

Republic of Sudan

The National Bio safety Council

The National Bio safety Council was established pursuant to the provisions of the Bio safety Act of 2010. The overarching mandate of NBC is to exercise general supervision and control over development, transfer, handling and use of genetically modified organisms (GMOs) so as to ensure human safety and animal health and provide adequate protection to the environment.

Mandate:-

The mandate of SNBC to exercise supervision and control over the development, transfer, handling and use of genetically modified organisms (GMOs) with a view to ensuring and assuring safety of human and animal health and provision of an adequate level of protection of the environment.

Objectives:-

- Promoting the application of Biotechnology as a tool in the sustainable development of the Country to benefit the people of the Sudan.
- Ensuring the judicious and wise use of modern biotechnology in order not to jeopardize the environment and human health.
- Protecting Sudan's Biological Diversity by preventing genetic contamination.
- Controlling the Trans boundary movement of GMOs and products thereof in accordance with the provisions of the Cartagena Protocol.

Information and Public awareness:-

SNBC establishes a mechanism to facilitate the exchange of information on Living Modified Organisms (LMOs) like.

- Website (<http://snbc.gov.sd>) under development.
- Face book page <https://web.facebook.com/Biotechnology-Platform-413779928976894/> under development
- Email group for technical committee
- Whatsapp group for stakeholder
- Brochures attached
- Banner attached
- Photo Gallery
- T.V- Rido program

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