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SECOND COORDINATION MEETING FOR GOVERNMENTS  
AND ORGANIZATIONS IMPLEMENTING OR FUNDING  
BIOSAFETY CAPACITY-BUILDING ACTIVITIES  
Tromsø, Norway, 18-20 January 2006

**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 first coordination meeting and a review of the progress with the implementation of the recommendations of that meeting;
  - 3.2. Update on ongoing and planned biosafety capacity-building projects/initiatives: latest developments and emerging opportunities for collaboration;
  - 3.3. Consideration of the needs and priorities of countries and specific requests for capacity-building support.
4. Issues for in-depth consideration:
  - 4.1. Consideration of practical measures to achieve operational-level synergies and complementarities between biosafety capacity-building initiatives;
  - 4.2. Practical experiences, emerging best practices and lessons learned in capacity-building for the effective implementation of the Protocol: detailed case project presentations;
  - 4.3. Input into the comprehensive review of the Action Plan for Building Capacities for the Effective Implementation of the Protocol.
5. Other matters.
6. Conclusions and recommendations.
7. Closure of the meeting.