Country Report on the Progress of PVP System in Thailand

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Overview of PVP in Thailand

| | (up to July 2017) | January 2017 to July 2017 |
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| Number of application for PBR | 1,354 | 41 |
| Number of application for PBR from foreign countries | 72 | 7 |
| Number of protected variety: | 451 | 44 |

Overview of PVP in Thailand

62 plant genera/species announced

| Groups | Amount |
|--------------------|--------|
| Field crops | 9 |
| Fruit plants/trees | 19 |
| Ornamental plants | 13 |
| Vegetables | 15 |
| Woody trees | 4 |
| Grass crops | 2 |

Recent changes in Thailand's PVP system

1) General description
PVP in Thailand has been worked by The Plant Variety
Protection Act B.E 2542 (1999).

- 2) Details of changes in some different areas
- Legal areaConsideration amending the Act.
- Technical area
 Develop the test guideline base on international standard.

Backgrounds of the changes

Legal area

Consideration some issues

Novelty

Provisional Protection

Scope of the Breeder's Right

Exceptions to the Breeder's Right

Duration of the Breeder's Right

Variety Denomination

Technical area

Revision the national test guideline

Obstacles, challenges and any other matters of concern

Public awareness

Raising for public awareness

Thank You