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## Launch of UPOV e-PVP

UPOV is pleased to announce the launch of UPOV e-PVP.

<u>UPOV e-PVP</u> provides the following components to assist UPOV members in implementing the UPOV system of plant variety protection:

- a. UPOV PRISMA: online application tool for making applications to PVP Offices
- b. UPOV e-PVP Administration Module: digitalized system for PVP offices to manage applications and grants, communicate with applicants and holders, publish information and transmit data to the PLUTO database
- c. UPOV e-PVP DUS Report Exchange Module: platform for PVP offices to exchange DUS reports
- d. PLUTO database: information on plant varieties

UPOV e-PVP also provides the basis for platforms for UPOV member cooperation in the administration and examination of applications.

On September 28, Viet Nam became the first UPOV member to deploy all UPOV e-PVP components, therefore it is the first UPOV member to use the UPOV e-PVP Administration Module and UPOV e-PVP DUS Report Exchange Module.



To find out more: <a href="https://www.upov.int/upovepvp/en/">https://www.upov.int/upovepvp/en/</a>

## **NOTES TO EDITORS**

UPOV is an intergovernmental organization based in Geneva.

The purpose of UPOV is to provide and promote an effective system of plant variety protection, with the aim of encouraging the development of new varieties of plants, for the benefit of society.

UPOV has 78 members covering 97 States. The members of UPOV are:

African Intellectual Property Organization, Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, European Union, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, North Macedonia, Norway, Oman, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Türkiye, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uruguay, Uzbekistan and Viet Nam.

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