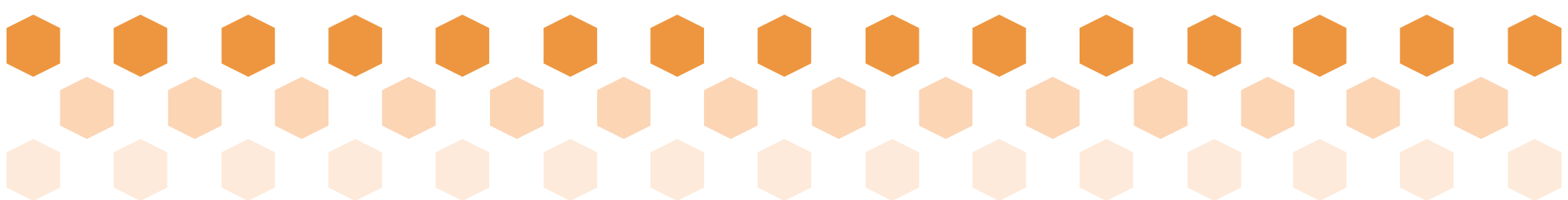


Agenda item 4

Individual Implementing Strategy of Japan



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National objectives



- **To raise awareness of PBR and facilitate application of PBR abroad**
- **To review the PVP Act and its regulation with a view to providing PBR holders with legal measure to exercise their right effectively**
- **To improve administrative procedure for filling applications in internationally harmonized manner with user-friendly tools including MAFF Electronic Application System**

International objectives



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- To support member countries to establish PVP laws in line with the **UPOV 1991 Act**
- To support capacity building
- To **facilitate the EAPVP Pilot Project** with participating countries and UPOV

Bilateral cooperation

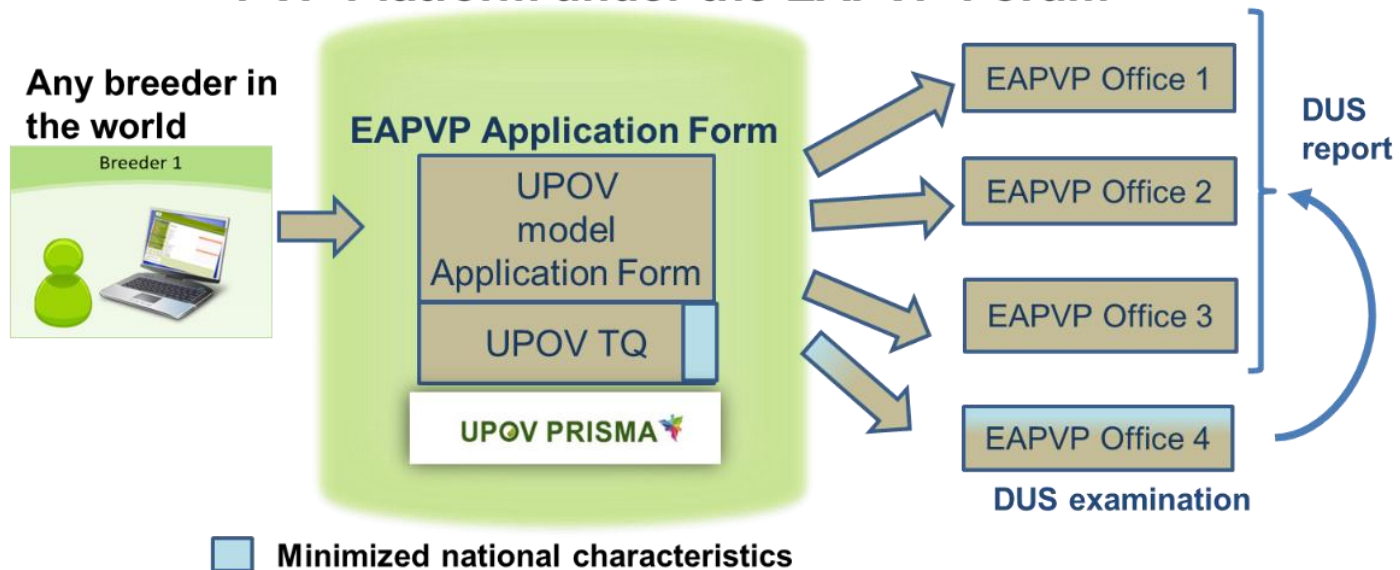
- To strengthen bilateral cooperation with partners for harmonization
- To promote cooperation in DUS examination to reduce time and resources

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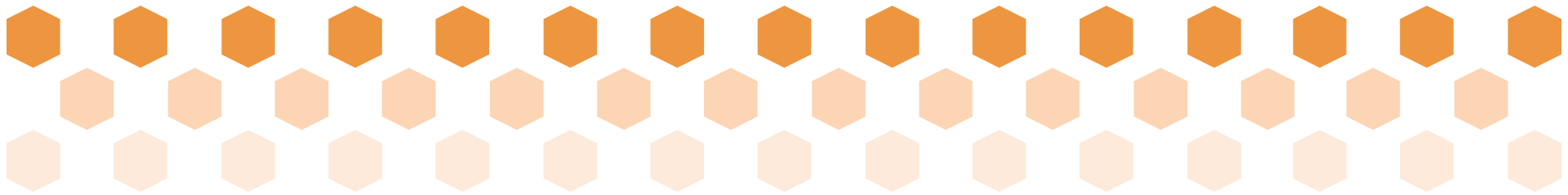
EAPVP Pilot Project

- ✓ A single online platform for submitting application data to PVP Offices of participating countries
- ✓ Enhance DUS cooperation among PVP Offices
 - Current participating PVPOs: VN, JP, BN, MM, MY
 - Resource partner: UPOV Office

PVP Platform under the EAPVP Forum



Thank you for your attention



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