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DRAFT AGENDA

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1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda (this document)
3. Short reports on special problems or difficulties encountered
4. Report on the last session of the Technical Committee and recommendations resulting from that session (TC/33/11, TC/33/3)
5. General presentation of characteristics in Test Guidelines (Mr. van Ettehoven to prepare a document)
6. Statistical methods (TWC/11/12)
7. GM varieties (Mr. Brand (FR) to prepare a document)
8. Final discussions of the draft Test Guidelines for:
  - (a) Welsh Onion/Japanese Bunching Onion (TG/161/1 (proj.))
  - (b) Onion (Revision) and Shallot (TG/46/4(proj.))
  - (c) Rhubarb (Revision) (TG/62/4(proj.))
  - (d) Cornsalad (Revision) (TG/75/4 (proj.))

- (e) Garlic (TG/162/4(proj.))
9. Discussions of Working Papers on Test Guidelines for:
- (a) Black Radish (Revision) (TG/63/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Baur (DE) in cooperation with Mr. van Ettehoven (NL))
  - (b) Broad Bean (Revision) (TG/8/4, TWV/30/15)
  - (c) Celeriac (Revision) (TG/74/3, TWV/30/3)
  - (d) Celery (Revision) (TG/82/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Green (UK) in cooperation with Mr. Pfülb (DE))
  - (e) *Cucurbita moschata* (working paper to be prepared by Messrs. Brand and Breuils (FR))
  - (f) Curly Kale (Revision) (TG/90/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Green (UK))
  - (g) Dill (TWV/30/2)
  - (h) Fennel (TWV/30/6)
  - (i) Globe Artichoke (TWV/28/18; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Brand (FR))
  - (j) Industrial Chicory (TWV/30/19)
  - (k) Kohlrabi (Revision), (TG/65/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Pfülb (DE))
  - (l) Leek (Revision) (TG/85/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. van Marrewijk (NL))
  - (m) Lentil (working paper to be prepared by Mr. Boulineau (FR))
  - (n) Okra (*Abelmoschus esculentus*) (working paper to be prepared by Mr. Yuasa (JP) in cooperation with Mr. Singh (IN))
  - (o) Opium/Seed Poppy (TWV/30/7; new document to be prepared by Mrs. Kristóf (HU))
  - (p) Radish (Revision) (TG/64/3; working paper to be prepared by Mr. van Ettehoven)
  - (q) Swede (Revision) (TG/89/3, TWV/30/14; new document to be prepared by the Office of UPOV)
  - (r) Turnip/Turnip Rape (Revision) (TG/37/7; working paper to be prepared by Mr. Green (UK))
  - (s) Witlof (TWV/30/18)
10. Future program, date and place of next session
11. Closing of the session

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