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THE BENEFITS OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION
UNDER THE UPOV SYSTEM**

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PROGRAM

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TENTATIVE PROGRAM

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8.30-9.00	Registration
	Session I: Opening Program Emcee: Ms. Cecilia Mallari
9.00-9.20	Welcome and Opening <i>Dr. Lorna Herradura, Associate Registrar, Plant Variety Protection Office, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture, Philippines</i> <i>Mr. Peter Button, Vice Secretary-General, International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (UPOV)</i> <i>Mr. Yuichi Fujita, Director, Intellectual Property Division, Food Industry Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MAFF) Japan</i>
9.30-10.00	Keynote speech “Impact of PVP and UPOV membership on the development of agriculture” <i>Mr. Tomochika Motomura, Technical/Regional Officer (Asia), International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (UPOV)</i>
10.00-10.30	Photo Session/ Coffee Break Session II: Experience in UPOV Members <i>Moderator: Mr. Danilo T. Dannug</i>
10.30-11.00	Benefit of common regional Plant Variety Protection system <i>Mr. Francesco Mattina, Vice President, Community Plant Variety Office (CPVO), Angers, France</i>
11.00-11.20	Impact of PVP on agriculture in the Netherlands <i>Mr. Bert Scholte, Head, Variety Testing Department, Naktuinbouw, Netherlands</i>
11.20-11.40	Impact of Plant Variety Protection in France <i>Mr. Francois Burgaud, Director of External Relations, GNIS, France</i>

11.40-12.00	<p>Impact and Benefit of PVP system in Japan <i>Mr. Atsuhiko Meno, Senior Advisor, Intellectual Property Division, Food Industry Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MAFF), Japan</i></p>
12.00-13.00	<p>Lunch</p>
13.00-13.20	<p>Impact of PVP/UPOV system on VN's Agriculture <i>Dr. Nguyen Thanh Minh, Director, Plant Variety Protection Office, Department of Crop Production, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam</i></p>
	<p>Session III: Expectations and the way to UPOV Members <i>Moderator: Ms. Elvira D. Morales</i></p>
13.20-13.40	<p>PVP implementation under the cooperation with UPOV member <i>Ms. Shahrinah Yosof Khan, Deputy Registrar, Brunei Intellectual Property Office, Ministry of Energy and Industry, Brunei</i></p>
13.40-14.00	<p>Expectation of PVP in line with UPOV system in Myanmar <i>Dr. Pa Pa Win, PVP Office, Department of Agricultural Research, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation, Myanmar</i></p>
14.00-14.20	<p>Benefits of Plant Variety Protection for the Philippine Plant Breeders' <i>Dr. Mary Ann P. Sayoc, President, Philippine Seed Industry Association</i></p>
14.20-14.50	<p>Coffee Break</p>
14.50-15.10	<p>Malaysia's Expectation on Harmonization of PVP System in line with UPOV System <i>Ms. Sri Ikarostika Rahayu Binti Muhammad Ghazi, Deputy Director, Crop Quality Control Division, Department of Agriculture, Malaysia</i></p>
	<p>Session IV: Q&A and Closing <i>Moderator: Dr. Herminigilda A. Gabertan</i></p>
15.10-15.45	<p>Q & A Session</p>
15.45-16.00	<p>Closing remarks <i>Mr. Atsuhiko Meno, Senior Advisor to IP Division, MAFF of Japan</i></p>