







LATIN AMERICA SUB-REGIONAL CAPACITY-BUILDING WORKSHOP ON MAINSTREAMING BIOSAFETY INTO NATIONAL BIODIVERSITY STRATEGIES AND ACTION PLANS AND RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Workshop Objectives Expected Outcomes, and Organization of Work

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Workshop Objectives



- REVIEW CURRENT STATUS
- LEARN & SHARE EXPERIENCES
- EXPLORE, PLAN & STRATEGIZE



 ENHANCE NATIONAL IMPLEMENTATION









Workshop Objectives/Outcomes



REVIEW STATUS

- Status of implementation in West Asia and North Africa (2nd National Reports)
- National implementation (NBF devt./implementation)
- Integration of biosafety into NBSAPs and other processes
- Opportunities and challenges

LEARN &SHARE

Experiences, good practices & lessons learned

- PoW on public awareness, education & participation
- Aarhus Convention
- Nagoya-KL
 Supplementary
 Protocol on L& R

EXPLORE/PLAN

- Means to advance NBFs
- Ways/means to enhance mainstreaming of biosafety into NBSAPs and other processes
- Mobilization of additional resources for implementation
- Regional cooperation (strategies/ mechanisms)
- Technical Support Network









- Introduction to the CPB Strategic
 Plan and its relationship with the
 Strategic Plan for Biodiversity (2011 2020) and the Aichi targets
- Status of implementation of the CPB in the region
- National experiences/lessons learned in the implementation of the Protocol











- Mainstreaming biosafety into relevant national policies, plans and programmes, including NBSAPs: Rationale, good practices, country experiences and the way forward
- Mobilization of additional resources for national implementation













- Programme of work on public awareness, education and participation concerning LMOs
- Discussion on national experiences in promoting public awareness, education & participation
- Field trip











- Core elements of national regimes on public access to information
- Public access to biosafety information in the region: experience, good practices and lessons learned
- Public participation in biosafety and environmental decision-making: Key concepts and experiences from the region
- Regional and subregional cooperation on public awareness, education and participation concerning LMOs











- Objective and core provisions of the Nagoya Kuala Lumpur Supplementary Protocol on Liability and Redress – Consideration of hypothetical cases
- Measures and capacities that may be required at the national level to ratify and implement the Supplementary Protocol
- Regional cooperation, current efforts to foster regional cooperation on biosafety and suggestions for improvement
- Way forward and closure of the workshop











Your Expectations





 What are your expectations from the workshop?







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