



Kingdom of the Netherlands



Sustainable production of mother plants for fruit trees a Dutch- Romanian pilot project

February 10th 2021, 11:00 – 14:30, online via Zoom platform

Dear ladies and gentlemen,

The Dutch-Romanian cooperation in the fruit trees nursery sector has a long history, involving the research and business sectors as well as governmental institutions. Both countries are currently in the stage of implementing the EU Directives 96/2014, 97/2014 and 98/2014 and willing to share knowledge regarding the production, commercialization and labelling of the planting material, building on Romania's readiness towards the 2022 deadline for the transition period, according with the new legislation.

**ICDP Pitești Mărăcineni with the support of the Netherlands Embassy in Bucharest
is inviting you on February 10, 2021 starting 11:00 EET (10:00 CET)**

to an interactive dialogue of Dutch and Romanian experts. The event will take place on line via Zoom platform, you can find the agenda including the connection link, herewith attached.

Looking forward for your confirmation at mihailcoman1@gmail.com or livezi@bdgroup.ro.

Thanks and best regards,

Mihail Coman
General Director ICDP Mărăcineni

Stimate doamne
Stimați domni,

Cooperarea româno-olandeză în sectorul pepinieristic pomicol are o lungă tradiție, implicând sectorul cercetare și mediul de afaceri, precum și instituții guvernamentale. Ambele țări se află în prezent în etapa de implementare a Directivelor UE 96/2014, 97/2014 și 98/2014 și sunt dispuse să împărtășească cunoștințe cu privire la producția, comercializarea și etichetarea materialului săditor, sprijinind pregătirea României pentru respectarea termenului 2022 stabilit pentru perioada de tranziție, conform noii legislații.

**ICDP Mărăcineni cu sprijinul Ambasadei Olandei la București vă invită pe
10 februarie 2021 începând cu ora 11:00 EET (10:00 CET)**

la un dialog interactiv între experți olandezi și români pe tema înființării și managementului plantațiilor mamă.

Evenimentul se desfășoară în limba engleză prin intermediul platformei Zoom, atașat găsiți agenda, inclusiv linkul de conexiune.

Așteptăm confirmarea participării dvs. la mihailcoman1@gmail.com sau livezi@bdgroup.ro.

Mulțumiri și toate cele bune,

Mihail Coman
Director general ICDP Mărăcineni

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Link Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84594835526?pwd=VzQ1VXFFaWZYWDVYRFIqbWIKTmxlQT09>

Draft Agenda

Time	Topic	Contributions
11:00 – 11:15	Welcome and introduction of participants	Arie VELDHUIZEN Embassy of the Netherlands in Bucharest
11:15 – 11:45	Romanian Fruit Sector - an update on the National Rural Development Program 2014-2020 and future perspectives for market development	Mihail COMAN Director, ICDP Pitești-Mărăcineni
11:45 - 12:15	Brief updates on sector developments in the Netherlands and EU	John VAN RUITEN, Director, Naktuinbouw
12:15-12:45	Cooperation between ICDP Maracineni and Gebr. Janssen for breeding, experimentation and commercial introduction of cultivars and rootstocks	Mihail COMAN Director, ICDP Pitești-Mărăcineni Henk KEMP On behalf of Gebr. Janssen
12:45-13:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
13:00-14:00	Expert talks and knowledge sharing: testing methodologies, issuing procedures, technical aspects	Dutch and Romanian experts
14:00-14:30	Conclusions and next steps	Mihail COMAN, ICDP Pitești -Mărăcineni John VAN RUITEN, Director, Naktuinbouw Florentina NANU, Business Development Group

**Background:**

NAK-T has a long history of cooperating with Romania for developing the legal and institutional framework for varieties testing and inspection.

In 2004, a framework agreement was signed between Janssen Brothers Nurseries Limited and, ICDP Pitești-Mărăcineni, SCDP Vâlcea, SCDP Bistrița and SCDP Voinești for breeding, experimentation and commercial introduction of Romanian cultivars and rootstocks on the international market. Until 2016 material from Romania, both rootstocks and cultivars were sent to Janssen and are currently in different stages of cultivation in different locations in the Netherlands.

The aim of the current pilot project is to support the setting up of mother plantations in Romania in bilateral cooperation building on the existing experience for producing biological material for Romanian varieties in the Netherlands.

Participants:

	Name	Institution
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4	Hans Konings	NAK-T, Vermeerderingstuinen
5	Paul Janssen	Janssen Brothers Nurseries B.V
6	Henk Kemp	Agrow Consult International
7	Marian Bogoescu	Vicepresident, Academy of Agricultural and Forestry Sciences Bucuresti
8	Mihail Coman	Director, ICDP Maracineni
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