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Organization of the
United Nations**



The International Treaty
**ON PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES
FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE**

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Item 1 of the Provisional Agenda

NINTH SESSION OF THE GOVERNING BODY

New Delhi, India, 19–24 September 2022

Provisional Agenda

I. ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

1. Adoption of the Agenda and Timetable
2. Election of the *Rapporteur*
3. Appointment of the Credentials Committee
4. Establishment of a Budget Committee

II. REPORTS AND GENERAL POLICY MATTERS

5. Report of the Chairperson of the Governing Body
6. Report of the Secretary of the Governing Body
 - 6.1 Capacity Development Strategy
 - 6.2 Report on the Impacts of COVID-19
 - 6.3 Review of Progress Made on the Achievement of SDGs Related to PGRFA
7. Celebrating the Guardians of Crop Diversity: Towards an Inclusive Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework

III. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL TREATY

8. Proposal for an Amendment of the International Treaty
9. The Multilateral System of Access and Benefit-sharing
 - 9.1 Implementation and Operations of the Multilateral System
 - i. Implementation of Article 12.3.a of the International Treaty

FAO-ITPGRFA documents can be consulted at: <https://www.fao.org/plant-treaty/meetings/meetings-detail/en/c/1259571/>

9.2 Updates on Any Informal Consultations on the Enhancement of the Multilateral System

10. The Funding Strategy of the International Treaty

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14. Compliance

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16.2 Cooperation with the Global Crop Diversity Trust

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