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ON PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE



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## Item 5 of the Draft Provisional Agenda

### SECOND MEETING OF THE *AD HOC* TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE USE OF PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

Rome, Italy, 2-3 March 2015

### COMPILATION OF INFORMATION RECEIVED ON INTERRELATIONS BETWEEN THE INTERNATIONAL TREATY AND RELEVANT INSTRUMENTS OF UPOV AND WIPO

#### *Note by the Secretary*

1. The Governing Body at its Fifth Session “*request[ed] the Secretary to invite UPOV and WIPO to jointly identify possible areas of interrelations among their respective international instruments.*”
2. Upon consultation with the Bureau of the Sixth Session of the Governing Body and after having initial discussions with UPOV and WIPO, the Secretary invited Contracting Parties, stakeholders and others to share any relevant information on such interrelations for consideration of the *Ad Hoc* Technical Committee on Sustainable Use of Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture at this meeting.
3. This document contains the list of submissions which the Secretary has received until 5 February 2015. The submissions were compiled in language and form, as well as in the sequence, in which they had been received and made available <http://www.planttreaty.org/content/farmers-rights-submissions>

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**List of Appendixes**

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1. Submission by Berne Declaration and Third World Network, supported by the African Centre for Biosafety and the Southeast Asia Regional Initiatives for Community Empowerment, received on 28 November 2014 [[Appendix 1](#)]
2. Submission by The Development Fund – Norway, received on 28 November 2014 [[Appendix 2](#)]
3. Submission by the Southeast Asia Regional Initiatives for Community Empowerment (SEARICE), received on 28 November 2014 [[Appendix 3](#)]
4. Submissions by the SOLIBAM Consortium, *SOLIBAM Strategies for Organic and Low-input Integrated Breeding and Management, Policy recommendations to sustain diversity strategies within food systems*, received on 27 November 2014 [[Appendix 4](#)]
5. Submission by the South Centre, received on 28 November 2014 [[Appendix 5](#)]
6. Submission by the UK Food Group, received on 28 November 2014 [[Appendix 6](#)]
7. Submission by the European Seed Association, received on 5 February 2015 [[Appendix 7](#)]