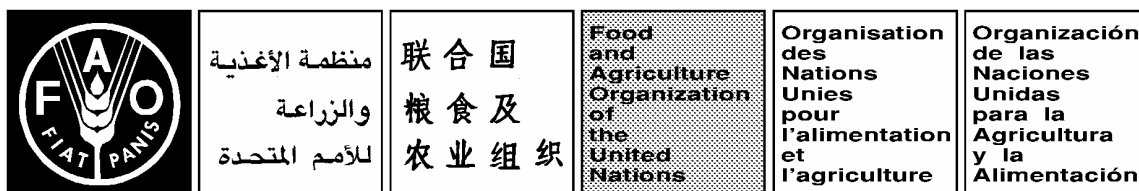


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| <b>Item 1 of the Draft Provisional Agenda</b>                   |
| <b>COMMISSION ON GENETIC RESOURCES FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE</b> |
| <b>Ninth Regular Session</b>                                    |
| Rome, 14 – 18 October 2002                                      |
| <b>DRAFT PROVISIONAL AGENDA</b>                                 |

1. Election of Chair and Vice-Chairs
2. Adoption of the Agenda and Timetable
3. Animal Genetic Resources
  - 3.1 Report of the Second Session of the Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Animal Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
  - 3.2 Progress Report on the development of the *First Report on the State of the World's Animal Genetic Resources* in the context of the Global Strategy for the Management of Farm Animal Genetic Resources
  - 3.3 Future work of the Working Group and election of its members
4. Plant Genetic Resources
  - 4.1 Report of the First Session of the Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
  - 4.2 Implementing, and monitoring the implementation of, the *Global Plan of Action*, and preparation of the second Report on the *State of the World's Plant Genetic Resources*
  - 4.3 Facilitating the implementation of the *Global Plan of Action*
  - 4.4 Progress reports on other elements of the FAO Global System for the Conservation and Sustainable Utilization of Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
    - a. *Ex situ* collections of plant genetic resources for food and agriculture held by the International Agricultural Research Centres of the CGIAR and other international institutions

**Renewal of the Agreements between the International Agricultural Research Centres and the Food and Agriculture Organization, placing Collections of Plant Germplasm under the Auspices of the FAO**

- b. **International Plant Genetic Resources Networks**
  - c. **The Global Information System on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture**
  - d. ***In Situ* Conservation Areas**
- 4.5 Future work of the Working Group and election of its members**
- 5. Consideration of FAO's policies, programmes and activities on genetic resources for food and agriculture**
  - 6. Reports from international organizations on their policies, programmes and activities on agricultural biological diversity**
  - 7. Cooperation with the Convention on Biological Diversity**
  - 8. Report on the status of the Codes of Conduct:**
    - 8.1 International Code of Conduct for Plant Germplasm Collecting and Transfer**
    - 8.2 Draft Code of Conduct on Biotechnology as it relates to Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture**
  - 9. Future work of the Commission**
  - 10. Other business**
  - 11. Date and place of the next Regular Session**
  - 12. Adoption of the Report**