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Introduction

The Thirteenth General Assembly Meeting (GAM) of the Asia-Pacific Association of Agricultural Research Institutions (APAARI) was held on 1 November 2014 at Rama Gardens Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand. The agenda of the meeting is given at Annexure I. Forty seven members, representatives, special invitees and APAARI staff participated in the meeting (see list in Annexure II).

Agenda 1: Welcome and Chairman's Address

Dr. Simon Hearn, Chairman, APAARI welcomed all members and special invitees. He made special mention of the Hon. Inia B. Seruiratu, Minister for Agriculture, Fiji, and the Hon. Wen-deh Chen, Deputy Minister for COA, Chinese Taipei for participating in the meeting despite having busy schedule.

Recalling the progress made by APAARI during the past 22 years under the able guidance of Dr. Raj Paroda, Executive Secretary, Dr. Hearn mentioned that APAARI is now recognized as a very vibrant organization as well as prominent think tank in addressing various emerging issues concerning agricultural research for development in the Asia-Pacific region. APAARI has facilitated wide ranging deliberations/expert consultations/workshops/training programs on a large number of diverse topics/issues focused on achieving food security and poverty alleviation, sustainability of smallholder farmers and research resulting in international public goods. While APAARI is a self-sustaining organization, the support extended by Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR), Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), Global Forum on Agricultural Research (GFAR) and Council of Agriculture (COA) through funding of its regular programs and other activities is gratefully acknowledged.

The CGIAR is undergoing radical changes and APAARI has been contributing significantly towards this initiative. APAARI has also been serving for the last two years as a member of the CGIAR Fund Council as well as the Evaluation and Impact Assessment Committee. The overall progress of APAARI has been outstanding. Membership is increasing and more and more NARS are showing interest in joining APAARI. Proceedings of expert consultations/workshops/success stories on important topics and other publications are being brought out in timely manner and disseminated widely to our stakeholders. APAARI is equally active and has significantly contributed to GFAR, GCARD2, GAP, ICT and TAP activities.

Dr. Hearn informed that he would be relinquishing his position as Chairman, APAARI in December 2014. Dr. Raj Paroda will also be relinquishing his position of Executive Secretary in December, 2014.

He thanked all the members for their support and expressed his gratitude to Dr. Raj Paroda for his long and extraordinary contributions in bringing APAARI to this high pedestal. He also expressed his appreciation for all APAARI secretariat staff in Bangkok and New Delhi for their dedicated service. He especially thanked DOA for the DOA-APAARI MoU, which is presently under active consideration. It would ensure legal identity to APAARI for its smooth functioning in Bangkok. Support extended by Dr. H. Konuma, ADG, FAO RAP, Bangkok to APAARI was also duly recognized.

Agenda 2: APAARI Progress Report

Dr. Raj Paroda welcomed the participants and expressed his appreciation of all member organizations for their partnership in co-organizing various APAARI activities. He extended warm welcome to the special invitees who attended the GAM for the first time, including the Hon. Minister for Agriculture, Fiji, the Hon. Deputy Minister, COA, Chinese Taipei, Director General of NARI, PNG, Director General of BISA and Mr. Nick Austin, CEO, ACIAR, Australia. He expressed his gratitude especially to Dr. William Dar, DG, ICRISAT, Dr. Thomas Lumpkin, DG, CIMMYT and Dr. Dyno Keatinge, DG, the World Vegetable Center for their support to APAARI.

Dr. Paroda presented the Progress Report and specially highlighted the activities conducted since 2010. He stated that APAARI is trying to implement the strategic areas identified in its vision 2025 document such as: policy advocacy, need assessment, investment in AR4D, knowledge management, role of women in agriculture, youth in agriculture, and precision/conservation agriculture. Also, activities conducted under the two major programs of APAARI, i) the Asia-Pacific Consortium on Agricultural Biotechnology (APCoAB), and (ii) the Asia-Pacific Agricultural Research Information System (APARIS) were briefly presented. Dr. Paroda also highlighted APAARI's efforts towards implementing GCARD Road Map, strengthening CGIAR-NARS partnership, and for involving diverse stakeholders in its activities.

During 2013-2014, several conferences/expert consultations/workshops were organized on important topics such as Farmer Led Innovations, Promotion of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Youth in Agriculture, NARS-CGIAR Partnership, Bio-safety Regulations, Genetically Modified Crops and Collective Actions for Open Access to Agricultural Information and Knowledge.

Several training programs were also organized, viz., International Training Course on *In Vitro* and Cryopreservation Techniques for PGR Conservation; Training Program on Analytical Techniques in Nutrition, Food Safety and Bio-safety; and Training Workshop on Open Access Publishing Using Open Journal Systems.

Various publications comprising success stories, proceedings of conferences/expert consultations/workshops and status reports/papers were brought out and widely circulated for the benefit of NARS partners.

APAARI contributed significantly towards organization of Second Global Conference on Agricultural Research for Development (GCARD 2) held in Uruguay in October, 2012. It was an honor to APAARI that Dr. Paroda served as Chairman, Organizing Committee of GCARD 2. A synthesis report of South Asia on Demand-Driven Prioritization of AR4D was developed and presented in this Conference. APAARI also actively participated in Gender in Agriculture Program (GAP) and Tropical Agriculture Platform (TAP). APAARI has also served as a member of the CG Fund Council and its Evaluation and Impact Assessment Committee. It was also a member of the Interim Steering Committee of TAP during 2012-2013.

During the discussion on the Progress Report, members unanimously appreciated the excellent achievements of APAARI for strengthening AR4D in the region. Dr. Nick Austin conveyed ACIAR's appreciation of success made in forging partnership and contributing to the CGIAR change process. Dr. Mark Holderness, Executive Secretary, GFAR complimented Dr. Paroda for his leadership in organizing a successful GCARD 2 in Uruguay in October, 2012. He also admired him for bringing out an excellent publication entitled "22 Years of APAARI". Again it was due to untiring efforts of Dr. Raj Paroda, the first Global Conference on Women in Agriculture was organized in New Delhi. It turned out to be a major success leading to the initiation of GAP, attracting substantial membership in the recent past.

Dr. William Dar complimented APAARI on its outstanding achievements including broadening of membership, release of policy documents and publication of success stories on farmers' adoption of new technologies. He expressed the need to revisit APAARI 2025 vision document and reprioritize activities in the light of the recent developments in agriculture. The objective should be to achieve resilience of smallholder farming and to ensure food and nutritional security, while taking into account the impact of climate change.

In response, Dr. Paroda expressed that APAARI had been conducting mainly the most relevant programs while forging excellent partnerships with NARS, CG centers and other stakeholders in the region. He stressed that linking research with extension is very important. He further mentioned that with more funding support, APAARI would be able to achieve much more than what we could otherwise accomplish. Dr. Raj Paroda, while concluding, expressed his appreciation of the member organizations for their cooperation in co-organizing and participating actively in various APAARI activities.

Agenda 3: Membership and Fee Payment

The Executive Secretary apprised the General Assembly on the status of APAARI membership and efforts made to increase it in different categories. Currently, APAARI has 20 regular members, 16 associate members, 10 affiliate members and 10 reciprocal members (Annexure III). Most members pay their dues regularly though due to different payment schedules, some members pay later than others. Some organizations like PARC, Pakistan and AREEO, Iran have difficulty in direct transfer of funds in US\$. However, these issues are being resolved through the help of CG Centers, especially ICARDA. Membership fee of IRRI and a few affiliate members is still awaited.

Some members announced their decision to raise their membership status: PNG NARI from category III to II, PARC from category II to I, SLCARP from category III to II and BARC from category II to I. BISA will be joining APAARI as an Associate Member and Junagarh Agricultural University, India will join as a new Affiliate Member effective 2015. Navsari Agricultural University, India and BARC, Bangladesh committed to clear their dues soon.

Agenda 4: Presentations of Audited Accounts and Assets & Liabilities

Dr. Paroda explained the process of auditing APAARI accounts and their presentation to GAM and Executive Committee. He mentioned that the audit report for the period 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013 was reviewed by the Executive committee in its April meeting held in Bangkok (Annexure IV). As per practice in the past, an interim audit report for the period 1 January 2014 to 30 September 2014 (Annexure V) was also presented just for information and understanding of general trend of expenditure though the full year audit report will be ready after 31 December and the same will be

put up in the next Executive Committee. He informed the GAM that APCoAB accounts are being maintained and audited separately and the audit report for the year 2013 was approved by APCoAB Steering Committee.

An up-to-date Statement of Assets and Liabilities was presented by the Executive Secretary (Annexure VI). He acknowledged the support of FAO and COA in furnishing the new APAARI Secretariat Office in Bangkok.

The Chairman expressed satisfaction that all the expenditures were within the allocated budget. He also explained the rationale for investment of US\$ 1,046,281 in low-risk fixed deposits. The Audited Accounts and the Statement of Assets and Liabilities were reviewed and approved by the General Assembly.

Agenda 5: Appointment of External Auditor

The Executive Secretary informed that the term of present Auditor would conclude on 31 January 2015. The matter concerning appointment of Auditors was discussed in the last Executive Committee meeting. It was decided to follow proper guidelines for the appointment of Auditors in future during the Executive Committee Meeting held in Islamabad. Accordingly, for the biennium 2015-2016, quotations from qualified auditors, who are on the approved list of the Government of Thailand, were invited. A comparative statement of the quotations received was presented to the GAM (Annexure VII).

The GAM recommended that since the relative merits of the listed auditors were not known, it would be better to have personal discussion with them to select the most preferred one and the recommendation be put up to the next Executive Committee for final decision. The proposal of Dr. Thomas Lumpkin to also consider an international auditing firm, provided cost effective, be also kept in view in future.

Agenda 6: Secretariat Matters – An Update

- **New Executive Secretary and Recruitment of APCoAB Coordinator**

The Chairman informed the General Assembly about the desire of Dr. Paroda to relinquish his position of Executive Secretary on 31 December 2014. He stated that Dr. Paroda has made outstanding contributions for more than two decades and brought APAARI to become one of most respected and vibrant agricultural research associations. Dr. Hearn thanked Dr. Raj Paroda profoundly and hoped that he would continue his association with APAARI and provide guidance to the new Executive Secretary. The General Assembly was also informed about the appointment of Dr. Raghunath Ghodake as the new APAARI Executive Secretary effective 1 January 2015. Dr. Ghodake has a distinguished career as agricultural research manager having been the Director General, National Agricultural Research Institute (NARI), PNG. He also has very wide international exposure including as Chairman of APAARI during 2007-2008. On behalf of the General Assembly, the Chairman extended warm welcome to Dr. Ghodake and wished that APAARI will rise to newer heights.

The Chairman also informed the members about the request of Dr. J.L. Karihaloo, Coordinator APCoAB to be relieved from his present position on 31 January 2015. He recalled the enormous contribution made by Dr. Karihaloo to the expansion of biotechnology program of APAARI

comprising organization of several expert consultations, training programs and publications of success stories and status reports. Dr. Hearn informed that the advertisement for appointment of a new APCoAB Coordinator would be issued very soon.

The service contracts of Ms. Urairat Rujirek, presently Administrative Associate, who is to be redesignated as Administrative Officer, and Ms. Chanerin Maneechansook, APAARI Technical Assistant would be renewed for another terms of two years to ensure their continuity for sustainability especially during the present period of transition.

The General Assembly was also informed of the decision to consolidate all the program offices at APAARI headquarters after Dr. Ghodake joins his assignment at Bangkok. The new Coordinator, APCoAB would thus be based in Bangkok.

- **MoU between DOA and APAARI**

Dr. Paroda explained the background of the MoU needed to create a legal status for APAARI in Thailand (Annexure VIII). DOA representative, Dr. Suwit Chaikiattiyos, informed that discussions with the Ministry of Agriculture, Thailand to sign the MoU are at an advanced stage and very likely the same will be signed in a separate ceremony to be organized with mutual consent.

Agenda 7: Creation of Additional Seat on APAARI Executive Committee and Sharing of CGIAR Seat with AIRCA

Dr. Paroda explained the background of recommendation for creation of an additional seat for the private sector on APAARI Executive Committee. The issue was considered by the Executive Committee in its meeting held on 22 April 2014 in Bangkok. It was recognized that creation of an additional seat would require an amendment in APAARI constitution which needed approval of the General Assembly. Accordingly, a circular was sent to all the members (Annexure IX) seeking their approval for the amendment in APAARI constitution to create an additional seat. A number of favourable responses were received and recorded and also circulated in the meeting for information of members.

The matter for creation of an additional seat for the representation of private sector was put up for the approval of General Assembly and the same was approved unanimously.

Dr. Dyno Keatinge, Director General, World Vegetable Centre (AVRDC), as Chairman of AIRCA/ Association of International Research Centres for Agriculture (non-CG International Research Institutions), had sent a letter suggesting that the Executive Committee seat meant for CGIAR be also open to AIRCA. Dr. Keatinge explained that AVRDC, a member of AIRCA, is also a member of APAARI since 2002 and had been co-organizing several APAARI activities. Hence, AIRCA should have representation on APAARI Executive Committee. Dr. Mark Holderness suggested including representation of all the relevant sectors in the Executive Committee. Dr. Paroda and Prof. A. Halim expressed a similar need of giving representation to universities as well now that many of them have joined APAARI as members. Dr. Thomas Lumpkin and Dr. William Dar suggested that more AIRCA members should first be encouraged to become members of APAARI and when most of the AIRCA members join, the representation of AIRCA on Executive Committee could then be considered.

After further discussion, it was decided that the issue of expanding representation to some more stakeholders be taken up as an agenda for consideration in the next Executive Committee meeting.

Agenda 8: Work Plan and Budget 2015-2016

Dr. Raj Paroda informed that the Work Plan and Budget for 2015-2016 has been prepared for the consideration of the General Assembly. He then requested Dr. Raghunath Ghodake, incoming Executive Secretary to present the same. Accordingly, Dr. Ghodake presented the Work Plan which included: (i) Publications, (ii) Meetings/Expert Consultations/Symposia, (iii) APARIS activities, (iv) APCoAB activities, and (v) Inter-regional and global initiative (Annexure X). He emphasized that the Work Plan is in draft version which could be refined/finalized eventually during the course of further discussion with collaborators/partner organizations and presented to the new Executive Committee for final approval in its April, 2015 meeting. In general, the members appreciated the comprehensive Work Plan and also made some very useful comments such as:

- New activities comprising Experts Consultations/Symposia were suggested on the following topics:
 - (i) Ensuring international exchange and movement of germplasm
 - (ii) Understanding and management of agricultural disasters
 - (iii) Soil health management
 - (iv) Ensuring quality seed delivery and credit for small holder farmers
- The need to demonstrate the impact of APAARI programs on national systems (NARS) was expressed.
- Engagement of private sector in APAARI activities was recommended.
- In view of the changing scenario in agricultural development sector, there is a need for reviewing and refreshing APAARI Work Plan from time to time. Also, the need for clearly setting the priorities and appropriate actions was emphasized.
- Mr. Wen-deh Chen, COA committed to continue cooperation with APAARI in organizing joint programs in biotechnology.
- Ms. Esther Penunia from Asian Farmers' Association mentioned a number of regional and national activities in which it could work jointly with APAARI.
- With respect to the proposed Work Plan activity of organizing joint programs with SAARC and ASEAN, Dr. Dyno Keatinge informed that AVRDC was the Secretariat for ASEAN Vegetable Network.
- Strengthening programs on ICT was recommended.
- It was suggested that APAARI should set up a knowledge Bank on some crops similar to that established by IRRI on rice.
- A revised and updated publication on GM maize in the Philippines was suggested.

Dr. Ghodake presented the budget for 2015-2016 (Annexure XI) and provided justification for each item. The proposed budget was discussed and approved by the General Assembly.

Agenda 9: Formation of Executive Committee for 2015-2016

Dr. Paroda provided background and the details concerning the composition of Executive Committee (Annexure XII) and the procedure being adopted in the past to nominate members of a new Executive

Committee. After due consideration and discussion, the following new Executive Committee for 2015-2016 was approved:

Chair : DOA, Thailand
 Vice-Chair : BARC, Bangladesh
 Members : PCAARRD, Philippines
 : CARP, Sri Lanka
 : DOA, Fiji
 : ACIAR, Australia

Besides, the Executive Committee would have representation of CG centers (to be nominated by the CGIAR Consortium), GFAR, Farmers' Associations (presently AFA), NGO's (presently BRAC) and a representative of the private sector.

All the members of the new Executive Committee thanked the General Assembly for electing them and committed to carry forward APAARI programs with their full support. GAM participants also congratulated the elected office bearers of the new Executive Committee.

Agenda 10: Venue for the next General Assembly Meeting

Sri Lanka, Council of Agricultural Research and Policies (SL CARP) offered to organize the next Executive Committee Meeting and Expert Consultation in October 2015 on a theme of mutual interest to be decided in due course. The members appreciated the offer given by Dr. Kumara of CARP, which was duly accepted. The venue of General Assembly Meeting to be held in 2016 was left open to be decided in due course based on interest to be expressed by APAARI members.

Agenda 11: Any Other Items

- **Status of GCARD 3 and GFAR-MTP**

Dr. Mark Holderness, Executive Secretary, GFAR explained the constitution and activities of GFAR, being a forum of multi-stakeholders in agriculture with the central focus on smallholder farmers. GCARD Road Map aims to bring about systematic change in international and national agricultural research systems so that they effectively address important issues impacting smallholder agricultural development. Under-investment in developing country NARS is a major challenge, improving which is an important focus of GFAR activities. GFAR is also involved in a major process of dialogue through GCARD 3 to shape the next phase of CGIAR CRPs. The program involves national, regional and international consultations with all stakeholders. Dr. Holderness expressed the hope that these initiatives would shift the major focus of international and national stakeholders including NARS, NGOs, private sector and farmers' associations towards improvement of smallholder farmers.

- **Tropical Agricultural Platform (TAP)**

Dr. Ghodake, who has been representing APAARI in TAP meetings, elaborated on the history and activities of TAP and how it is potentially useful to NARS. TAP has been created to focus specifically on capacity development in the least developed countries of the tropical world. Dr. Ghodake mentioned that APAARI has an opportunity to participate in TAP activities through coordination of its activities in some countries of the Asia-Pacific region.

- **Asia-Pacific Agricultural Extension and Outreach Network (APAEON)**

Dr. Kevin Gallagher, FAO RAP focal officer for APAARI apprised the members about the status of APAEON. He gave the background of this network informing that APEON took shape after an Expert Consultation on Agricultural Extension co-organized by FAO, CAPSA and APAARI in 2013. FAO has committed to support this network during its incubation period of 3 years. Executive Committee of the APAEON is expected to be constituted soon after the launch of this Network.

Agenda 12: Presentations of Plaques and Concluding Remarks

Plaque of Honor was presented by Dr. Paroda to Dr. Simon Hearn, the outgoing chairman. Plaques were then presented by the Chairman to the following distinguished members who are either completing their tenure or who have made very valuable contributions towards strengthening of APAARI:

Dr. S. Ayyappan
 Dr. William Dar
 Dr. Masa Iwanaga
 Dr. Thomas Lumpkin
 Dr. Iftikhar Ahmad
 Mr. Inia B. Seruiratu
 Dr. Nguyen Van Bo
 Dr. Raghunath Ghodake
 Dr. Patricio S. Faylon
 Dr. Nick Austin
 Mr. Wen-deh Chen
 Dr. J.L. Karihaloo

In his concluding remarks, Dr. Simon Hearn, Chairman thanked all the participants for their constructive suggestions and approval/endorsement of various proposals made during the meeting. He gave his best wishes to all the retiring participants who he felt would be involving themselves with other important engagements.

Dr. William Dar proposed a resolution to express thanks and appreciation by the General Assembly to the outgoing Executive Secretary, Dr. Raj Paroda for his utmost commitment and outstanding contributions to APAARI. The proposal was welcomed and endorsed by the Chairman as well as all members. The Chairman, while concluding, praised the excellent leadership provided by Dr. Paroda as Executive Secretary, APAARI. His enormous stature and efforts have brought together various stakeholders from all over the Asia-Pacific region under the umbrella of APAARI and hence his contributions will always be remembered.

Dr. Mark Holderness also presented a token of appreciation to Dr. Raj Paroda on behalf of GFAR for his excellent contributions to GFAR and GCARD processes in various important capacities.

Agenda 13: Vote of Thanks

The meeting was closed with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

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| 2. | APAARI Progress Report | : Dr. Raj Paroda |
| 3. | Membership and Fee Payment Status | : Dr. Raj Paroda |
| 4. | Presentation of Audited Accounts and Assets & Liabilities | : Ms. Urairat Rujirek |
| 5. | Appointment of External Auditor | : Members |
| 6. | Secretariat Matters - An Update | |
| | • New Executive Secretary and Recruitment of APCoAB Coordinator | : Dr. Simon Hearn |
| | • MoU between DoA-APAARI | : Dr. Raj Paroda |
| 7. | Creating Additional Seat on APAARI Executive Committee and Sharing of CGIAR Seat with AIRCA | : Dr. Raj Paroda |
| | 10:30 – 11:00 hrs Tea/Coffee Break and Group Photograph | |
| 8. | Work Plan and Budget for 2015-2016 | : Dr. Raj Paroda/
Dr. Raghunath Ghodake |
| 9. | Formation of Executive Committee for 2015-2016 | : Members
(Background to be explained by Dr. Raj Paroda) |
| 10. | Venue of the next General Assembly Meeting | : Members |

11. Any Other Items
- Status of GCARD 3 and GFAR-MTP : Dr. Mark Holderness
 - Progress on the Tropical Agriculture Platform (TAP) : Dr. Raghunath Ghodake
 - Asia-Pacific Agricultural Extension and Outreach Network : Dr. Kevin Gallagher
12. Presentation of Plaques and Concluding Remarks : Dr. Simon Hearn
13. Vote of Thanks : Dr. Raj Paroda



1. Welcome

Dr. Simon Hearn, Chairman, APAARI will deliver his welcome address to APAARI members and all special invitees present.

2. APAARI Progress Report

Dr. Raj Paroda, Executive Secretary will make a brief presentation on main highlights and the progress made since last General Assembly held in New Delhi on 12 October 2012. A brief report on APAARI activities for the period 1 January – 30 June 2014 is attached (Annexure I).

3. Membership and Fee Payment Status

The Executive Secretary (Dr. Raj Paroda) will apprise the Assembly on current status of APAARI membership in different categories (Regular, Associate, Affiliate and Reciprocal), including the efforts being made to increase the membership. Members may advise on ways to increase the membership of APAARI. The current status of membership and the payments received as on 30 September 2014 is given in Annexure II.

4. Presentations of Audited Accounts and Assets & Liabilities

The Audited Accounts report for the period 1 January 2013 – 31 December 2013 (Annexure III), were put up before the Executive Committee and approved in its meeting held on April 2014 in Bangkok. An interim Audited Report for the period 1 January 2014 – 30 September 2014 will also be presented to the members for review and information during the meeting. Details of assets and liabilities will also be put up for the perusal/approval of the members. This item will be presented by the Administrative Associate – Ms. Urairat Rujirek.

5. Appointment of External Auditor

The term of APAARI Auditor is concluding in 2014. This matter was discussed in the last Executive Committee meeting. It was clarified that the guidelines decided earlier for the appointment of new auditor, approved in the Executive Committee meeting in Islamabad, may be followed. Accordingly, the quotations from three Auditors on approved list of the Government of Thailand have been invited. A comparative statement along with approved guidelines for appointment of Auditors is put up for discussion/approval by the members (Annexure IV).

6. Secretariat Matters – An Update

- **New Executive Secretary and Recruitment of APCoAB Coordinator**

Dr. Raghunath Ghodake, former Director General, NARI, Papua New Guinea has been selected for the position of Executive Secretary, APAARI. He is expected to take over as full time Executive Secretary from 1 January 2015 with Headquarters at APAARI Office, 4th Floor, FAO Annex building, 202/1 Larn Luang Road, Pomprab Sattrupai, Bangkok.

The term of Dr. J.L. Karihaloo, Coordinator APCoAB is going to end on 31 January 2015. Hence a new Coordinator will have to be appointed with possible shifting of office from ICRISAT, New Delhi to APAARI Office in Bangkok. The members will be apprised by the Chairman the current status of both the positions and future course of action.

- **MoU between DOA-APAARI**

In order to ensure a legal status for APAARI in Thailand, as per decision of the Executive Committee, steps have been initiated for developing an MoU with the host member NARS i.e. DOA, Thailand. Accordingly, a draft MoU (Annexure V) was developed and sent to DOA to be processed for approval by the Thai Government. The members will be apprised of the current status by the Executive Secretary.

7. Creation Additional Seat on APAARI Executive Committee and Sharing of CGIAR Seat with AIRCA

Representation of private sector in the Executive Committee of APAARI was considered by the Executive Committee in its meeting held in Islamabad on 25 October 2013, and later agreed in principle in its meeting held on 22 April 2014 in Bangkok. It was considered that, creation of an additional seat for the private sector would require an amendment in APAARI Constitution with the approval of General Assembly meeting for which a prior notice of 60 days to members was required. Accordingly, a circular in this regard was sent to all the members (Annexure VI) seeking their approval for the creation of an additional seat. A few responses were received which are also attached for information of members. The matter is now put up for the approval of an additional seat by the General Assembly.

As is seen from the comments attached, Dr. Dyno Keatinge, Director General, World Vegetable Center, as Chairman of AIRCA – Association of International Research Centres for Agriculture (non-CG International Research Institutions), desired that the seat meant for CGIAR be also made open for AIRCA. Accordingly, his suggestion is also put up for consideration of the General Assembly.

8. Work Plan and Budget 2015-2016

A draft Work Plan for the years 2015-2016 has been prepared by the Secretariat (Annexure VII) for seeking specific suggestions and approval of the members. The Work Plan is to cover priority activities such as: (i) Publications (ii) Meetings/Expert Consultations/Symposia (iii) APARIS activities (iv) APCoAB activities and (v) Inter-regional and Global initiatives.

Members are requested to offer their suggestions/specific comments and propose any new activities to be undertaken by APAARI.

Also, tentative budget for the biennium 2015-2016 is reflected in Annexure VIII which members may kindly consider for review/approval.

9. Formation of Executive Committee for 2015-2016

The current APAARI Executive Committee was constituted during the last GAM and its term completes on 31 December, 2014. Dr. Raj Paroda, Executive Secretary will provide the background relating to formation of new Executive Committee for the next biennium (2015-2016). Subsequently, the Chairman will seek nominations from members for endorsement by the GAM. The composition of all previous Executive Committees is given in Annexure IX.

10. Venue of the next General Assembly Meeting

The venue for holding the next General Assembly meeting in 2016 will be discussed. In addition, as per previous practice, APAARI shall organize an Expert Consultation on some important theme alongwith the next GAM. Also, APAARI will be organizing a high level policy forum next year to catalyse NARS for increasing funding support for AR4D in the region. This could be held along with Executive Committee meeting to be organized in October 2015. The choice of hosting both the Expert Consultation/Executive Committee meeting in October 2015 and the General Assembly Meeting in October 2016 will be offered to all members for extending the invitations and for taking a decision by the General Assembly.

11. Any Other Items

- **Status of GCARD 3 and GFAR – MTP**

Dr. Mark Holderness, Executive Secretary, GFAR has been requested to apprise the APAARI members regarding current status of organizing GCARD 3 and also the implementation of strategy of GFAR-MTP. He would highlight specific steps needed to harmonize APAARI workplan for the next biennium (2015-2016) with that of GFAR-MTP so that some activities could be undertaken jointly in the region.

- **Tropical Agriculture Platform (TAP)**

Dr. Raghunath Ghodake has been representing APAARI in the meeting of newly established Tropical Agriculture Platform (TAP), facilitated by FAO, Rome. He will apprise GAM about the outcomes of previous meetings and the current status of TAP. He will also provide details concerning specific likely role of APAARI to strengthen TAP in the Asia-Pacific region.

- **Asia-Pacific Agricultural Extension and Outreach Network (APAEON)**

Dr. Kevin Gallagher, FAO RAP Focal Officer for APAARI has been requested to briefly apprise the members on the status of newly established Asia-Pacific Agriculture Extension and Outreach Network (APAEON).

12. Presentation of Plaques and Concluding Remarks

The Plaques of Honor will be presented by the Chairman, APAARI to some distinguished members either on their retirement/completion of tenure or for their valuable contributions towards strengthening APAARI. Thereafter, Dr. Simon Hearn will present his concluding remarks.

13. Vote of Thanks

Dr. Raj Paroda, Executive Secretary will propose a Vote of Thanks.

Annexure II

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Annexure III

Status of Membership Payment
Contribution by APAARI Members
As on 30 September 2014

S. No.	Country	Payment Category	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
1.	ACIAR - Australia	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
2.	AREEO - Iran	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.		
3.	BAR - Philippines	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
4.	BARC - Bangladesh	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	
5.	CARP - Sri Lanka	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
6.	COA - Chinese Taipei	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
7.	CoRRB - Bhuta	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
8.	DOA - Thailand	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
9.	IAC - New Caledonia	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
10.	ICAR - India	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
11.	JIRCAS - Japan	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
12.	MAFF - Fiji	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
13.	MARD - Vietnam	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
14.	MARDI - Malaysia	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
15.	MAFFM - Samoa	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
16.	NARC - Nepal	III	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
17.	NARI - Papua New Guinea	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
18.	PARC - Pakistan	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
19.	PCAARRD - Philippines	II	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	
20.	RDA - Republic of Korea	I	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.

Status of Contribution by Associate Members
(As on 30 September 2014)

S. No.	Country	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
1.	The World Vegetable Center (AVRDC), Chinese Taipei	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
2.	Bioversity International, Rome, Italy	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
3.	International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT), Mexico	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
4.	International Centre for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA), Syria	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
5.	International Crops Research institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT), India	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
6.	International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), USA	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
7.	International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI), Kenya	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
8.	International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), Manila, Philippines	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	
9.	International Water Management Institute (IWMI), Sri Lanka	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
10.	PNG University of Technology, Papua New Guinea	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
11.	SAARC Agriculture Centre (SAC), Bangladesh	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
12.	CABI South Asia, India				Rec.	Rec.
13.	The World Fish Center, Malaysia	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
14.	Indian Agricultural Universities Association (IAUA), India		Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
15.	International Centre for Research in Agroforestry (ICRAF) India	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
16.	Sam Higginbottom Institute of Agriculture Technology & Sciences (SHIAT), India				Rec.	Rec.

Status of Contribution by Affiliate Members

(As on 30 September 2014)

S. No.	Country	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
1.	Anand Agricultural University (AAU), India	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	
2.	Agriculture Research Institute of Afghanistan (ARIA), Afghanistan				Rec.	Rec.
3.	Birsa Agriculture University (BAU), India	Rec.	Rec.			
4.	Central Agricultural University (CAU), Imphal India	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
5.	Navsari Agricultural University - NAU, Gujarat, India	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	
6.	University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus, Selangor, Malaysia		Rec.			
7.	Universiti Putra Malaysia	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
8.	CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Himachal Pradesh, India		Rec.	Rec.		
9.	CAPSA-UNESCAP, Indonesia			Rec.	Rec.	Rec.
10.	University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore, India			Rec.	Rec.	

Reciprocal Members without Membership Fee

(As on 30 September 2014)

S. No.	Country
1.	Association of Agricultural Research Institutions in the Near East & North Africa (AARINENA), Jordan
2.	Asia Pacific Association of Forest Research Institutions (APAFRI), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
3.	Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Thailand
4.	The Asia & Pacific Seed Association (APSA), Thailand
5.	Central Asia and the Caucasus Association of Agricultural Research Institutions (CACAARI), Uzbekistan
6.	Network of Aquaculture Centres in Asia-Pacific (NACA), Thailand
7.	Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC), Fiji
8.	Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA), Ghana
9.	Asian Farmers' Association for Sustainable Rural Development (AFA), Philippines
10.	Bangladesh Rural & Advancement Committee (BRAC), Bangladesh

SUMMARY ACCOUNT STATEMENT OF APAARI

01 January - 31 December 2013

(Amount in US Dollars)

ITEMS	RECEIVED	DISBURSEMENTS		BALANCE
		Budget	Actual Used	
Amount B/F				1,037,767.90
1. NARS Membership Fee & ACLAR Support	186,000.00			
2. Associate Membership Fee	80,000.00			
3. Affiliate Membership Fee	11,835.26			
4. Funds from (GFAR, FAO, COA, Symposium Co-sponsor & etc.)				
4.1 Receipts and Refunds	142,885.92			
4.2 Profit and Loss on Bank Transfers	3,291.56			
5. Interest Income	22,988.65			
6. Publications		30,000.00	14,273.88	
7. APAARI Secretariat Support:				
7.1 Salary		185,000.00	156,782.79	
7.2 Office Stationery, Postage & Communication		35,000.00	21,159.31	
7.3 Miscellaneous		35,000.00	35,312.43	
8. Consultancy/Travel/SSA/Honorarium		80,000.00	51,108.22	
9. Training/Selected Research Projects/Network Support		80,000.00	15,000.00	
10. Meetings		90,000.00		
10.1 Expenses for APARIS Meeting			17,019.00	
10.2 Expenses for Executive Committee Meeting & Expert Consultation			49,867.85	
10.3 Expenses spent by APAARI on behalf of LoA			49,650.63	
TOTAL	447,001.39	535,000.00	410,174.11	

Exchange Rate: 1 US\$ = 29.74 Baht

Amount in Fixed Account (U.S.Dollar)

Amount in Saving Account (U.S.Dollars)

Amount in Current Account (Baht: 11,815.31)

Amount in Saving Account (Baht:379,923.89)

Cash in hand (Baht 2,251.-)

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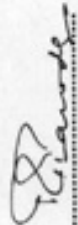
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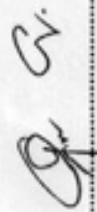
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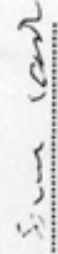
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1,074,595.18

STATEMENT OF FUNDS RECEIVED in 2013
During the period of 1 January - 31 December 2013

Date	Description	12 Revd	13 Revd	Revd :Bht	Eqv. to US\$*	Total Revd :\$
01/01/2013	Investment at ICRISAT					518,822.73
	Amount in Fixed Dollar A/C					505,382.73
	Amount in Saving Dollar A/C					6,043.28
	Amount in Current Baht A/C (176,744.81)					5,943.00
	Amount in Saving Baht A/C (38,495.92)					1,294.42
	Cash in hand (8,379.-)					281.74
	Balance Amount 2012o/f					1,037,767.90
	<u>1. NARS Membership Fees & ACIAR Support</u>					
16/01/2013	From NARI - Papua New Guinea		6,000.00			
29/01/2013	From COA - Chinese Taipei		10,000.00			
05/02/2013	From MARDI - Malaysia		10,000.00			
22/02/2013	From JIRCAS - Japan		10,000.00			
22/03/2013	From BAR - Philippines	6,000.00				
22/03/2013	From Fiji		3,000.00			
31/03/2013	From RDA - Korea		10,000.00			
22/04/2013	From Bhutan		3,000.00			
07/06/2013	From PARC - Pakistan (2011, 2012)	12,000.00				
07/06/2013	From Samoa		3,000.00			
21/06/2013	From Sri Lanka		3,000.00			
30/07/2013	From Nepal		3,000.00			
30/07/2013	From New Caledonia		3,000.00			
27/08/2013	From ICAR - India		10,000.00			
12/09/2013	From ACIAR - Australia		75,000.00			
20/09/2013	From DOA - Thailand		10,000.00			
29/10/2013	From VAAS, Vietnam		3,000.00			
30/12/2013	From PCAARRD - Philippines		6,000.00			
	Sub Total Membership Fees:	18,000.00	168,000.00	0.00	0.00	186,000.00
	<u>2. Associate Membership Fee:</u>					
16/01/2013	From ICRISAT - India		5,000.00			
17/01/2013	From AVRDC - Taipei		5,000.00			
22/01/2013	From IFPRI - USA		5,000.00			
22/01/2013	From ICARDA - Lebanon		5,000.00			
22/01/2013	From CIMMYT - Mexico		5,000.00			
29/01/2013	From IWMI - Sri Lanka		5,000.00			
29/01/2013	From ILRI - Kenya		5,000.00			
12/03/2013	From PNG University		5,000.00			
12/03/2013	From SHIATS - India		5,000.00			
22/03/2013	From World Fish Center		5,000.00			
07/06/2013	From ICRAF - India	5,000.00	5,000.00			
21/06/2013	From SAARC -Bangladesh		5,000.00			
27/06/2013	From Bioversity - Italy		5,000.00			
27/08/2013	From IRRI - Philippines		5,000.00			
29/08/2013	From IAU - India		5,000.00			

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During the period of 1 January - 31 December 2013

Date	Description	12 Revd	13 Revd	Revd :Bht	Eqv. to US\$*	Total Revd :\$
	Sub Total Contributions:	5,000.00	75,000.00	0.00	0.00	80,000.00
	3. Affiliate Membership Fee:					
14/01/2013	From Central Agricultural University	1,500.00				
14/05/2013	From Navsari Agricultural University		1,515.48			
07/06/2013	From ARIA, Afghanistan		1,500.00			
21/06/2013	From CAPSA - Indonesia		1,500.00			
31/07/2013	From Navsari Agricultural University		1,503.59			
14/08/2013	From Central Agricultural University		1,500.00			
28/08/2013	From Anand Agricultural University		1,500.00			
29/11/2013	From University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore		1,316.19			
	Sub Total Affiliate fee:	1,500.00	10,335.26	0.00	0.00	11,835.26
	4. Fund					
	a) Fund support					
29/01/2013	From FAO - second payment LoA/RAP/2012/46		10,000.00			
25/04/2013	From GFAR (first payment)		15,000.00			
07/06/2013	For printing and distribution from IFPRI		970.00			
26/06/2013	From FAO towards the security, name plaque and moving related costs			54,511.00		
08/08/2013	ICRISAT contribution towards co-sponsoring a Regional Workshop on Youth and Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities, 23-24/10/13, Pakistan		5,000.00			
14/08/2013	IFPRI contribution towards co-sponsoring a Regional Workshop on Youth and Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities, 23-24/10/13, Pakistan		5,000.00			
27/08/2013	ICARDA contribution towards co-sponsoring a Regional Workshop on Youth and Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities, 23-24/10/13, Pakistan		5,000.00			
27/08/2013	CIMMYT contribution towards co-sponsoring a Regional Workshop on Youth and Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities, 23-24/10/13, Pakistan		5,000.00			
28/08/2013	From GFAR (second payment)		25,000.00			
29/08/2013	From FAO (first payment, LoA/RAP/2013/54)		15,000.00			
26/09/2013	Bioversity contribution towards co-sponsoring a Regional Workshop on Youth and Agriculture: Challenges and Opportunities, 23-24/10/13, Pakistan		5,000.00			
29/11/2013	From FAO (final payment, LoA/RAP/2013/54)		4,068.00			
29/11/2013	From FAO (first payment, LoA/RAP/2013/73)		25,000.00			
29/11/2013	From FAO (second payment, LoA/RAP/2013/73)		21,500.00			
29/11/2013	From FAO (final payment, LoA/RAP/2012/46)		4,000.00			
	Sub Total Fund support:	0.00	145,538.00	54,511.00	1,832.92	147,370.92
	b) Refund:					
11/02/2013	Refund unspent to FAO for LOA/RAP/2011/112		(4,485.00)			

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Date	Description	12 Revd	13 Revd	Revd :Bht	Eqv. to US\$*	Total Revd :\$
	Sub Total Refund:	-	(4,485.00)	-	-	(4,485.00)
	Sub Total a + b :	-	141,053.00	54,511.00	1,832.92	142,885.92
	4.2 Profit/loss on Transfer from S S/A to B A/C					
11/01/2013	From Baht saving account			1,230.00		
29/01/2013	From Baht saving account			1,200.00		
21/02/2013	From Baht saving account			300.00		
29/05/2013	From Baht saving account			(1,700.00)		
27/08/2013	From Baht saving account			23,000.00		
19/09/2013	From Baht saving account			12,200.00		
28/10/2013	From Baht saving account			12,200.00		
28/10/2013	From Baht saving account			22,900.00		
12/12/2013	From Baht saving account			21,600.00		
29/09/2013	cash left form TOT meeting			4,961.06		
	Sub Total Profit/loss on Transfer:	-	-	97,891.06	3,291.56	3,291.56
	5. Interest Income:					
28/02/2013	From Investment at ICRISAT		17,566.27			
21/06/2013	From Fixed deposit account		2,325.20			
30/06/2013	From Baht saving account			403.24		
05/07/2013	From USD saving account		47.13			
30/12/2013	From Baht saving account			613.89		
30/12/2013	From Fixed deposit account		2,980.82			
30/12/2013	From USD saving account		35.03			
	Sub Total Interest Income:	0.00	22,954.45	1,017.13	34.20	22,988.65
	GRAND TOTAL RCVD in 2013 up to 31/12/2013	24,500.00	417,342.71	153,419.19	5,158.68	447,001.39

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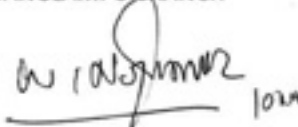
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THIS IS TO CERTIFY FOR THE ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS (APAARI) HAVE MAINTAINED AN ACCOUNT WITH THE SIAM COMMERCIAL BANK PCL. BANGLAMPU BRANCH.

<u>ACCOUNT</u>	<u>AMOUNT AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2013</u>
FIX DEPOSIT DOLLAR A/C NO. 003-100021-0-840	USD 1,046,281.84
SAVING DOLLAR A/C NO. 003-200031-0-840	USD 15,065.52
CURRENT BAHT A/C NO. 003-3-08558-2	THB 11,815.31
SAVING BAHT A/C NO. 003-2-63478-6	THB 379,923.89

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15 January 2014

Subject: Audit Opinion Letter


Attention: Executive Committee of the Asia-Pacific Association Of Agricultural Research Institutions. (APAARI)

AUDIT OPINION LETTER

We have examined the summary account statement of The Asia-Pacific Association Of Agricultural Research Institutions (APAARI) as of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 and the statements of funds received and the comparing statement between budget and actual used for the year then ended. The Institution's management is responsible for the accuracy and completeness of data in these statements. Whereas, we are responsible for presenting its views on the statements, from the audited results.

Our examinations were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records, verification of procurement methodologies followed, and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, proper records have been kept and the summary account statement of The Asia-Pacific Association Of Agricultural Research Institutions (APAARI) as of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 and the statements of funds received and the comparing statement between budget and actual used for the year then ended are presented correctly and reasonably, as they should be and comply with generally accepted accounting principles



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SUMMARY ACCOUNT STATEMENT OF APAARI

01 January – 30 September 2014

(Amount in US Dollars)

ITEMS	RECEIVED	DISBURSEMENTS		BALANCE
		Budget	Actual Used	
Amount B/F				1,073,330.02
1. NARS Membership Fee & ACIAR Support	181,000.00			
2. Associate Membership Fee	75,000.00			
3. Affiliate Membership Fee	7,500.00			
4. Funds from (GFAR, FAO, Symposium Co-sponsor & etc.)				
4.1 Receipts and Refunds	130,455.20			
4.2 Profit and Loss on Bank Transfers	(714.72)			
5. Interest Income	1,135.84			
6. Publications		30,000.00	9,930.78	
7. APAARI Secretariat Support:				
7.1 Salary		190,000.00	101,160.47	
7.2 Office Stationery, Postage & Communication		40,000.00	6,713.22	
7.3 Miscellaneous		35,000.00	17,509.39	
8. Consultancy/Travel/SSA/Honorarium		85,000.00	29,201.37	
9. Training/Selected Research Projects/Network Support		85,000.00	60,000.00	
10. Meetings		95,000.00		
10.1 Expenses for APARIS Meeting			16,054.00	
10.2 Expenses for Executive Committee Meeting & Expert Consultation				
10.3 Expenses spent by APAARI on behalf of LoA				
TOTAL	394,376.32	560,000.00	240,569.23	1,227,137.11

Exchange Rate: 1 US\$ = 32.88 Baht

Amount in Fixed Account (U.S.Dollar)

Amount in Saving Account (U.S.Dollars)

Amount in Current Account (Baht: 2,774.31)

Amount in Saving Account (Baht:150,874.13)

Cash in hand (Baht 3,399)

US\$ 1,047,198.81

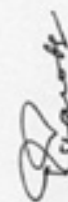
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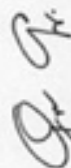
US\$ 4,588.63

US\$ 103.37

TOT: \$1,227,137.11



Dr. Raj Paroda
Executive Secretary APAARI



Ms. Urairat Rujirek
Accountant APAARI



Mr. Wittaya Jenchotsuwan
External Auditor

STATEMENT OF FUNDS RECEIVED in 2014
During the period of 1 January - 30 September 2014

Date	Description	13 Revd	14 Revd	Revd :Bht	Eqs. in US\$*	Total Revd :\$
01/01/14						
	Amount in Fixed Dollar A/C					1,046,281.84
	Amount in Saving Dollar A/C					15,065.52
	Amount in Current Baht A/C (11,815.31)					359.34
	Amount in Saving Baht A/C (379,923.89)					11,554.86
	Cash in hand (2,251.-)					68.46
	Balance Amount 2013:c/f					1,073,330.02
	<u>1. NARS Membership Fees & ACIAR Support</u>					
12/02/14	From NARI - Papua New Guinea		6,000.00			
12/02/14	From Bar - Philippines		6,000.00			
17/02/14	From JIRCAS - Japan		10,000.00			
21/02/14	From CoRRB - Bhutan		3,000.00			
10/03/14	From RDA - Korea		10,000.00			
21/03/14	From COA - Chinese Taipei		10,000.00			
26/03/14	From MAFFM - Samoa		3,000.00			
02/05/14	From New Caledonia		3,000.00			
08/05/14	From PARC - Pakistan	6,000.00	6,000.00			
29/05/14	From MARDI - Malaysia		10,000.00			
09/06/14	From NARC - Nepal		3,000.00			
17/06/14	From Fiji		6,000.00			
23/06/14	From SCARP - Sri Lanka		3,000.00			
14/07/14	From BARC - Bangladesh	6,000.00				
08/08/14	From VAAS - Vietnam		3,000.00			
20/08/14	From DOA - Thailand		10,000.00			
28/09/14	From ACIAR - Australia		77,000.00			
	Sub Total Membership Fees:	12,000.00	169,000.00	0.00	0.00	181,000.00
	<u>2. Associate Membership Fee:</u>					
02/01/14	From CABI - India		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From LAUA - India		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From IWMI - Sri Lanka		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From ICRIAT - India		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From AVREC - Chinese Taipei		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From SHIATS - India		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From CIMMYT - Mexico		5,000.00			
12/02/14	From Bioversity		5,000.00			
21/02/14	From ILRI - Kenya		5,000.00			
10/03/14	From IFPRI - USA		5,000.00			
14/03/14	From SAC - Bangladesh		5,000.00			
14/07/14	From ICARDA - Lebanon		5,000.00			
08/08/14	From PNG University - PNG		5,000.00			
30/09/14	From World Fish Center		5,000.00			
30/09/14	From ICRAF - India		5,000.00			
	Sub Total Contributions:	0.00	75,000.00	0.00	0.00	75,000.00

STATEMENT OF FUNDS RECEIVED in 2014
During the period of 1 January - 30 September 2014

Date	Description	13 Rcvd	14 Rcvd	Rev'd :Bht	Eqv. to US\$*	Total Rev'd :\$
	3. Affiliate Membership Fee:					
04/04/14	From Universiti Putra Malaysia	1,500.00	1,500.00			
14/07/14	From CAPSA-UNESCAP		1,500.00			
08/08/14	Central Agricultural University		1,500.00			
28/09/14	Agriculture Research Institute of Afghanistan		1,500.00			
	Sub Total Affiliate fee:	1,500.00	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	7,500.00
	4. Fund					
	a) Fund support					
14/01/14	From FAO - first payment LoA/RAP/2013/101		9,000.00			
12/02/14	From GFAR (final payment)		10,000.00			
24/04/14	From COA towards APCoAB activities		50,000.00			
19/05/14	From RASI Seeds Private Limited towards co-sponsoring for the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Nutrition and Environmental Security October 30 - November 1, 2014, Thailand		5,000.00			
16/06/14	From FAO - second payment LoA/RAP/2013/101		15,000.00			
23/06/14	From International Plant Nutrition Institute (IPNI) towards co-sponsoring for the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Nutrition and Environmental Security October 30 - November 1, 2014, Thailand		5,000.00			
14/07/14	From FAO - final payment LoA/RAP/2013/73		3,500.00			
14/07/14	From DuPont Pioneer towards co-sponsoring for the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Nutrition and Environmental Security October 30 - November 1, 2014, Thailand		5,000.00			
14/07/14	From Syngenta Foundation for Sustainable Agriculture towards co-sponsoring for the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Nutrition and Environmental Security October 30 - November 1, 2014, Thailand		10,000.00			
30/09/14	Registration fee for the AMC (self sponsored)		5,000.00			
30/09/14	Registration fee for the AMC (self sponsored)		2,000.00			
30/09/14	From BIOSEED towards co-sponsoring for the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Nutrition and Environmental Security October 30 - November 1, 2014, Thailand		9,955.20			
30/09/14	Registration fee for the AMC (self sponsored)		1,000.00			
	Sub Total Fund support:	0.00	130,455.20	0.00	0.00	130,455.20
	b) Refund:					
	Sub Total Refund:	-	-	-	-	-
	Sub Total a + b :	-	130,455.20	-	-	130,455.20

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STATEMENT OF FUNDS RECEIVED in 2014
During the period of 1 January - 30 September 2014

Date	Description	13 Rcvd	14 Rcvd	Revd :Bht	Eqv. to US\$*	Total Revd :\$
	4.2 Profit/loss on Transfer from S.S/A to B.A/C					
03/03/14	From Baht saving account			-4,200.00		
21/04/14	From Baht saving account			-7,600.00		
26/06/14	From Baht saving account			-5,400.00		
30/09/14	From Baht saving account			-6,300.00		
	Sub Total Profit/loss on Transfer:	-	-	(23,500.00)	(714.72)	(714.72)
	5. Interest Income:					
31/05/14	From Fixed deposit account		1,078.80			
14/07/14	From Saving account		36.71			
14/07/14	From Saving account			668.34		
	Sub Total Interest Income:	0.00	1,115.51	668.34	20.33	1,135.84
	GRAND TOTAL RCVD in 2014 up to 30/9/2014	13,500.00	381,570.71	(22,831.66)	(694.39)	394,376.32

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6 October 2014

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Fixed Assets and Depreciation for the year 2014 (AS OF SEPTEMBER)

Sl. No.	Date of Purchase	Description	Acquisition Cost			2013			2014			Book Value		
			Balt	RS	US\$	ACCU. Depreciation			ACCU. Depreciation			Balt	RS	US\$
						Balt	RS	US\$	Balt	RS	US\$			
Office Equipments														
1	25/02/02	Typewriter	28,000.00	-	933.32	27,596.00	-	933.29	-	27,599.00	-	933.29	1.00	0.03
2	27/01/02	Digital Camera	26,100.00	-	869.20	25,596.00	-	869.17	-	26,099.00	-	869.17	1.00	0.03
3	27/01/02	CD Projector (Sony)	172,600.00	-	5,753.33	172,596.00	-	5,753.30	-	172,599.00	-	5,753.30	1.00	0.03
4	16/09/03	Computer (Compaq) 2	58,900.00	-	1,983.33	58,896.00	-	1,983.30	-	58,899.00	-	1,983.30	1.00	0.03
4	08/03	Air conditioner "Toshiba"	30,000.00	-	1,300.00	30,596.00	-	1,299.97	-	30,999.00	-	1,299.97	1.00	0.03
5	10/11/04	Laptop "Toshiba"	56,460.00	-	1,943.87	55,456.00	-	1,943.84	-	58,459.00	-	1,943.84	1.00	0.03
6	10/11/04	Fax Machine "HP 4750"	8,590.00	-	286.33	8,586.00	-	286.32	-	8,989.00	-	286.32	1.00	0.03
7	22/06/05	Printer "Hewlett-Packard 1300"	5,690.00	-	187.38	5,690.00	-	187.23	-	5,599.00	-	187.23	1.00	0.03
8	17/10/06	Calculator "Casio"	850.00	-	25.36	849.00	-	25.35	-	849.00	-	25.35	1.00	0.03
9	27/03/06	Computer (Compaq)	28,845.00	-	961.35	28,844.00	-	961.32	-	28,844.00	-	961.32	1.00	0.03
10	16/11/06	Scanner "Epson 3010"	5,690.00	-	193.66	5,689.00	-	193.62	-	5,690.00	-	193.62	1.00	0.03
7	12/10/07	2 second-hand printer	53,000.00	-	1,833.00	52,999.00	-	1,833.00	-	52,999.00	-	1,833.00	1.00	0.03
11	29/07/07	Laptop "PalmSecure"	51,638.00	-	1,542.35	51,637.00	-	1,542.32	-	51,637.00	-	1,542.32	1.00	0.03
12	28/11/08	Scanner "HP4010"	8,288.00	-	283.63	8,287.00	-	283.60	-	8,267.00	-	283.60	1.00	0.03
13	3/02/08	Telephone set "Panasonic"	3,593.00	-	122.05	3,593.00	-	122.02	-	3,590.00	-	122.02	1.00	0.03
14	24/02/08	Printer "Canon HP4500"	4,589.00	-	167.10	4,579.00	-	167.07	-	4,579.00	-	167.07	1.00	0.03
11	31/03/08	Refugee for Mitsubishi	7,993.00	-	264.41	7,999.00	-	264.38	-	7,998.00	-	264.38	1.00	0.03
15	21/05/08	Laptop "HP4115T"	81,484.00	-	1,680.82	81,483.00	-	1,680.79	-	81,483.00	-	1,680.79	1.00	0.03
12	27/08/08	Thermal Printer	3,073.00	-	94.52	3,069.00	-	94.49	-	3,069.00	-	94.49	1.00	0.03
13	12/09/08	Micro Wave "Sharp"	3,073.00	-	122.05	3,069.00	-	122.02	-	3,586.00	-	122.02	1.00	0.03
16	23/05/09	Photocopy machine canon	71,520.00	-	2,187.21	71,499.00	-	2,187.18	-	71,496.00	-	2,187.18	1.00	0.03
17	28/11/09	Laptop "Sony VGN"	58,143.00	-	1,766.19	57,282.80	-	1,740.06	-	58,142.80	-	1,740.06	1.00	0.03
18	28/11/10	Hard disc 2.5" 320GB+2TB	5,500.00	-	166.67	4,315.62	-	130.78	-	4,315.62	-	130.78	1.00	2.58
19	21/01/11	Laptop "Sony VAIO"	40,774.22	-	1,222.30	39,798.89	-	963.31	-	39,953.74	-	1,107.77	3,920.49	114.53
20	16/07/11	Mobile Phone "Nokia 5800"	7,290.00	-	220.91	4,937.34	-	147.10	-	4,937.34	-	147.10	914.66	29.54
21	26/07/11	Bluetooth Jabra	2,690.00	-	81.52	1,792.35	-	54.32	-	2,330.35	-	70.62	329.65	15.96
22	16/07/11	New book "Apple MC724THA"	48,191.00	-	1,642.00	27,416.83	-	915.92	-	37,247.03	-	1,244.32	11,903.97	397.86
23	16/07/11	Printer Brother	6,990.00	-	231.69	3,772.68	-	120.05	-	46.34	-	5,170.68	171.39	56.36
24	30/08/11	PAD W-LAN 64GB White AT&T	30,978.76	-	978.81	15,502.24	-	486.64	-	37,686.19	-	684.96	9,233.57	281.68
25	25/11/11	Fuji Xerox Multifunction	19,500.00	-	646.34	8,194.66	-	271.29	-	12,964.69	-	420.65	7,419.34	245.79
26	25/11/11	Computer HP Slimline	31,000.00	-	1,027.51	13,011.51	-	435.27	-	203.50	-	636.77	11,768.48	360.74
27	16/12/12	Laptop	45,938	-	935.22	15,732.19	-	326.28	-	187.64	-	34,819.78	507.35	427.80
28	26/12/12	Whore 48 inch LCD	30,855.50	-	837.16	8,637.16	-	273.19	-	151.38	-	15,028.28	494.56	482.36
29	13/01/12	Security Office 20"	14,850.00	-	482.21	4,119.32	-	136.47	-	234.51	-	234.51	7,702.68	261.30
30	27/01/12	Samsung Galaxy SII	14,850.00	-	482.21	4,003.49	-	132.89	-	86.44	-	6,973.45	7,878.60	261.57

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Fixed Assets and Depreciation for the year 2014 (AS OF SEPTEMBER)

Sr. No.	Date of Purchase	Description	Acquisition Cost			2013 ACCU. Depreciation			2014 ACCU. Depreciation			Book Value		
			Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$
31	31/01/12	HP Laser Jet printer	-	21,300	382.58	-	5,695.56	102.30	-	9,955.56	178.82	-	11,344.44	203.76
32	30/1/12	HP Laser Jet printer	-	22,399	421.45	-	5,876.08	112.45	-	10,353.08	196.14	-	12,054.32	230.31
33	16/11/12	Cord water	3,800.00	-	125.95	855.78	-	24.36	790.00	-	53.55	2,184.22	-	72.40
34	21/11/12	Desk Laptop for Dr.pandora	-	73,185	1,387.66	-	16,281.16	308.71	-	30,918.16	586.24	-	42,266.84	801.42
35	23/12/12	Trans air condition 2 sets	64,735.00	-	2,144.67	13,974.67	-	463.23	13,047.00	-	277.53	37,812.33	-	1,253.31
40	11/1/13	APC Online UPS 2.2kVVA-Batteries(4nos.)	-	68,500	1,281.97	-	13,700.00	263.39	-	27,400.00	504.79	-	41,100.00	797.16
36	30/1/13	Electric water	2,190.00	-	73.64	403.20	-	14.73	438.00	-	28.29	1,348.80	-	45.35
37	31/1/13	Brother Fax-878	3,090.00	-	103.90	16,07	-	30.78	1,185.31	-	39.85	1,904.79	-	64.05
38	26/4/13	LED TV Samsung PS55	35,891.00	-	1,200.10	4,880.18	-	164.40	7,138.20	-	240.02	23,663.62	-	795.68
39	15/6/13	Non-book Dell-4423	27,140.00	-	913.52	2,974.26	-	100.01	5,438.00	-	182.52	18,737.75	-	630.06
41	28/6/13	Samsung S-Curve 25kts	25,000	-	413.29	-	2,561.64	42.35	-	5,000.00	82.66	-	17,438.36	288.28
42	28/6/13	Samsung S-Curve 15kts	12,500	-	206.65	-	1,280.82	21.17	-	3,760.82	62.59	-	8,716.13	144.15
43	23/10/13	1 airconditioner Hitachi	30,500	-	490.67	-	1,169.88	18.82	-	6,100.00	98.13	-	23,230.14	373.72
44	2/11/13	2 airconditioner Hitachi	1,000	-	18.50	-	282.01	4.16	-	2,956.00	46.06	-	1,743.99	27.16
45	11/1/14	IPAD AIR 64GB-4/17G	61,800	-	1,009.66	-	-	-	12,320.00	-	201.83	-	49,280.00	807.73
46	7/3/14	Desk Laptop	56,500	-	914.24	-	-	-	9,287.67	-	150.26	-	47,212.33	763.95
47	17/6/14	Samsung LED TV	30,900	-	523.86	-	-	-	3,352.44	-	56.84	-	27,547.56	467.02
Total			1,151,044.49	482,801	45,105.16	907,322.07	82,509.33	35,117.77	79,082.50	150,279.64	34,243.98	164,638.93	312,521.36	10,861.18
Office Furniture														
1	5/3/93	Meeting table	13,562.50	-	451.75	13,551.50	-	451.72	-	13,581.50	451.72	1.00	-	0.03
2	5/10/98	Cabinet (with mirror)	23,200.00	-	773.00	23,199.00	-	772.97	-	23,199.00	772.97	1.00	-	0.03
3	23/7/03	Armchairs	20,000.00	-	666.66	19,999.00	-	666.63	-	19,999.00	666.63	1.00	-	0.03
5	25/3/04	Cabinet (Soho)	3,488.20	-	116.27	3,487.20	-	116.24	-	3,487.20	116.24	1.00	-	0.03
6	27/4/04	Computer table	3,500.00	-	116.66	3,499.00	-	116.63	-	3,499.00	116.63	1.00	-	0.03
8	16/8/07	Cabinet (bulkin)	130,000.00	-	3,882.91	129,999.00	-	3,882.88	-	129,999.00	3,882.88	1.00	-	0.03
9	15/8/07	Computer table	2,790.00	-	83.33	2,789.00	-	83.30	-	2,789.00	83.30	1.00	-	0.03
10	15/8/07	Visitor chair	6,770.00	-	202.21	6,769.00	-	202.18	-	6,769.00	202.18	1.00	-	0.03
11	12/8/10	Executive Table	84,550	-	1,627.32	87,308.68	-	1,704.87	18,910.00	-	366.46	68,398.68	-	1,238.41
12	12/8/10	sofa set (2 seater)	22,000	-	475.47	-	14,911.78	322.26	4,400.00	-	95.09	19,311.78	417.37	2,688.22
13	11/1/13	Partition 100x120cm(2 sets)	35,178.79	-	1,182.81	35,178.79	-	1,182.81	228.59	-	466.64	21,296.82	-	716.17
14	15/1/13	meeting table 300x120cm(chairs)	26,700.00	-	897.78	5,135.18	-	172.87	179.56	-	352.22	16,224.82	-	945.56
15	30/3/13	Board room	16,000.00	-	295.25	3,106.85	-	104.47	121.05	-	225.52	11,283.15	-	378.73
16	30/6/13	wooden tabletop board	43,000	-	710.86	-	4,368.90	72.06	8,600.00	-	142.17	12,558.90	-	496.63
Total			283,177.49	149,550	11,992.28	218,377.34	76,579.37	8,432.68	15,975.36	234,352.69	9,572.58	48,824.80	43,060.63	2,419.79
Vehicle														
1	16/1/12	Hum Glamour Bike	96,165	-	1,742.30	-	-	-	13,233.00	-	248.46	-	-	507.13
Total			-	96,165	1,742.30	-	25,932.18	486.71	-	39,155.18	735.17	-	27,009.82	507.13
office renovation														

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Fixed Assets and Depreciation for the year 2014 (AS OF SEPTEMBER)

Sl. No.	Date of Purchase	Description	Acquisition Cost			2013 ACCU. Depreciation			Depreciation			2014 ACCU. Depreciation			Book Value		
			Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$	Baht	RS	US\$
31	31/8/12	HP Laser Jet printer	21,300	362.58	102.39	5,695.68	102.39	16.52	1,500.00	1,500.00	18.82	9,955.96	18.82	203.76	-	11,344.44	203.76
32	9/6/12	Head phone BOSS	22,385	428.45	112.45	5,876.08	112.45	85.69	4,477.60	4,477.60	108.14	10,353.68	108.14	230.31	-	12,034.32	230.31
33	16/11/12	Cool water	3,800.00	125.95	28.36	865.78	28.36	762.00	14,637.00	25.19	1,615.78	37.73	30,918.16	63.55	2,184.22	42,266.84	72.40
34	21/11/12	Cool Laptop for Dr. Somsak	73,185	1,387.66	308.71	16,281.16	308.71	463.23	12,947.00	429.13	26,922.67	862.36	37,812.33	1,253.31	-	41,100.00	757.18
35	3/12/12	Frame air condition 2 sets	64,735.00	2,145.87	13,975.67	13,975.67	252.39	13,700.00	438.00	14.73	84.00	27,400.00	504.79	48.39	-	1,348.40	48.39
40	1/1/13	APC Online UPS 2.2kVPS-Batteries (Nnos)	68,500	1,281.97	13.56	403.20	19.07	19.07	618.00	20.78	1,185.21	39.85	1,904.79	64.06	-	1,904.79	64.06
36	30/1/13	Electric water	2,180.00	73.64	19.07	567.21	19.07	19.07	7,126.20	40.02	12,007.39	28.42	23,933.62	79.56	-	23,933.62	79.56
37	31/1/13	Brother Fax-878	3,090.00	103.90	20.10	200.10	100.01	100.01	5,428.00	182.52	8,402.25	282.52	18,737.75	633.06	-	18,737.75	633.06
38	26/4/13	LED TV Samsung P6551	35,691.00	688.12	164.40	2,581.64	164.40	164.40	3,000.00	41.33	3,780.82	62.90	8,715.18	144.15	-	8,715.18	144.15
39	15/6/13	Note book Dell-6423	27,140.00	912.58	21.17	2,974.25	21.17	21.17	6,100.00	98.13	7,268.86	116.95	23,230.14	373.72	-	23,230.14	373.72
41	25/6/13	Sony camera	25,000	420.07	18.82	1,102.86	18.82	18.82	2,868.00	46.00	3,160.51	50.18	11,328.99	179.84	-	11,328.99	179.84
42	28/6/13	Samsung S-Duos 18ets	12,500	206.65	21.17	1,280.82	21.17	21.17	12,320.00	201.93	201.93	12,320.00	201.93	807.73	-	49,280.00	807.73
43	25/7/13	Sony camera	30,500	492.07	18.82	1,102.86	18.82	18.82	3,287.87	150.29	150.29	9,267.87	150.29	783.95	-	47,212.33	783.95
44	28/11/13	Sony camera	14,490	230.00	4.16	352.01	4.16	4.16	3,352.44	56.84	56.84	3,352.44	56.84	467.02	-	27,547.56	467.02
45	1/1/14	IPAD Air 64GB-3279	61,500	1,009.66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	7/3/14	Dell E-6405	96,000	914.24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	17/6/14	Samsung LED TV	30,000	523.66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total			1,151,044.43	462,891	45,105.16	907,322.07	62,559.33	30,117.77	79,082.56	87,270.31	4,176.31	986,404.56	150,276.64	34,243.98	164,639.93	312,521.36	10,861.18
1	9/2/03	Meeting table	13,552.50	-	451.75	13,551.50	-	451.72	-	-	-	13,551.50	-	451.72	1.00	-	0.03
2	5/10/04	Cabinet (with minor)	23,200.00	-	773.00	23,199.00	-	772.97	-	-	-	23,199.00	-	772.97	1.00	-	0.03
3	23/7/03	Armchair	20,000.00	-	666.66	19,999.00	-	666.63	-	-	-	19,999.00	-	666.63	1.00	-	0.03
5	25/3/04	Cabinet (Bak)	3,488.20	-	116.63	3,487.20	-	116.63	-	-	-	3,487.20	-	116.63	1.00	-	0.03
6	27/4/04	Computer table	3,500.00	-	116.66	3,499.00	-	116.63	-	-	-	3,499.00	-	116.63	1.00	-	0.03
8	16/8/07	Computer table	15,000.00	-	500.00	14,999.00	-	500.00	-	-	-	14,999.00	-	500.00	1.00	-	0.03
9	19/8/07	Computer table	2,790.00	-	93.33	2,789.00	-	93.30	-	-	-	2,789.00	-	93.30	1.00	-	0.03
10	19/8/07	Computer table	6,770.00	-	222.21	6,769.00	-	222.18	-	-	-	6,769.00	-	222.18	1.00	-	0.03
11	12/8/10	Executive Table	84,550	1,527.32	-	57,308.68	1,238.97	-	16,910.00	365.46	-	74,218.68	1,604.04	-	10,331.32	223.26	-
12	12/8/10	Executive Table	22,000	475.47	-	14,911.78	322.28	-	4,400.00	95.09	-	19,311.78	417.37	-	2,688.22	58.10	-
13	11/1/13	Partition 100x120cm(2 set)	35,178.79	1,182.81	6,842.61	230.08	7,035.36	230.08	238.56	13,877.97	466.64	31,798.87	716.17	-	16,224.82	545.56	-
14	15/1/13	Meeting table 300x120cm+chairs	26,700.00	897.78	5,135.16	172.67	5,340.00	172.67	179.56	10,475.18	352.22	25,524.82	545.56	-	11,293.15	378.73	-
15	20/2/13	Book rack	18,000.00	605.35	3,106.85	104.47	3,600.00	104.47	121.05	6,700.85	225.52	17,398.15	378.73	-	30,041.10	496.63	-
16	30/6/13	wooden table/cup board	43,000	710.86	-	4,358.90	72.06	-	8,600.00	142.17	-	12,958.90	214.23	-	48,824.80	843.52	-
Total			283,177.49	149,550	11,992.28	218,377.34	76,579.37	8,432.68	15,975.36	25,910.00	1,129.90	234,352.99	106,489.37	9,572.58	48,824.80	43,060.63	2,419.79
1	16/1/12	Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	16/1/12	Hyundai Getz	66,165	1,242.30	-	25,922.18	486.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
office renovation			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Fixed Assets and Depreciation for the year 2014 (AS OF SEPTEMBER)

Sr. No.	Date of Purchase	Description	Acquisition Cost			2013			2014			Book Value		
			Rs	US\$		Rs	US\$	Accu. Depreciation	Rs	US\$		Rs	US\$	
1	11/1/13	office renovation	484,348.77	16,067.37		94,215.79	3,125.43		191,085.54	6,338.91		293,263.23	8,728.46	
		Total	484,348.77	16,067.37	-	94,215.79	3,125.43	-	191,085.54	6,338.91	-	293,263.23	8,728.46	-

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Appointment of External Auditor

The procedure for appointment of External Auditor was discussed and approved by the Executive Committee in its meeting held in Islamabad on 24 October 2013 which is given below.

Procedure for Appointment of Auditor

For each biennium, the appointment of Auditor shall be made by inviting quotations from qualified Auditors that are on the approved list of the Government of Thailand. Based on experience and performance of the concerned Auditor, the contract for auditing will be allowed initially for two years, which can be extended only for another two years (total duration of 4 years). Beyond this, the auditor must be changed.

The jobs assigned will include: i) audit certificate giving details of expenditure, receipts and balance, ii) review of assets register as well as bank accounts, iii) getting certificates from the Bank Managers concerned.

Proposal for Appointment of Auditor and Audit Fee for the period 2015-2016

Three companies responded to invitation for providing auditing services:

S. No.	Company	Professional Fee/year	Name
1.	Accounting Corner Company Limited	40,000	Ms. Niramal Kevallee, Certified Public Account No. 7966
2.	A Group of Persons Proplus	35,000	Mr. Vithaya jenchotsuwan Certified Public Account No. 2597
3.	GAAP Professional Audit Co., LTD	30,000	Mrs. Wirairuk Kurathong Certified Public Account No. 4897

Letters from the above three companies will be provided during the meeting.

Members may kindly review and decide as to who from the three be appointed as auditor for the biennium 2015-2016.



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ACCOUNTING CORNER COMPANY LIMITED

99/1101 หมู่ 5 ตำบลนาบึงนาราง อำเภอสากเหล็ก จังหวัดพิจิตร 31110 โทร 0-2950-8294 แฟกซ์ 0-2950-8295

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At ACC 2014/001

June 16, 2014

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS.

Subject: Audit Proposal

Dear Financial Controller: ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS.

It is our great pleasure for this opportunity given us to Audit the financial statements for ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS for the year ended on December 31, 2014.

The objective, extent of our audit and audit fee are presented as follows:

Scope and Limitation of Audit

Our examination will be made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards include such tests of accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances so as to express on opinion to whether the financial statements present fairly the financial position of ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS as at December 31, 2014 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principals applied on a consistent basis and also to report on the significant matter base on our audit.

Regarding the objective of the examination described above and the limitation of internal control, therefore, we cannot cover all errors and fraud. However, if a weakness in internal control comes to our notice, we will bring it to your attention via management letter.

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS will cooperate with us in preparing all the requested information, related accounting and other documents, all financial reports, letter of representation, etc. for audit and report issuance.



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ACCOUNTING CORNER COMPANY LIMITED

เลขที่ 6 หมู่ 6 ตำบลนาบึงหลวง อำเภอนาโพธิ์ จังหวัดหนองบัวลำภู 17118 โทร 0-82003-8204 แฟกซ์ 0-2000-8285

Professional Fee

Our professional fee is calculated based upon time occupied on the audit work and financial reports preparation including our team staffs' qualification, responsibilities, experiences and expertise. The estimated fee is base on the understanding that the accounting transactions, books, records, and related documents are properly maintained in according to the regulations and the professional standards. Professional fee 40,000. (forty thousand baht only)

Furthermore, to ensure flexibility in the operation of the control work and the preparation of audit reports, we request you to make a letter appointing Ms. Niramol Kevalee Certified Public Accountant no. 7966 under Accounting corner Co.,Ltd. to be your company official auditor.

We are looking forward for your consideration to give us this opportunity to serve you. Should there be any aspect on which you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us. We shall be obliged if you would acknowledge this matter and confirm your acceptance of its contents by signing at the end of this proposal, please return us the copy enclosed via registered mail.

Yours faithfully,

(Ms.Pavinee Sangchot)

Director

Accounting Corner Co., Ltd.

Accepted and agreed

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FINANCIAL CONTROLLER

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS.

Date:...../...../.....


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ACCOUNTING CORNER COMPANY LIMITED

99/1101 หมู่ 6 ตำบลบางบัวทอง อำเภอบางบัวทอง จังหวัดนนทบุรี 11110 โทร 0-2990-0294 แฟกซ์ 0-2990-0295

Experience of According to the following

no	name	Registration number	capital
1	Thai Akira Engineering co.,ltd.	0125546009666	5,000,000
2	Pothanaboon co.,ltd.	0105552006487	5,000,000
3	Robere & Associates (Thailand) co.,ltd.	0105535164827	4,000,000
4	SP Steel Engineering	0123545004847	2,000,000
5	CK wins Inter trading co.,ltd.	0105557009433	1,000,000
6	Advanced Autopidics Solution co.,ltd.	0105556063973	1,000,000
7	Project Evolution Audio Nack co.,ltd.	0105548150889	1,000,000
8	Bangkok Intertrade co.,ltd.	0105549093978	1,000,000
9	New Innovation Consultant co.,ltd.	0105548128638	1,000,000
10	Micro Industry co.,ltd.	0105547048002	1,000,000
11	2 Of Them co.,ltd.	0105553035855	1,000,000
12	JP vision co.,ltd.	0135551001945	1,000,000
13	Case Study co.,ltd.	0105552015460	1,000,000
14	Lapthavikit Home Centre co.,ltd.	0125553015315	1,000,000
15	SR Engineering steel co.,ltd.	0105546112823	1,000,000

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4/8 หมู่ 11 ต.บ้านกลาง อ.บ้านกลาง จ.สุพรรณบุรี โทร 08-0980-5117

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At PP 2014/001

Date 23 April 2014

Subject : Proposal for audit fee for the year ended December 31, 2014.

To : Executive Secretary;
ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS. (APAARI)

Refer to your purpose to give us present a proposal of auditing the financial statements for your Institution. We are pleased to summary a scope of audit, audit fee, and payment condition below:

1. Scope of Service

Our examination will be made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards include such tests of accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances so as to express on opinion to whether the financial statements present fairly the financial position of ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS (APAARI) as at December 31, 2014 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principals applied on a consistent basis and also to report on the significant matter base on our audit.

Regarding the objective of the examination described above and the limitation of internal control, therefore, we cannot cover all errors and fraud. However, if a weakness in internal control comes to our notice, we will bring it to your attention via management letter.

Basically the fair presentation of financial statements and adequate disclosure are the responsibility of the management of each institution which included the accounting policies adaptation, sufficiently accounting details and sound system of internal control. Therefore, the letter of representation has to be issued covering the matters thereto for us.

2. The professional fee

Our professional fee is calculated based upon time occupied on the audit work and financial reports preparation including our team staffs' qualification, responsibilities, experiences and expertise. The estimated fee is base on the understanding that the accounting transactions, books, records, and related documents are properly maintained in according to the regulations and the professional standards.

Professional fee 35,000.- (Thirty-five thousands baht only)

Furthermore, to ensure flexibility in the operation of the control work and the preparation of audit reports, we request you to make a letter appointing Mr. Vithaya Jenchotsuwan Certified Public Accountant no. 2597 to be your Institutions auditor.

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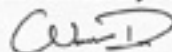
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3. Term of Payment

We will send invoice and payment these will respond from us within 7 days after receive invoice.

Please be informed for your regarding, if you need us to be auditing for your institution, please sign on the end of this proposal and return us by e-mail : wanutch_d@hotmail.com will be pleased.

With Sincerely Regarding



(Mrs. Wanutchada Dumnernsawat)
Director

Accepted and agreed

(.....)

Executive Secretary

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS.

Date...../...../.....

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Group of Persons Proplus

Audited Financial Statement to the following company:

1. Star Lap Ltd.
2. Thai Olive Ltd.
3. Phongsrichan Company
4. Phongsin Engineering Ltd.
5. S.P. Steel Engineering Ltd.
6. Sin Nikon Property Ltd.
7. Can Asia Product Ltd.
8. Thai Akira Engineering Ltd.



บริษัท จีเอเอพี โปรเฟสชั่นแนล ออดิท จำกัด

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April 18, 2014

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS

Attn.: Dr. Raj Paroda

Executive Secretary APAARI

Re : Audit of the financial statement for the year ended December 31, 2014

Dear Sir,

We have been approached to audit the financial statement of ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS for the year ended December 31, 2014. We feel honored to accept the engagement. The extent of our audit and audit fee are as follows :

Scope and Limitation of Audit

Our examination will be made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly include such tests of accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances so as to express an opinion as to whether the financial statements present fairly the financial position of ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS as at December 31, 2014, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis.

Regarding the objective of the examination described above and the limitation of internal control, therefore, we cannot cover all errors and fraud. However, if a weakness in internal control comes to our notice, we will bring it to your attention via management letter.

Basically the fair presentation of financial statements and adequate disclosure are the responsibility of the management which included the accounting policies adaptation, sufficiently accounting details and sound system of internal control. Therefore, the letter of representation has to be issued covering the matters thereto for us.



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Professional fee

It should be explained that our charges are based upon the time occupied on the work carried out, and are also dependent upon the staff required, having regard to the degree of responsibility and skill involved.

We anticipate that our charges will be Baht 30,000. (Thirty thousands baht only)

The above estimate is based on the understanding that the books and records of the company are property maintained in according to the laws and professional standards.

If during the course of our examination we find it necessary to expand the scope of our audit for reasons which are not foreseen at the beginning. We may need to revise our estimated fee. However, we will inform you immediately if such a situation arise.

Should there be any aspects on which you require information, please do not hesitate to let us know. We shall be obliged if you would acknowledge this matter and confirm your acceptance of its contents by signing and returning to us the copy enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

Wisairuk Kurathong

(MRS. WIRAIKUR KURATHONG)

MANAGER DIRECTOR

No. 4897

Accepted and greed

DR. RAJ PARODA

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS

Date...../...../.....



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GAAP PROFESSIONAL AUDIT COMPANY LIMITED

The company's portfolio

Audited financial statements to the company following.

	Company Name	Capital Sectors	Type of company capital
1	DK Painting and Service Ltd.,part.	500,000	Paint Contractors
2	PRC Delight Ltd.,part.	600,000	Milk dealer
3	Grew grow Plus Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Television Production and Advertising
4	Kawsumlee Lawyer Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	law firms and lawyers.
5	Copern Engineering Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Supply Air filter
6	Gemcon Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Engineering consultancy
7	SMT Supply Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Production and distribution of premium.
8	Bangkok Soon Huad Ltd.,part.	1,000,000	Sales of imported fruits and dried food.
9	Poonatech Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Sales of machinery and imported parts.
10	Famous Clothing Uniform Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Garment services
11	Macore Equipment Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Construction
12	Pongpanod Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Production and distribution Clothing
13	OHSC Holding Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Distribution pipes, stainless steel, aluminum, brass, copper.
14	ST Mitt Engineering co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Electrical Contractor
15	SR Engineering Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Installation Services
16	MMI marketing Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Member Agent in Thailand
17	Nasei Metrology Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Machinery dealer
18	KP Automotive Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Car Wash Center
19	Foodya (Thailand) Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Export fresh fruit
20	Triple S Thaifood Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Export fresh fruit
21	Triple Graw Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Design, Advertising and Public Relations
22	Dinamic Education Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Educational Advisory Abroad
23	Punya Vijitra Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Distribution pipes, stainless steel, aluminum, brass, copper.
24	C & C Home Co.,Ltd.	1,000,000	Decorative products
25	Fatech Works Co.,Ltd.	1,200,000	Installation of insulated panel for cold storage.
26	Modern Part Co.,Ltd.	2,000,000	manufacture spare parts



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GAAP PROFESSIONAL AUDIT COMPANY LIMITED

	Company Name	Capital Sectors	Type of company capital
27	Fha Chaiyo Co.,Ltd.	3,000,000	Rent a motorboat
28	Chokananthakarn Co',Ltd.	5,000,000	Design and interior.
29	Newlook Product Co.,Ltd.	5,000,000	production and distribution of products made of plastic.
30	Ow Hiab Seng Chiang Ltd.Part.	5,000,000	Distribution pipes, stainless steel, aluminum, brass, copper.
31	Glerdini Co.,Ltd.	5,000,000	Stationery Learning and teaching
32	Bowins Future Co.,Ltd.	5,000,000	Contractors melting silver Ems
33	International Rice Engineering Co.,Ltd.	5,000,000	Production of rice mills
34	P.Industry and Service(1999) part.,Ltd..	5,000,000	manufacture spare parts
35	Bowins Silver Co.,Ltd.	10,000,000	Hire of 99.99% pure silver.
36	Vijitraporn Rangsi Co.,Ltd	10,000,000	Manufacture and distribution of stainless steel.
37	O.H.S.C. Trading Co.,Ltd.	10,000,000	steel and stainless steel.
38	Fila Plus Co.,Ltd.	20,000,000	Cotton thread production and distribution
39	Envelex (Thailand) Co.,Ltd.	22,000,000	Exporting building materials.
40	Uflow Plus Co.,Ltd.	30,000,000	Production and distribution of water

Annexure VIII**Draft**

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)
between
THE ASIA-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS
(APAARI)
Bangkok, Thailand
THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DoA)
Bangkok, Thailand
on
COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS TO STRENGTHEN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE ASIA PACIFIC REGION

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) constitutes an arrangement between the Asia-Pacific Association of Agricultural Research Institutions (APAARI) hereinafter called “APAARI” and Department of Agriculture hereinafter called “DoA” collectively called ‘the Parties’ to engage in collaborative activities of common interest and mutual benefit, to strengthen agricultural research and development.

Article I

PREAMBLE

DoA and APAARI mutually desire to collaborate and promote agricultural research for development (AR4D) in the Asia-Pacific region. Both the organizations are in agreement to the effect that:

- i) Collaboration is beneficial in achieving their overall programs and useful in helping to meet their stated goals;
- ii) Have already established collaborative linkages with other regional, international and non-governmental organizations, international research centers and centers of higher learning and research throughout the world;
- iii) Desire to increase their existing knowledge base; and
- iv) Wish to develop mutually beneficial processes of cooperation and exchange.

Article II

MODES OF COOPERATION

This MoU is intended to facilitate further strengthening of AR4D activities. Both parties agree to the following:

- i) To share resources, as well as responsibility for management of joint programs and projects;
- ii) To organize activities of mutual interest including conferences, workshops and training programs in fulfillment of their missions;
- iii) To publish the results of research and collaborative work jointly by staff from both parties, and
- iv) To facilitate training in related areas.

Article III

FUNDING OBLIGATIONS

Both the parties agree that this MoU does not entail any funding obligation, nor does it constitute a legally binding commitment by any Party. It is understood that:

- i) Either party may decide to provide financial or in-kind support to individual activities on a case-by-case basis;
- ii) Both parties will jointly and separately seek funding from third parties to support activities to be carried out under this MoU;
- iii) Both parties agree to assist each other with applications to funding sources for financial support of this cooperation and exchange; and
- iv) Implementation of specific collaborative programs will depend only upon the availability of funds.

Article IV

MECHANISMS OF COOPERATION

To achieve the purposes of this MoU, the Parties, individually and subject to the availability of funds, will jointly cooperate on technical assistance and exchange of expertise. The parties agree:

- i) To implement joint projects pursuant to the aforementioned objectives through Specific Letters of Agreement supplemental to this MoU.
- ii) To provide the staff support subject to funding being available and institutional services and materials necessary to implement and achieve the objectives of each cooperative project agreement supplemental to this MoU.
- iii) To exchange information and data on specific sectorial activities on mutually agreed terms.

Article V

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Both parties recognize the importance of intellectual property rights as an integral component of this collaboration.

- i) Both parties jointly reserve any or all Intellectual Property Rights, without limitation discovered or produced as a result of the cooperation related to this MoU.

- ii) APAARI and DoA will make available the results of the collaborative activities through the most appropriate mechanisms.
- iii) No information or invention developed as a result of this collaboration will be protected through any form of statutory or non-statutory intellectual property right mechanism.

Article VI

DOA OBLIGATIONS

- i) In order to have effective collaboration and legal status of APAARI as an Association/Society, DOA will facilitate the process for obtaining necessary Govt. clearance for getting APAARI registered as an Association/Society in Thailand and extend needed cooperation for required visa clearances, and provide advice on matters concerning placement of staff by APAARI in its office located with FAO Regional Office in Bangkok.

Article VII

ENTRY INTO FORCE

- ii) The MoU shall be in effect for three years, commencing on the date of the last signature affixed for this agreement. It may be amended, with the approval of both parties, by means of exchange of letters through the authorized officials at each institution.
- iii) Either party may propose to other upto 6 (six) months prior to the expiration date to renew this MoU. This MoU may be extended by mutual agreement through an exchange of letters between the parties to this MoU. Proposal to extend the term of this MoU will be communicated not less than 3 (three) months prior to the present expiration date. Each agreed renewal period will be a period of 12 (twelve) calendar months.

Article VIII

TERMINATION

Either party may terminate the MoU by giving written notice of the intent to terminate the MoU. Such termination shall not affect the execution and conclusion of specific activities in effect nor the publication and dissemination of results of research in progress under terms of this MoU. As far as possible, such notice will be given three months in advance of the desired termination date.

This MoU is done in two original copies in English language, both copies are authentic.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Parties have agreed and executed this document.

Asia-Pacific Association of Agricultural
Research Institutions (APAARI)

Dr. Raj Paroda
Executive Secretary
APAARI

Date :

Department of Agriculture (DoA)

Dr. Anan Suwannarat
Director General
DoA

Date:

Annexure IX**A letter seeking approval of members**

[Sent on behalf of Dr. Raj Paroda, Executive Secretary, APAARI
raj.paroda@gmail.com]

Dear APAARI Members,

Greetings from APAARI.

This is to apprise you that a proposal for the creation of an additional seat in the Executive Committee of APAARI has been under consideration for quite some time in order to ensure inclusiveness of all stakeholders. Earlier, for similar objective, we had created two additional seats for their presentation of Farmers and NGOs, respectively. Accordingly, the issue of creating a seat for the Private Sector was discussed in the last two meetings of the APAARI Executive Committee held in Islamabad on 24 October, 2013 and in Bangkok on 22 April, 2014. The executive members, after detailed discussion, decided that APAARI must ensure participation of all stakeholders in its decision making process. Accordingly, it was decided to propose before the next General Assembly of APAARI to be held in Bangkok on 1 November, 2014, the creation of one additional seat for the private sector.

In order to do so, needed amendment (Annexure IX A) is required to be brought before the GAM by circulating the proposal among APAARI members by giving 60 days advance notice.

Accordingly, you are requested to review the amendment and send your consent in advance so that proposal to this effect could be placed before the GAM for final approval.

Looking forward to hearing from you. In case of no response, it will be presumed that you do agree with the proposed change.

Best regards

Raj Paroda
Executive Secretary
APAARI

APAARI CONSTITUTION

Article X : Executive Committee

Existing provision	Proposed amendment
<p>16. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Association composed of three officers, namely Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Executive Secretary of APAARI, and eight other members. The Executive Secretary of the Global Forum on Agricultural Research (GFAR) and one CGIAR Center Director General from among Associate Members will be the ex-officio members; while the outgoing Chairman will be a member for the next term. There will be three NARS members representing the Pacific, South-East Asia and south-West Asia sub-regions. The remaining two members will be from Civil Society Organizations (CSOs)-one each from regional farmer's and NGOs associations/communities. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and other members shall be elected by the General Assembly from among the member institutions at the biennial meeting and shall hold office until the next biennial session and shall not be eligible for immediate re-election to the same office. However, the Executive Secretary of APAARI shall be appointed according to Article XII under Paragraph 22. No country NARS members will have more than one representative on the Executive Committee</p>	<p>16. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Association composed of three officers, namely Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Executive Secretary of APAARI, and nine other members. The Executive Secretary of the Global Forum on Agricultural Research (GFAR) and one CGIAR Center Director General from among Associate Members will be the ex-officio members; while the outgoing Chairman will be a member for the next term. There will be three NARS members representing the Pacific, South-East Asia and South-West Asia sub-regions. The remaining three members will be: two from Civil Society Organizations (CSOs)-one each from regional farmer's and NGOs associations/communities; and one from the private sector organizations. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and other members shall be elected by the General Assembly from among the member institutions at the biennial meeting and shall hold office until the next biennial session and shall not be eligible for immediate re-election to the same office. However, the Executive Secretary of APAARI shall be appointed according to Article XII under Paragraph 22. No country NARS members will have more than one representative on the Executive Committee</p>

Vietnam

20 June

Dear Dr. Raj Paroda

Greetings from Pakistan. I agree with the amendment.

My regards to you and family

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Pakistan

20 June

Dear Dr. Paroda and Dr. Yadav

We are fine with the amendment and support the initiative.

We appreciate your making this process so participatory.

Regards

Purvi Mehta

ILRI

20 June

Dear Dr. Paroda,

I fully support the additional seat in the APAARI Executive Committee.

Thanks and regards,

CLL Gowda, ICRISAT

20 June

I fully support the proposal.

Sharif Haron

Malaysia

20 June

Dear Raj,

I endorse your proposal for additional seat in the APAARI Executive Committee.

With warm regards and best wishes,

Mahmoud, ICARDA

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TEODORO S. SOLSOLOY, Ph.D
Director III/Scientist 1
Bureau of Agricultural Research
Elliptical Rd., Diliman, Q.C.
Philippines

24 June

Dear Raj, Dear All,

We are in favor of allocating additional seat in the Executive Committee of APAARI for the private sector constituency. This is to make APAARI a broader, more inclusive platform for AR4D in the region.

We hope to engage further in developing the criteria for representation of this sector, and in nominating representative of this constituency once criteria is set.

Kind regards,

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Asian Farmers Association (AFA),
Philippines

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26 June

Dear Raj

Thanks for this, I would certainly endorse inclusion of a private sector representative in APAARI's governance, along with those already brought in from other sectors. The private sector covers a wide range of actors and as this develops I look forward to your thoughts on which networks will be considered here.

Best wishes,

Mark

GFAR, Rome

Annexure X**APAARI WORK PLAN 2015-2016**

1. Publications	<p>1.1 APAARI Newsletter (June 2015, December 2015, June 2016, December 2016)</p> <p>1.2 APAARI on CD 2015, 2016</p> <p>1.3 Success story/case study on institutional innovation and ICT for agricultural development (TBI)</p> <p>1.4 Success story/status report on one or two topics (TBI)</p> <p>1.5 Success story/status report on biotechnology application in Asia-Pacific including Bt brinjal in Bangladesh</p> <p>1.6 Proceedings and Recommendations of the 12th Asian Maize Conference and Expert Consultation on Maize for Food, Feed, Nutrition and Environmental Security</p> <p>1.7 Proceedings of the Expert Consultation on Food Safety held in collaboration with JIRCAS</p>
2. Meetings/Expert Consultations/Symposia	<p>2.1 APAARI Executive Committee Meetings (April 2015; and April and October, 2016)</p> <p>2.2 High Level Policy Dialogue for Ensuring Investments for AR4D in Asia-Pacific Region (in collaboration with GFAR, FAO and IFPRI) (2015)</p> <p>2.3 A Regional Workshop on Household Nutrition Security in Asia (2015)</p> <p>2.4 Expert consultation on a thematic topic to be identified by Executive Committee (2016)</p>
3. APARIS Activities	<p>3.1 APARIS Steering Committee Meetings (April 2015, April 2016)</p> <p>3.2 Regional Dialogue on Improving Open Knowledge Access for Agricultural Development in the Asia-Pacific (2015 in collaboration with GFAR and FAO RAP)</p> <p>3.3 Implementation of APAARI communication strategy - enhancement and strengthening of systems and processes</p> <p>3.4 A Network Meeting of NINPs to strengthen knowledge sharing initiatives at NARS and regional level (2016)</p>
4. APCoAB Activities	<p>4.1 APCoAB Steering Committee Meeting (April 2015, 2016)</p> <p>4.2 Regional Dialogues/Expert Consultations on biotechnology topics of regional importance, such as Bt brinjal in Bangladesh and Golden Rice (one each year)</p> <p>4.3 Training programs in partnership with advanced research and training organizations, including COA, on biotechnology related topics such as cryopreservation, GM and molecular breeding, biosafety, food safety etc. (two each year)</p>

	4.4 Evaluation of Training Programs on Food Safety, Biotechnology, Cryopreservation etc. carried out in collaboration with ICRISAT, Bioversity, NBPGR, COA and other partners
5. Interregional and Global Cooperation	<p>5.1 Ensuring greater participation and involvement of APAARI stakeholders in implementation and evaluation of CRPs (relevant to Asia-Pacific)</p> <p>5.2 Participation and involvement of APAARI stakeholders in development of Phase II CRPs (relevant to Asia-Pacific)</p> <p>5.3 Active involvement of APAARI Stakeholders in GCARD3 related events</p> <p>5.4 Encouraging participation of regional and sub-regional fora in APAARI events</p> <p>5.5 Participation of APPARI member NARS in TAP activities</p> <p>5.6 Building partnerships with SAARC and ASEAN Agricultural Programs</p> <p>5.7 Participation in relevant collaborative/partnership/network activities implemented/led by other organizations from time to time</p>

Annexure XI

APPROVED BUDGET FOR 2013-2014
(in US\$)

S. No.	Items	Approved	
		2013	2014
1.	Publication (Newsletter, Success Stories, Directory, Technical Reports etc.)	30,000	30,000
2.	APAARI Secretariat Support		
	Staff Salary	185,000	190,000
	Office Stationary and Postage	35,000	40,000
	Miscellaneous Items	35,000	35,000
3.	Consultancy/Travel/SSA etc.	80,000	85,000
4.	Training/Selected Research Projects/APAARI Program and Network Support	80,000	85,000
5.	Expert Consultations/General Assembly and Executive Committee Meetings	90,000	95,000
	Total	535,000	560,000

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 2015-2016
(in US\$)

S. No.	Items	Proposed	
		2015	2016
1.	Publications (Newsletter, Success Stories, Directory, Technical Reports etc.)	30,000	35,000
2.	APAARI Secretariat Support		
	Staff Salary	210,000	230,000
	Office Stationary and Postage	50,000	40,000
	Miscellaneous Items	40,000	50,000
3.	Consultancy/Travel/SSA etc.	70,000	80,000
4.	Training/Selected Research Projects/APAARI Programs and Network Support	70,000	80,000
5.	Expert Consultations/General Assembly and Executive Committee Meetings	110,000	120,000
	Total	580,000	635,000

APAARI EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES (1991-2014)

Executive Committee for 2013-2014

Chairman	: Dr. Simon Hearn	ACIAR, Australia
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. Masa Iwanaga	JIRCAS, Japan
Members	: Dr. S. Ayyappan	ICAR, India
	Dr. Iftikhar Ahmad	PARC, Pakistan
	Dr. Cho Myoung - rae	RDA, Republic of Korea
	Mr. Misa Konelio	MAFFM, Samoa
	Dr. Mark Holderness	GFAR, Italy
	Dr. Thomas Lumpkin	CIMMYT, Mexico
	Ms. Esther Penunia	AFA, Philippines
	Dr. Mahabub Hossain	BRAC, Bangladesh
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	APAARI

Executive Committee for 2011-2012

Chairman	: Dr. S. Ayyappan	ICAR, India
Vice-Chairman	: Mr. Mason Smith	DoA, MPI, Fiji
Members	: Dr. Abdul Shukor Abd Rahman	MARDI, Malaysia
	Dr. Simon Hearn	ACIAR, Australia
	Ms. Susan Chang	CoA, Chinese Taipei
	Dr. Tashi Samdup	CoRRB, Bhutan
	Mr. Raul Montemayor	IFAP, Philippines
	Dr. Colin Chartres	IWMI, Sri Lanka
	Fr. Francisco Lucas	NAARAP, Philippines
	Dr. Mark Holderness	GFAR, Italy
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	APAARI

Executive Committee for 2009-2010

Chairman	: Dr. Abdul Shukor Abd Rahman	MARDI, Malaysia
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. S. Ayyappan	ICAR, India
Members	: Dr. Raghunath Ghodake	NARI, PNG
	Mr. Mason Smith	MoA & PI, Fiji
	Mr. Somchai Charnnarongkul	DOA, Thailand
	Dr. Wais Kabir	BARC, Bangladesh
	Mr. Raul Montemayor	IFAP, Philippines
	Dr. Robert S. Zeigler	CGIAR-IRRI, Philippines
	Fr. Antonio Francisco Lucas	NAARAP-ANGOC, Philippines
	Dr. Mark Holderness	GFAR, Italy
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	APAARI

Executive Committee for 2007-2008

Chairman	: Dr. Raghunath Ghodake	NARI, PNG
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. Abdul Shukor Abd Rahman	MARDI, Malaysia
Members	: Prof. Rohan Rajapakse	CARP, Sri Lanka
	Mr. Philip Tuivavalagai	MAF, Samoa
	Dr. Mangala Rai	ICAR, India
	Dr. Wen-Deh Chen	CoA, Chinese Taipei
	Mr. Raul Montemayor	IFAP, Philippines
	Dr. William Dar	CGIAR
	Dr. Mark Holderness	GFAR, Italy
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	APAARI

Executive Committee for 2005-2006

Chairman	: Dr. H.P.M. Gunasena	Sri Lanka
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. T. Mennesson	New Caledonia
Members	: Dr. Shinobu Inanaga	Japan
	Dr. Badaruddin Soomro	Pakistan
	Dr. M.E. Tusneem	Pakistan
	Mr. Nicomedes P. Eleazar	Philippines
	Mr. Luke Ratuvuki	Fiji
Executive Secretary	: Dr. R.S. Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 2003-2004

Chairman	: Dr. Mutsuo Iwamoto	Japan
	Dr. Shinobu Inanaga	Japan
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. M. Nurul Alam	Bangladesh
Members	: Dr. R.P. Sapkota	Nepal
	Mr. S. Charnnarongkul	Thailand
	Dr. T. Mennesson	New Caledonia
	Dr. Nguyen Van Bo	Vietnam
Executive Secretary	: Dr. R.S. Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 2001-2002

Chairman	: Dr. Dhruv Joshi	Nepal
	Dr. R.P. Sapkota	Nepal
Vice-Chairman	: Mr. J. Kumar	Fiji
Members	: Dr. M. Nurul Alam	Bangladesh
	Dr. Patricio S. Faylon	Philippines
	Dr. S.H. Anang	Malaysia
	Dr. Ian Bevege	Australia
	Dr. Robert Clements	Australia
Executive Secretary	: Dr. R.S. Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 1999-2000

Chairman	: Dr. Ian Bevege	Australia
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. Ananta Dalodom	Thailand
Members	: Dr. Seong-Hee Lee	Republic of Korea
	Dr. K.A. Malik	Pakistan
	Dr. R.D. Ghodake	Papua New Guinea
	Dr. D. Kirtisinghe	Sri Lanka
Executive Secretary	: Dr. R.S. Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 1997-1998

Chairman	: Dr. M. Akbar	Pakistan
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. Nobuyoshi Maeno	Japan
Members	: Dr. Z. Karim	Bangladesh
	Dr. Ananta Dolodom	Thailand
	Mr. J. Kumar	Fiji
	Dr. William D. Dar	Philippines
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 1995-1996

Chairman	: Dr. William D. Dar	Philippines
Vice-Chairman	: Mr. Abbas Keshavarz	Iran
Members	: Dr. Md. Sharif Bin Ahmad	Malaysia
	Dr. Shiva Bahadur Nepali	Nepal
	Dr. Young Sang Kim	Korea
	Dr. S.T. Semisi	Western Samoa
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 1993-1994

Chairman	: Dr. Young Sang Kim	Korea
Vice-Chairman	: Mr. Balthasar M. Wayi	PNG
Members	: Prof. Wang Lianzheng	China
	Dr. Zafar Altaf	Pakistan
	Dr. William D. Dar	Philippines
	Mr. Montri Rumakom	Thailand
Executive Secretary	: Dr. Raj Paroda	India

Executive Committee for 1991-1992

Chairman	: Dr. Md. Yusof bin Hashim	Malaysia
Vice-Chairman	: Dr. Keith W. Steele	New Zealand
Members	: Prof. W. Lianzheng	China
	Mr. C.R. Mahapatra	India
	Dr. Maripaz I. Perez	Philippines
	Mr. Tubuola Tavita	Western Samoa
Executive Secretary	: Dr. R.B. Singh	India

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