

**Work plan for UPOV Technical Working Party for Ornamental Plants and Forest Trees (TWO), Fifty-Seventh Session,
Roelofarendsveen, Netherlands (Kingdom of the) (TWO/57)
(please note that the schedule is subject to change at any time) – Local time in Roelofarendsveen (UTC+2)**

	Monday, March 31 Start 09.00*	Tuesday, April 1 Start 9.00*	Wednesday, April 2	Thursday, April 3 Start 9.00*
9.00 am	<u>1. Opening</u> <u>2. Adoption of agenda (TWO/57/1 Rev.)</u> <u>13. Date and place next session</u> <u>16. Reports from members and observers</u> <u>17. Reports on developments in UPOV (TWP/9/1)</u> <u>3. Procedures for DUS examination (TWP/9/1)</u> <u>4. Document TGP/5, Section 6: Additional explanations for "UPOV report on technical examination and UPOV variety description" (TGP/5 Section 6/5 Draft 1)</u>	<u>8. Molecular techniques in DUS examination</u> a. Harnessing molecular data to support DUS testing in ornamentals: a case-study on <i>Hydrangea</i> (TWO/57/5) b. Guidelines for the validation of characteristic-specific molecular marker protocol (TWP/9/4) c. Reports on existing policies on confidentiality of molecular information (TWP/9/6)	<div align="center">FIELD VISIT</div> <div align="center">Bulb trials</div> Departure from hotel: 8.30 Return to hotel: 17.30	<u>Lotus</u> <u>LE:</u> China <u>IE:</u> CA, JP, CIOPORA
10.30	Break	Break		Break
11.00	<u>7. Report on court cases dealing with technical matters (TWO/57/4)</u> <u>5. Document TGP/7: Situations where illustrations could complement or replace example varieties (TWP/9/5)</u> <u>6. Proposal for a Revision of documents TGP/9/2 and TGP/10/2 (TWO/57/7)</u> <u>Matters to be resolved concerning TGs put forward for adoption by the Technical Committee</u> - Poinsettia (TWO/57/9)	<u>9. Information databases:</u> a. Information on cooperation agreements for DUS examination (TWP/9/2) b. The value and reliability of botanical names in ornamentals (TWO/57/8) <u>10. Experiences with new types and species (TWO/57/6)</u> - China Ornamental Apple - Acer		<u>Hellebore</u> <u>LE:</u> Netherlands (Kingdom of the) <u>IE:</u> DE, GB, JP, MX, QZ, CIOPORA
12.30	Break	Break		Break
13.30	<u>Discussion on draft Test Guidelines</u> <u>*Ginkgo</u> <u>LE:</u> China <u>IE:</u> HU, KR, QZ, NZ, CIOPORA	<u>*Magnolia</u> <u>LE:</u> China <u>IE:</u> AU, CA, FR, GB, JP, KR, NZ, QZ, CIOPORA		<u>12. Recommendations on draft Test Guidelines</u> <u>14. Future program</u>
15.00	Break	Break		Break
15.30	<u>*Zantedeschia</u> <u>LE:</u> Netherlands (Kingdom of the) <u>IE:</u> CN, JP, MX, QZ, ZA, CIOPORA	<u>Rhododendron</u> <u>LE:</u> Germany <u>IE:</u> CA, CN, GB, JP, MX, QZ, ZA, CIOPORA		<u>15. Adoption of the Report</u> <u>18. Closing of the session</u>
17:00		Reception Visit to trials at Naktuinbouw		

* Departure from hotel to Naktuinbouw at 8.00 a.m.