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(Non-legislative acts)

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

Notice concerning the entry into force of the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity

The Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity (¹) adopted on 29 October 2010 will enter into force, by virtue of Article 33(1) of the Protocol, on 12 October 2014.

(1) OJ L 150, 20.5.2014, p. 234.

Notification concerning the entry into force for the Union of the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity

The Union approved the 'Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity' on 16 May 2014 (1).

According to its Article 33(1), the aforementioned Protocol shall enter into force on the ninetieth day after the date of deposit of the fiftieth instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession. On 14 July 2014, the fiftieth instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession was deposited. Accordingly, the Protocol will enter into force for the European Union on 12 October 2014.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 150, 20.5.2014, p. 231.