



RESOLUTION 10/2023

CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY OF THE INTERNATIONAL TREATY 2023–2030

THE GOVERNING BODY,

Recalling Resolution 10/2022 and **reaffirming** the importance of having a Capacity Development Strategy with a broad timeframe to support the full implementation of the International Treaty;

Further reaffirming the importance of accompanying the Strategy with an Action Plan to make the Strategy operative;

- 1. **Requests** the Secretary, under the guidance of the Bureau, to finalize the draft Capacity Development Strategy of the International Treaty, as contained in the *Annex* of Resolution 10/2022, in order to:
 - i. update the period of duration of the draft Strategy;
 - ii. ensure that the topics included in the draft Strategy are in line with the International Treaty and the relevant resolutions of the Governing Body;
 - iii. promote coherence in planning and delivering capacity development;
 - iv. take into account other instruments and bodies, including the Convention on Biological Diversity and in particular its Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework (GBF) and the related Long-Term Strategic Framework for Capacity Building and Development, and the Commission on Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture, in particular to address the capacity gap and needs identified in the Third Report on the State of the World's Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture;
- 2. **Requests** the Secretary to develop the draft Action Plan for the implementation of the Strategy, under the guidance of the Bureau and in consultation with Contracting Parties as well as relevant stakeholders, clarifying what actions the Secretariat is expected to undertake according to the applicable guiding principles;
- 3. *Further requests* the Secretary to present the updated draft Capacity Development Strategy and the draft Action Plan to the Governing Body for consideration at its Eleventh Session.