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INDIVIDUAL IMPLEMENTING STRATEGY OF KOREA

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1. National goal (for next 10 years: 2021 to 2030)

- 1-1.To strengthen PVP system to raise awareness of Plant breeder' right (PBR) and to promote breeding activities of new varieties
- 1-2.To establish the new national TG in more forest plants for fast DUS test of variety from new species
- 1-3.To support breeders by education etc. for encouraging application of new varieties and their plant breeding activities
- 1-4.To facilitate expanded industrial use of the granted varieties for forestry

2. Objectives with analysis of challenges (for next 3 years)

2-1. Challenges

- Low PVP applications in forest plants when compared with agricultural crop
- Low awareness on the PVP system among breeder and customer in forestry
- Lack of technical expertise and facilities in conducting DUS examination

2-2. Objectives

2021 - 2023

- To increase the number of application and grant of new varieties
- To establish foundation for examination of new varieties by regional consideration with climate change
- To prevent infringement though strengthening the management of the production and distribution of varieties granted for PBR
- To improve international cooperation and harmonization in PVP

3. Planned activities and Road map (for next 3 years)

- To develop or revise national TG for 50 species of forest plants in accordance with the TGP document
- To establish the south branch for DUS test of subtropical forest plant
- To held seminar and workshop related to PVP system for breeder and stakeholder

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