



Executive Council

Thirteenth Meeting—Rome, Italy
October 16-17, 2007

Agenda Item: 4.b. Challenge Programs: Lessons Learned

Background/Issue(s): At ExCo 11 (October 2006), “ExCo requested the SC and CGIAR Secretariat to complete an analysis of lessons learned...complemented by inputs from the ExCo ad hoc Committee on Funding System Priorities, in order to better inform Membership of the features of and the progress achieved by existing CPs.” The document builds on a previous document requested by ExCo and submitted to the CGIAR at AGM04. At ExCo 12 (May 2007), ExCo recommended that, “Lessons learned from the external evaluation of existing CPs should be considered in the development and selection of pre-proposals and proposals for Cycle 2 CPs.”

Supporting Document(s):

Summary Documents (in meeting folder):
1. Lessons Learnt from Selection and Implementation of the CGIAR Challenge Programs: List of Lessons Learnt

Full Reports/Background Documents (on web only):

1. Full Report: Lessons Learnt from Selection and Implementation of the CGIAR Challenge Programs
 2. Synthesis of Lessons Learned from Initial Implementation of the CGIAR Pilot Challenge Programs
 3. ADE Study: Lessons Learnt Analysis of First Cycle Challenge Programs
- Challenge Program Annual Reports:
3. Generation
 4. HarvestPlus
 5. Sub-Saharan Africa
 6. Water & Food

Purpose of this Communication

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| | Information |
| X | Discussion |
| | Decision |

Outcome

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| | No further action required |
| | Approved/accepted |
| | Additional information required |
| | Referred to the next meeting |
| | See comments below |

Comments

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