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FOR EECCA**

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**DRAFT AGENDA**

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DAY 1 November 16, 2006
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09.00 *Registration, coffee*

09.30 Opening: Welcome and introductions. Why are we here? Who are we? What are our expectations?

***Session 1: Status of HN VF in the Pan-European Region***

**Chair:** Yanka Kazakova, WWF DCP

10.30 What is HN V farming and why is it important? Origins, typology, relationship with similar and not so similar concepts, examples. (*Gwyn Jones, EFNCP*)

11.30 Protecting HN V farming: the political context (*Ivonne Higuero, UNEP*)

12.00 Identification of farmed HN V areas (*Ybele Hoogeveen, EEA*)

12.45 Questions, answers and discussion

13.15 *Lunch*

***Session 2: HN VF Experiences in Eastern and South-Eastern Europe***

**Chair:** Ivonne Higuero, UNEP

14.30 Challenges to HN V grasslands in CEECs (*Peter Veen*)

15.00 HN V farming and the experience of an EU accession country: Romania (*Raluca Barbu, WWF-DCP Romania*)

15.30 HN V farming Workshop for the Western Balkans: outcomes (*Koen De Rijck, WWF-DCP*)

16.00 *Coffee*

***Session 3: HN VF in EECCA***

**Chair:** Gwyn Jones, EFNCP

16.30 The context of HN V farming in EECCA (*Yanka Kazakova, WWF-DCP*)

17.00 Overview of HN V farmlands in EECCA (*Alexei Andreev, Biotica*)

17.30 HN VF status and challenges in Moldova (*Alexei Andreev, Biotica*)

18.00 Questions, answers and discussion

18.30 *End*

19.30 *Dinner*

DAY 2 November 17, 2006
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09.00 Review of previous day, introduction to day 2

***Session 3 cont. HNVF in EECCA***

**Chair:** Ybele Hoogeveen, EEA

09.30 HNV farming in EECCA: a few examples (*two to three presentations from the region - to be decided upon*)

10.30 Break-out groups: eg. Current state of identification and protection of HNV farming in EECCA: ongoing initiatives, existing and non-existing data and information, existing and potential capacities (specific topic to be decided on the basis of info needs)

11.30 *Coffee break*

12.00 Reports back and discussion

13.00 *Lunch*

14.00 Developing recommendations for moving forward

- Working Group 1: Identifying HNV farming in EECCA

- Working Group 2: Protecting HNV farming in EECCA

15.00 Reports back, discussion and development of final recommendations

16.00 Wrap-up, review, workshop appraisal and final words

17.00 *End*

18.00 *Wine tasting and dinner*