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Pre-training exercise on NROs

The following tasks are supposed to be undertaken by participants before attending the training in order to become familiar with some National Reporting Obligations (NROs) and the IPP <https://www.ippc.int/en/>. The internet connection is needed for this exercise.

Task/question		Answers / Comments / Follow-up needed	Useful links/hints
1	Find your own country's IPPC Contact Point information and check if the data is correct.	The information is correct.	https://www.ippc.int/en/countries/all/list-countries/ https://www.ippc.int/en/countries/all/contactpoints/
2	When a new person is appointed as the IPPC Contact Point the Secretariat needs to be officially informed about this change. Do you know where to find a form which could be used for this communication? Do you know what the role of the IPPC Contact Point is?	The link to the nomination form can be found at Home/Core Activities/Information Exchange in the document summary table at the bottom of the page (IPPC Official Contact Point nomination form). The OCP's role is responsible for information exchange and hence is to ensure that all information required by the IPPC is provided via upload through the IPP or providing such information to the IPPC Secretariat AND to ensure that information required by other contracting parties is provided.	https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/ippc-official-contact-point-notification-form/ https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/role-ippc-official-contact-points/
3	Are there any IPP editors in your country? Do you know how to communicate to the Secretariat a nomination of the new IPP editor?	Yes there is one: Maud Vere Bradford. The link to the IPP Editor nomination request for NPPOs is found in the same table as stated in 2 above.	https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/ipp-editor-nomination-request-nppos/
4	Do you know how to post data on the IPP? Find the "User and Editor Guide to the IPP " (2013) and Guide to the IPP (Module IV) NEW VERSION (February 2015).	Yes. Access through login at top right of IPPC homepage. Enter username and password.	https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/user-and-editor-guide-international-phytosanitary-portal/ https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/80405/
5	Check National Reporting	The information that is already	https://www.ippc.int/en/cou



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	<p>Obligations posted on the IPP by your country.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is the information up to date and/or correct? Which reports are missing? For reports present on the IPP: Are more updated versions of these reports available in your country? For absent/missing reports: are those reports available right now in your country? Could they be posted on the IPP? <p>Please liaise with your IPPC Contact Point and IPP editors on this point.</p> <p>Identify at least 2 reports (1 regarding the Description of the NPPO and 1 or more other reports of your choice) which could be posted on the IPP after receiving clearance from your IPPC Contact Point. Bring those potential reports to the meeting to discuss with other participants.</p>	<p>entered is up-to-date except for the <i>list of regulated (quarantine) pests which is still draft and the pest report on the Giant African Snail which needs to be updated in light of recent developments</i>. Missing reports consist of the following: organizational arrangements of the NPPO, rationale for phytosanitary requirements, non-compliance, pest status, and emergency actions.</p> <p>The missing reports are not currently available in the format for upload to the IPP.</p>	<p>ntries/all/list-countries/ General info: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro/</p>
6	Find the NROs UPDATES – the monthly newsletters prepared by the Secretariat regarding NROs. Have a look at their content.	Completed and newsletters downloaded and reviewed.	<p>https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro/the-year-of-the-official-contact-point/</p> <p>https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro/the-year-of-the-organization-of-the-nppo/</p>
7	Find the provisions in the Convention for the reporting of pests .	Completed.	https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/131/
8	Find the ISPM 17: “Pest Reporting” .	Sourced and downloaded.	https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/standards-setting/ispms/
9	What are the options for a country to report pests ?	A country could report pests directly through the OCP to the IPP, through the RPPO for the country’s region, OR directly by the NPPO to the IPPC Secretariat using the respective formats provided on the IPPC information exchange page.	One of the options: https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/national-pest-reporting-through-regional-plant-protection-organizations/
10	Where are all the IPPC pest reports ?	These can be found under Home/Countries/Official Pest Reports and are listed alphabetically	https://www.ippc.int/en/countries/all/pestreport/



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