

How to protect our seeds?

Follow Up International Meeting of European Seed Saving NGOs

On the EU legislation on Seed and Plant Propagating Material

22 – 24 November 2013

Wolkersdorf im Weinviertel (Vienna)

Friday, November 22nd

ongoing Individual arrival and check-in at HOTEL KLAUS
Julius-Bittner-Platz 4
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20:00 **Dinner**
At the Hotel's Restaurant, *Contribution: 15 €*

Saturday, November 23rd

8:45 Gathering:
Room "Abensperg-Traun", 3rd floor

morning session Part 1: Introduction and Update on the seed regulation

9:00-9:15 Welcome

9:15-09:45 Introduction of each participant

9:45-10:45 Presentation 1
The Commission's proposal and its impact on diversity actors

10:45-11:15 **Coffee Break**

11:15-12:30 Presentation 2.a
The European parliament & seed regul.: committees, rapporteurs, procedures

11:15-12:30 Workshop 2.b
Seed regulation for beginners: introduction & most important facts

12:30-14:00 **LUNCH BREAK**
Lunch will be provided at the Workshop venue

afternoon session Part 2: Introduction of amendments and campaigning

14:00–15:15 Presentation 3
Amendments: The top 20 changes we shall fight for

15:15-16:00	Presentation 4: The European parliament's procedure & campaigning: A calendar for joint activities
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break
16:30-17:0	Presentation 6: The "Menu of services": Instant campaigning tools provided by ARCHE NOAH and our partner GLOBAL 2000
16:45-17:45	Workshop: How can I contribute?
17:45-18:30	Declaration Common statement of the NGOs (Coordination: Nicolae from Eco Ruralis).
20:00	Dinner (vegetarian) Stadtwirtshaus Wolkersdorf Hauptstr. 41 2120 Wolkersdorf, <i>Contribution: 10 euro/ person</i>

Sunday, November 24th

morning session **Part 3: Narratives about seeds & action to be taken**

8:45	Gathering Room "Abensperg-Traun", 3 rd floor
09:00-09:45	Presentation 8 The game the industry plays in the review of the seed legislation
09:45-10:30	Discussion Which arguments encounter us and how to deal with them?
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:00	Discussion How can I contribute II?
12:00-12:45	Open Floor
12:45-13:00	Closure
13:00-14:00	LUNCH Lunch will be provided at the Workshop venue

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