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FOURTH COORDINATION MEETING FOR GOVERNMENTS
AND ORGANIZATIONS IMPLEMENTING OR FUNDING
BIOSAFETY CAPACITY-BUILDING ACTIVITIES
New Delhi, 11-13 February 2008

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
 - 2.1. Election of officers;
 - 2.2. Adoption of the agenda;
 - 2.3. Organization of work.
3. Standing agenda items:
 - 3.1. Report of the third coordination meeting and the progress made in implementation of the conclusions and recommendations of previous coordination meetings;
 - 3.2. Update on ongoing and planned biosafety capacity building projects/initiatives: latest developments and emerging opportunities for collaboration;
 - 3.3. Consideration of the capacity-building needs of countries and interactions between recipients and providers of capacity-building assistance.
4. Issues for in-depth consideration:
 - 4.1. Capacity-building initiatives for and experiences gained in addressing socio-economic considerations in decision-making regarding living modified organisms;
 - 4.2. Capacity-building for and experience gained in the implementation of identification and documentation requirements under Article 18, paragraph 2, of the Protocol.
5. Other matters.
6. Conclusions and recommendations.
7. Closure of the meeting.

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