

Item 1.0 Approval of the Agenda, Approval of ESCOP Minutes for February 27, 2007, Interim Actions of the Chair

Presenter: Ron Pardini

Background:

A request was made to approve the agenda as circulated.

A request was made to approve the minutes of the February 27, 2007 meeting.

The following interim actions were taken:

1. The ESCOP support of the International Plant Germplasm Treaty was reported to Peter Bretting (USDA/ARS)
2. The deadline for submission of the assessments from the individual states was extended to August 15. A reminder is to be sent to the regional associations.
3. The updated Communications and Marketing Plan was circulated to the PBD.

Action Requested: Approval of the agenda and February 27, 2007 minutes

Action Taken: Approved the agenda as circulated; approved the minutes of the February 27, 2007 Meeting.