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## ***Seventh Asian Soil Partnership Meeting***

***9 and 10 March 2022***

*from 7AM to 10AM CET (Rome time)*

***Virtual meeting***

9 March 2022

7:00 – 7:10

**Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Engr. Pablo M. Montalla, ASP Chair

TBC, FAORAP

7:10 – 7:15

**Approval of the agenda and group picture**

*Ms. Lucrezia Caon, GSP Secretariat*

7:15 – 7:40

**Item 1. GSP developments of regional interest**

*Ms. Lucrezia Caon, GSP Secretariat*

7:40 – 9:30

**Item 2. National updates on soil**

- Afghanistan, Mr. Hamidullah Ahmadzai
- Bangladesh, Mr. Md. Taiabur Rahman
- Bhutan, Mr. Tashi Wangdi
- Cambodia, Mr. Seng Vang
- China, Ms. Lu Jing
- India, Mr. Suresh Kumar Chaudhari
- Indonesia, Mr. Dedi Nursyamsi
- Japan, Mr. Katsuyoshi Masukawa
- Korea, Mr. Byounghwan Seo
- Laos, Mr Nivong Sipaseuth
- Malaysia, Mr. Khazana Ibrahim
- Mongolia, Ms. Enkhtuya Bazamadnaa
- Myanmar, Ms. Su Su Win
- Nepal, Mr. Chandra Prasad Risal
- Pakistan, Mr. Waqar Ahmad
- Philippines, Mr. Pablo M. Montalla
- Singapore, Mr. Hassan Ibrahim
- Sri Lanka, Mr. Ajantha de Silva
- Thailand, Mr. Pitayakon Limtong
- Timor Leste, Mr. Juiberto dos Santos
- Viet Nam, Mr. Tran Minh Tien

9:30 – 10:00

**Item 3. Communication activities**

- **GSP focal points clarifications**
- **National Soil Partnership webpages**

*Ms. Isabelle Verbeke, GSP Secretariat*

10:00

**Closure of the day**

10 March 2022

7:00 – 9:30

**Item 4: GSP Pillars updates and way forward**

- **Pillar 1.**

RECISOIL: Recarbonization of global agricultural soils

Ms. Carolina Cardoso Lisboa, GSP Secretariat, FAO

- **Pillar 2.**

- o Policy brief

*Mr. Munir Zia, ASP Pillar 2 Chair*

- o Soil Doctors programme

*Ms. Siloia Pioli, GSP Secretariat, FAO*

- o Soil Atlas of Asia

*Ms. Lucrezia Caon, GSP Secretariat, FAO*

- o ARIEL Webinar on soil governance: “Soil governance related to food security and land degradation neutrality”

*Mr. Filippo Benedetti, GSP Secretariat, FAO*

- **Pillar 3:**

- o Regional database on Research and Development

- **Pillar 4.**

- o Digital soil mapping

*Ms. Isabel Luotto, GSP Secretariat, FAO*

- **Pillar 5.**

- o SEALNET updates

*Ms. Gina Nilo, SEALNET Chair*

9:30 – 9:45

**Item 5: Updates on the Center of Excellence on Soil Research in Asia (CESRA)**

*TBC, Thailand*

9:45 -10:00

**Item 6. Status of the World’s Soil Resources report 2025**

*Mr. Ashok Patra, Editorial Board*

10:00

**Closure of the meeting**