



European Regional Focal Point for Animal Genetic Resources



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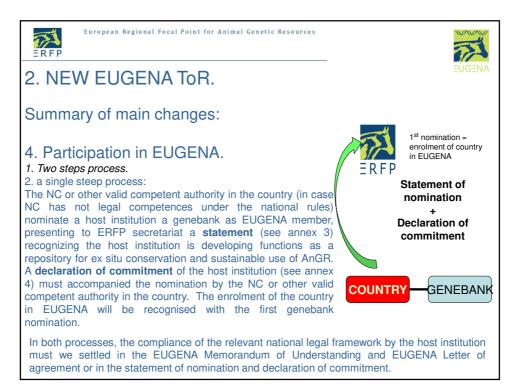
1. Introduction update: SDG and new AHL.

2. Definitions:

- adaptation of "Member country definition".
- New definition: "Other valid competent authority in the country: any authority in the country with the legal competences under national rules to nominate a host institution a genebank as EUGENA member."

3. EUGENA objectives, news:

- to support countries in the achievement of target 2.5 of the SDG 2, and in the monitoring of indicators SDG 2.5.1.b and 2.5.2.
- to facilitate the implementation of the exception for movements of germinal products between genebanks in different countries of the EU, foreseen in Regulation 2020/686.





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5. Organizational structure and governance of the EUGENA.

The Steering Board consists of a genebank representative per Member Country (one person per country) nominated by the NC.

- 6. Conditions for the acquisition and the access of genetic material. References to the Guideliness for the development of MAA and MTA.
- 7. Documentation and inventory reports NC report to EUGENA portal.

Annex:

- Update of MoU and LoA.
- New annex: Model of statement of nomination and model of declaration of commitment of participating Genebanks.
- Update: Annex with the Guidelines for the development of MAA and MTA.



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Annex 3. Statement of Nomination (declaration):

 Host institution is developing functions as a repository for ex situ conservation and sustainable use of AnGR within the respective national legal framework.

Annex 4. Declaration of commitment (commitments).

- Comply the national legal framework on the institution.
- Operate according to the Objectives of EUGENA (and ToR).
- Provide information on the property rights, acquisition and access conditions of use for Genetic material within EUGENA, thorough the National Coordinator (NC);
- Make available public domain information and non-confidential information related to Genetic material within EUGENA, through the NC;
- Facilitate access to and availability of their Genetic material within EUGENA network and related information, in accordance with the rules of the Participating Genebank, through the NC.