STATEMENT OF COMPETENCE AND VOTING RIGHTS
SUBMITTED BY THE EUROPEAN UNION (EU)
AND ITS MEMBER STATES

1. Adoption of the agenda and timetable

I. MULTI-YEAR PROGRAMME OF WORK

2. Cross-sectorial matters
   2.1 Ways and means of considering the application and integration of biotechnologies in the conservation and utilization of genetic resources for food and agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

   2.2 Climate change and genetic resources for food and agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

   2.3 Policies and arrangements for access and benefit-sharing for genetic resources for food and agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

3. Plant genetic resources for food and agriculture
   3.1 Consideration of the updated Global Plan of Action for the Conservation and Sustainable Utilization of Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

   3.2 Review of cooperation with the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

   3.3 Progress since the Twelfth Regular Session, including Report of the Fifth Session of the Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture
      
      *Shared Competence – Member States vote*
4. Aquatic genetic resources: Review of information base for aquatic genetic resources, and key issues for The State of the World’s Aquatic Genetic Resources

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

5. Progress in other areas of the Multi-Year Programme of Work

5.1 Forest genetic resources, including Report of the First Session of the Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Forest Genetic Resources

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

5.2 Animal Genetic Resources, including Report of the Sixth Session of the Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Animal Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

5.3 Biodiversity of micro-organisms and invertebrates for food and agriculture

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

5.4 Targets and indicators for biodiversity for food and agriculture

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

6. Implementation of the Multi-Year Programme of Work

6.1 Human and financial resources in FAO to support the implementation of the Multi-Year Programme of Work

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

6.2 Review of the Multi-Year Programme of Work

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

II. COOPERATION WITH INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS AND ORGANIZATIONS

7. Cooperation with the Convention on Biological Diversity

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

8. Cooperation with other international instruments and organizations

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

III. THE COMMISSION’S MODE OF OPERATION

9. Status and profile of the Commission

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

IV. OTHER MATTERS

10. Other business

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*

11. Date and place of the Commission’s Fourteenth Regular Session

*Shared Competence – Member States vote*
12. Election of Chair and Vice-Chairs
   
   *Shared Competence – Member States vote*

13. Adoption of the Report

   *Shared Competence – Member States vote*