

**WORKSHOP ON PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION:  
SETTING UP EXAMPLE VARIETIES FOR SELECTED CROPS (RICE)**

**Titi Serong Agricultural Center, Perak, Malaysia  
24-27 November 2015**

| <b>Date</b>        | <b>Time</b>  | <b>Program</b>   | <b>Remarks / Venue</b>                       |
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| 22 Nov 2015<br>SUN |              | Arrival of Participants @ KLIA   | Hotel Citadine<br>DPulze@<br>Cyberjaya       |
| 23 Nov 2015<br>MON | 1045         | Depart to Titi Serong Rice Testing Center,<br>Parit Buntar, Perak<br>(leaving Cyberjaya)   | Hotel Melor Inn@<br>Perak                    |
|                    | 1815         | Depart to Bukit Merah Laketown   |  |
|                    | 2000<br>2130 | <b>Opening and Welcoming dinner</b>  | Bukit Merah Lake<br>Town Resort,<br>Perak    |
| 24 Dec 2015<br>TUE | 0800<br>0830 | Registration   | Titi Serong<br>Agricultural<br>Center, Perak |
|                    | 0830<br>0900 | <b>Presentation 1:</b> Rice breeding, production<br>and distribution in Malaysia<br><i>by Dr. Asfaliza Ramli, Senior Research Officer,<br/>Malaysian Agricultural Research &amp;<br/>Development Institution (MARDI)</i>   |  |
|                    | 0900<br>0930 | <b>Presentation 2:</b> Protection of New Varieties<br>of Rice in Malaysia<br><i>by Mr. Sulaiman Hashim, Deputy Director, Crop<br/>Quality Control Division, Department of<br/>Agriculture, Malaysia</i>  |  |
|                    | 0930<br>1040 | <b>Country report</b> (10 min. per country)<br><br>Cambodia - <i>by Mr. Ngoun Marinat</i><br>Japan - <i>by Mr. Yoshiakki Takamatsu</i><br>Lao PDR - <i>by Mr. Vandy PHETPASEUT</i><br>Myanmar - <i>by Ms. Chan Yan Win</i><br>Philippines - <i>by Ms. Elvira D. Morales</i><br>Thailand - <i>by Mr. Somsong Chotechuen</i><br>Vietnam - <i>by Mr. Mai The Tuan</i> |  |
|                    | 1040<br>1100 | Group photo & Refreshment  |  |
|                    | 1100<br>1230 | <b>Topic 1:</b> Basic rules of DUS Test<br><i>by Mr. Tadao Mizuno, Former Chief Examiner,<br/>Plant Variety Protection Office, Ministry of<br/>Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Japan</i>  |  |
|                    | 1230<br>1400 | <b>Lunch &amp; Prayer</b>  |  |
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|                    | 1400<br>1500 | <b>Topic 2:</b> Methods of Evaluation of each Characteristics<br><i>by Mr. Nguyen Quoc Phuong, National Center for Plant Testing (NCRT), PVP office Vietnam</i>                                    |  |
|                    | 1500<br>1515 | Refreshment  |  |
|                    | 1515<br>1545 | <b>Topic 3.1:</b> Example Varieties<br><i>by Mr. Tadao Mizuno Mr. Tadao Mizuno, Former Chief Examiner, Plant Variety Protection Office, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Japan</i> |  |
|                    | 1545<br>1615 | <b>Topic 3.2:</b> Selection of Example Varieties in NCSS<br><i>by Mr. Koji Nakanishi, Nishi Nihon Station for National Center for Seeds and Seedlings (NCSS), Japan</i>                            |  |
|                    | 1615<br>1645 | <b>Topic 4:</b> Recorded photographs on some characteristics<br><i>by Ms. Soo Foong Lian, Department of Agriculture, Malaysia</i>  |  |
| 25 Nov 2015<br>WED | 0830<br>1000 | <b>Exercise 1:</b> DUS Test, making a test report (including 15 minutes explanation)   | Titi Serong Agricultural Center, Perak |
|                    | 1000<br>1015 | Refreshment  |  |
|                    | 1015<br>1230 | <b>Exercise 1:</b> DUS Test, making a test report  |  |
|                    | 1230<br>1400 | Lunch & Prayer   |  |
|                    | 1400<br>1700 | <b>Exercise 1:</b> DUS Test, making a test report  |  |
| 26 Nov 2015<br>THU | 0830<br>1000 | <b>Exercise 2:</b> Selection of Example Varieties (including 15 minutes explanation)   | Titi Serong Agricultural Center, Perak |
|                    | 1000<br>1015 | Tea Break  |  |
|                    | 1015<br>1230 | <b>Exercise 2:</b> Selection of Example Varieties  |  |
|                    | 1230<br>1400 | Lunch & Prayer   |  |
|                    | 1400<br>1700 | <b>Exercise 2:</b> Selection of Example Varieties  |  |
| 27 Nov 2015<br>FRI | 0800         | Check-Out  | Hotel Melor Inn @ Perak                |
|                    | 0830<br>1000 | <b>Group presentation of DUS Test &amp; Selection of Example Varieties</b>   | Titi Serong Agricultural Center, Perak |
|                    | 1000<br>1030 | Tea break  |  |

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|                    | 1030<br>1130 | <b>Wrap-up Discussion<br/>Q&amp;A</b>                       |                 |
|                    | 1130<br>1200 | Closing ceremony  |                 |
|                    | 1200<br>1300 | Lunch   |                 |
|                    | 1300         | Depart to Kuala Lumpur<br>(Leaving at 1300)<br><br>Check-in |                 |
| 28 Nov 2015<br>SAT |              | To Airport  |                 |

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