

Workshop to discuss the Regulatory Status of New Breeding Techniques

Date TBA
Canberra (Venue TBA)

Chair: Dr Scott Crerar (FSANZ)

AGENDA

1. Introduction (Scott Crerar) (5 mins)
 - a. Brief outline of the problem
 - b. Purpose of the workshop
2. Overview of techniques and NBT Workshop outcomes (Janet Gorst) (30 mins)
 - a. Gene editing techniques
 - b. Transgenic-assisted breeding techniques
3. Regulatory issues (Lisa Kelly) (30 - 45 mins)
 - a. Intent of Standard 1.5.2 – Food produced using Gene Technology
 - b. Relevant definitions
 - c. FSANZ position on gene editing and transgenic-assisted breeding techniques
 - d. Possible applications to FSANZ

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4. Round table discussion (All) (60 – 90 mins)

Topics to include in discussion:

 - a. OGTR and NZ considerations on NBTs – short presentations??
 - b. What's happening in other countries
 - c. Stakeholder views
5. Wrap-up - agreed outcomes & next steps (Scott Crerar) (30 mins)