

FAO-EAAP-ERFP Workshop on National legal and institutional arrangements for ex situ conservation of animal genetic resources

23-26 May 2012, Hotel Allegra – Zagreb - Croatia

Program

Participants will arrive in hotel Allegra – 23 May 2012 - before 15.00		
23 May – pm – Session I - plenary		
15.00 – 15.10	Welcome to the Workshop and to Croatia	Local host, FAO, Chair ERFP WG Ex Situ
15.10 – 15.20	Introduction to Workshop Programme – objectives of the ERFP WG Ex Situ	Sipke Joost Hiemstra
15.20 – 15.45	Croatian National Action Plan and Operational Plan to Establish AnGR Gene Bank in Croatia	Jelena Ramljak and Ante Ivankovic
15.45 – 16.00	Coffee break	
23 May – pm – Session II – plenary – Legal/institutional arrangements for ex situ conservation at national level		
16.00 – 16.15	Bulgaria	Valentin Georgiev
16.15 – 16.30	Czech Republic	Vera Matlova
16.30 – 16.45	Norway	Nina Saether
16.45 – 17.00	Germany	Martina Henning
17.00 – 17.15	Portugal	Antonio Horta
17.15 – 17.30	Serbia	Miroslav Marinkovic
17.30 – 17.45	Break	
17.45 – 18.00	Spain	Fernando Tejerina
18.00 – 18.15	Ukraine	Svetlana Kovtun
18.15 – 18.30	France	Delphine Duclos
19.00	Dinner in hotel Allegra	
24 May – am – Session III - plenary		
8.30 – 8.45	Poland	Jacek Sikora
8.45 – 9.00	Sub-regional-transboundary opportunities for gene banking (Belgium perspective)	Jean Francois Dumasy
9.00 – 9.15	Sub-regional-transboundary opportunities for gene banking (Slovenia perspective)	Angela Cividini
9.15 – 9.30	Sub-regional-transboundary opportunities for gene banking (Lithuania perspective)	Ruta Sveistiena
9.30 – 9.45	The Swiss gene banking model – perspective and role of Swiss breeding organisation(s)	Fritz Schmitz-Hsu
9.45 – 10.15	Coffee break	
24 May - am – Session IV - plenary		
10.15 – 10.35	Introduction to CryoWEB and state of implementation in Europe	Zhivko Duchevev
10.35 – 10.50	Latest developments in cryobiology and reproductive technology	Henri Woelders
10.50 – 11.15	Somatic cells biobanks	Eildert Groeneveld
11.15 – 11.40	AnGR Biobanks – Genomics research and breeding perspective	Eli Grindflek
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch at hotel Allegra	
24 May – pm		
13.00 – 22.00	Field trip followed by dinner	
25 May – am – Session V - plenary		
8.30 – 8.50	AnGR Gene banks – FAO perspective	Paul Boettcher
8.50 – 9.15	National and regional gene banks - Access and Benefit Sharing and IP related issues	Elzbieta Martyniuk
9.15 – 9.40	Cryobanks as BRCs: the French CRB-Anim infrastructure project, and prospects for setting up a european network for such BRCs	Michelle Tixier-Boichard
9.40 – 10.00	Summary and instructions to parallel groups	Sipke Joost Hiemstra, Eildert Groeneveld
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee break and sub-groups getting together	

25 May – am/pm – Session VI – Subgroups		
10.30 – 15.15	Parallel group I - CryoWEB user group – identification of items for improvement or further development Parallel group II – Opportunities and challenges for cross-border and pan-European Gene Banking strategy	
15.15 – 15.30	Break	
25 May – pm – Session VII - plenary		
15.30 – 16.30	Reports of Parallel group I and Parallel group II	Rapporteurs of parallel groups
16.30 – 17.00	General discussion Remaining issues and identification of further activities of ERFP WG Ex Situ	
17.00	Closing of workshop	
18.00	Dinner in hotel Allegra and social evening	
26 May – am/pm - Zagreb guided tour and departure of participants		