proj.2))
- Passion Fruit (Fruit species) (document TG/PASSI(proj.2))
- Peach (Partial Revision) (document TG/53/6 Rev.(proj.1))
- Pecan nut* (document TG/PECAN(proj.4))
- Pineapple (*Ananas comosus* (L.) Merr.) (document TG/PINEAP(proj.3))
- Sea Buckthorn (*Hippophae* L.) (document TG/HIPPH(proj.2))
- Strawberry (Revision) (document TG/22/10(proj.1))

14. Recommendations on draft Test Guidelines
15. Date and place of the next session
16. Future program
17. Adoption of report (if time permits)
18. Closing of the session

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* Possible final draft Test Guidelines.