

Agenda for the meeting of the ERFPA ABS Task Force

The Ministry for Food, Agriculture and Consumer Protection,
Rochusstraße 1, D-53123 Bonn, Germany,
house 10, room 203
26 June 2012, 15:00 to 19:00

1. Opening of the meeting
2. Briefing on the developments in the Nagoya Protocol, including ICNP-2 (New Delhi, 2-6 July, 2012) (agenda included)
3. Preparation for the First Session of the Ad Hoc Technical Working Group on Access and Benefit-Sharing for Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture, Longyearbyen (Svalbard), Norway, 11-13 September 2012 (agenda included)
4. Discussion on the tasks of the Working Group-AnGR during the European Expert Workshop "Access and benefit-sharing (ABS) for Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture" 27-28 June, 2012 (Questions to facilitate discussion in the WG-AnGR: parts A,B,C)
5. Discussion on the work plan of the Task Force on ABS
6. Other business

Documents:

- BSP 43: The use and exchange of animal genetic resources for food and agriculture (FAO 2009)
- BSP 49: Trends in intellectual property rights relating to genetic resources for food and agriculture (FAO 2009)
- BSP 58: Trends in intellectual property rights relating to genetic resources for food and agriculture (FAO 2011)
- BSP 59: Access and benefit-sharing for genetic resources for food and agriculture – current use and exchange practices, commonalities, differences and user community needs report from a multi-stakeholder expert dialogue (FAO 2011)
- Gene flow in animal genetic resources. A study on status, impact and trends (University of Hohenheim, 2006)
- Exchange, Use and Conservation of Animal Genetic Resources. Policy and regulatory options (Centre for Genetic Resources, the Netherlands, 2006)
- Herd movements. The exchange of livestock breeds and genes between North and South (LPP, 2005)
- Patents on animals and their possible impact on smallholder livestock keepers (LPP, 2007)
- Report of the International Technical Expert Workshop „Exploring the need for specific measures for Access and Benefit-Sharing (ABS) of Animal Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (AnGRFA)” (Wageningen, 8-10 December 2010)
- Rights to Animal Genetic Resources – basic facts and debates (Biber-Klemm and Temmerman, 2011)