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**INTERNATIONAL TREATY ON PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES  
FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE**

**FIRST MEETING OF COORDINATION MECHANISM FOR CAPACITY  
BUILDING FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL  
TREATY**

**Bonn, Germany, 16 May 2008**

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

Conference Centre of the Gustav-Stresemann-Institut.

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**9h00-9h15**

The objectives and rationale of the Capacity Building Coordination Mechanism (CBCM): An Overview

*Mr. Godfrey Mwila, Chairman of the Governing Body of the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (IT-PGRFA)*

**9h15-9h45**

Current stage of Implementation of the International Treaty: Priorities and decisions by the Governing Body

*Mr. Shakeel Bhatti, Secretary of the Governing Body of the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (IT-PGRFA)*

**9h45-10h00**

Question and answer session

**10h00-10h30**

1. Capacity Building Needs and Priorities of Contracting Parties for Treaty Implementation
2. An Illustrative Framework of Cooperation for Capacity Building: the FAO/Bioversity International /International Treaty Secretariat Joint Programm for Implementation of the Treaty

*Secretariat of the Governing Body of the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (IT-PGRFA)*

**10h30– 11h00**

Coffee Break

**11h00-12h00**

*Tour de table* on Existing or Planned Capacity Building Activities for Treaty Implementation

*Short Presentations by all participants*

**12h00-12h15**

Constitution of Three Working Groups

*Each Working Group will address:*

- *Existing or planned initiatives on Capacity building for the implementation of the Treaty*
- *Identification of gaps*
- *Lessons learned*

**12h15-14h30**

Lunch and working group discussions

**14h30-15h15**

Reports by the Working Groups

*Working Group 1*

*Working Group 2*

*Working Group 3*

**15h15-15h45**

Coffee break

**15h45-16h30**

Wrap-up and Conclusions of Working Group Results

**16h30-17h00**

Discussion on the Capacity Building Coordination Mechanism for Treaty Implementation

**17h00-17h30**

Wrap up Comments by the Chairman and the Secretariat

**17h30**

Closing of the Meeting