



Thirtieth Regular Meeting 5-7 October, 2010

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## **PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE**

San Jose, Costa Rica

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| Monday, October 4  |  |   |  |  |
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|  | Participants welcomed at airport   | IICA Staff                              |  |  |
| 14:00 - 21:00  | Participants register for meeting at respective hotel  | IICA Staff                              |  |  |
| <u>Tuesday, October 5</u>  |  |   |  |  |
| 07:10  | Participants transported from Marriott Hotel to IICA   |   |  |  |
| 07:45  | Participants transported from Radisson Hotel to IICA   |   |  |  |
| Preparatory Session (All sessions will be held in the USA-Canada Room) |  |   |  |  |
| 08:30 - 09:30  | Closed meeting of the Regular Representatives of the 12 Member States on the 2010 Executive Committee $I$                              | Heads of Delegation<br>Director General |  |  |
| Inaugural Sessi  | ion  |   |  |  |
| 09:30 -09:45   | • Words of welcome from the Director General   |   |  |  |
| First Plenary Se   | ession   |   |  |  |
| 09:45 - 10:30  | Presentation of Reports by the Director General  | Director General                        |  |  |
|  | 2009 IICA Annual Report  |   |  |  |
|  | <i>Report of the 2010 Regular Meeting of the Special Advisory</i><br><i>Committee on Management Issues (SACMI)</i>                     |   |  |  |
|  | Status of the Resolutions of the Twenty-ninth Regular Meeting of the Executive Committee and the Fifteenth Regular Meeting of the IABA |   |  |  |
| 10:30 - 11:15  | Proposed 2010-2020 Strategic Plan  | Director General                        |  |  |
| 11:15 - 12:00  | Proposed 2010-2014 Medium-Term Plan  | Director General                        |  |  |
| 12:00 - 14:00  | Lunch (Cono Sur, Andina and Caribe rooms)  |   |  |  |
| Second Plenary   | Session  |   |  |  |
| 14:00 - 16:00  | • Analysis of and comments on the Strategic Plan and the Medium Term Plan  | Representatives of the Member States    |  |  |
| 16:00 - 16:30  | • Financial and Programmatic-Budgetary Situation 2011  | Secretary of<br>Corporate Services      |  |  |
|  | Progress in the Collection of Quotas Owed to IICA  | -                                       |  |  |
|  | 2009 Financial Statements of the Institute and Report of the External Auditors   |   |  |  |
|  | 2011 Program Budget  |   |  |  |
|  | • Sixteenth Report of the Audit Review Committee (ARC).  | ARC Member                              |  |  |
| 16:30 - 17:00  | Analysis and comments  |   |  |  |
| 17.00 - 17.30  | Reading and approval of draft resolutions  | Rapporteur /<br>EC Member States        |  |  |
| 18:00 - 20:00  | Cocktail Reception (At meeting site)   |   |  |  |
| 20:00  | Participants return to hotel   |   |  |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Designation of the members of the Awards Selection Commission

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Wednesday, October 6

| Third Plenary Session  |  |                                    |  |
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| 07:10                  | Participants transported from Marriott Hotel to IICA   |                                    |  |
| 07:45                  | Participants transported from Radisson Hotel to IICA   |                                    |  |
| 08:30 - 09:00          | Photograph of the 2010 Executive Committee   | Participants from<br>Member States |  |
| 09:00 - 09:30          | Reading and approval of draft resolutions  | Rapporteur /<br>EC Member States   |  |
| 09:30 - 10:00          | • The World Bank Global Agriculture and Food Security Program (GAFSP) and Country Investment Plans   | Deputy Director<br>General         |  |
| 10:00 - 10:30          | • Report of IICA's actions in response to the emergency and for the reconstruction program in Haiti  | IICA Representative<br>in Haiti    |  |
| 10:30 - 11:30          | • Relations with other international organizations   | Director General                   |  |
|                        | IICA – FAO Joint Actions   |                                    |  |
|                        | Director General's report on IICA-CATIE and IICA-CARDI Joint<br>Actions  |                                    |  |
| 11:30 - 12:00          | • Report on the situation in the IICA Office in Colombia   | Director General                   |  |
|                        | Distribution of draft resolutions  | Secretariat                        |  |
| 12:00 - 14:00          | Lunch  |                                    |  |
| Fourth Plenary Session |  |                                    |  |
| 14:00 - 14:30          | • Report of the Inter-American Commission for Organic Agriculture (ICOA)   | ICOA Technical Secretary a.i.      |  |
| 14:30 - 15:00          | • Proposed amendments to Article 29 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Committee and Article 22 of the Rules of Procedure of the Inter-American Board of Agriculture | Secretariat                        |  |
| 15:30 - 16:00          | • Date and site of the Thirty-first Regular Meeting of the Executive Committee   | Secretariat                        |  |
| 16:00 - 16:30          | • Other Business   |                                    |  |
| 16:30 - 17:00          | Reading and approval of draft resolutions  | Rapporteur /<br>EC Member States   |  |
| 17:00                  | Participants return to hotel   |                                    |  |

| Thursday, October 7 |   |  |
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| 07:00               | Participants transported from Marriott Hotel to IICA  |  |
| 07:30               | Participants transported from Radisson Hotel to IICA  |  |
| Special Session:    | Women in Agriculture: The Contribution of Women to Agriculture and to Food Security in the Americas   |  |
| 09:00 - 09:10       | Words of Welcome<br>Victor M. Villalobos, Director General of IICA  |  |
| 09:10 - 09:30       | Inaugural Session<br>Laura Chinchilla, President of the Republic of Costa Rica  |  |
| 09:30 - 10:00       | <b>Summary of the document</b> : Policies to Strengthen and Improve the Contribution of Women to Agricultural Development and Food Security Marcela Ballara |  |
| 10:00 - 10:30       | Refreshments  |  |
| 10:30 - 12:00       | Panel 1: Policies and actions aimed at strengthening the contribution of women to agricultural development and food security                                |  |
| 12.00 12.10         | Moderator: Gloria Abraham, Minister of Agriculture and Livestock of Costa Rica  |  |
| 12:00 - 12:40       | Questions and comments from the participants  |  |
| 12:40 - 13:00       | Conclusions and future actions<br>Gloria Abraham, Minister of Agriculture and Livestock of Costa Rica   |  |
| 13:00 - 14:30       | Lunch   |  |
| 14:30 - 15: 50      | <b>Panel II:</b> Developing capacities to increase the contribution of women to agricultural development and food security in the Americas                  |  |
|                     | Moderator: Karen Lezny, Deputy Director General of IICA   |  |
| 15:50 - 16:30       | Questions and global comments from the participants   |  |
| 16:30 - 16:50       | Conclusions of Panel II<br>James French: Director of Technical Cooperation, IICA  |  |
| 16:50 - 17:00       | Conclusions of the Women in Agriculture Forum<br>Victor M. Villalobos, Director General of IICA   |  |
| Closing Session of  | of the Executive Committee  |  |
| 17:00 - 17:30       | • Remarks by the Director General of IICA   |  |
|                     | • Close of the Meeting, Chair of the Executive Committee  |  |
| 17:30 - 18:00       | Refreshments  |  |
| 18:00               | Participants return to hotel  |  |