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Seed is Life

ISF phytosanitary priorities and cooperation

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Science-based phytosanitary requirements

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Evidence and standards

ISPM 38 implementation support, biological relevance and evidence on seed as a pest pathway.

Coordinated engagement

Input on SPS notifications with national and regional seed associations and NPPOs.

Opportunity for STDF discussion

Share practical lessons on applying standards and assessing pathway evidence in developing countries.

ISF phytosanitary resources

IPPC: ISPM 38

Cooperation and implementation

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ISF systems approach work

NPPO–industry cooperation to assess production practices. The Philippines participates in the pilot.

STDF/PG/755 technical partnership

ISF is a technical partner in the Asia Pacific seed project, implemented by APAARI.

Opportunity for STDF discussion

Capture lessons and sustain cooperation between NPPOs and seed associations.

ISF systems approach resources

STDF: Asia Pacific seed project