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### **MATTERS RELATED TO INTERGOVERNMENTAL, NON-GOVERNMENTAL, GOVERNMENTAL AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

#### **Applications from non-governmental organizations for consultative status**

Note by the Director-General

#### *Addendum*

Since the publication of document IDB.19/4, one further application from a non-governmental organization (NGO) for consultative status in accordance with Article 19.1 (b) of the Constitution of UNIDO has been received. Information on that organization—Deula-Nienburg (German Academy for Agriculture and Technology)—is circulated to the Board in the annex to the present document. More detailed information on the organization is available with the Secretariat.

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## **Annex**

### **DEULA-NIENBURG**

**(German Academy for Agriculture and Technology)**

#### **Historical background**

Founded in 1945 at Oldershausen, Germany, as a public corporation and became a non-profit limited company in 1992 with the objective to contribute to rural development and social peace through education and training for managers and experts.

#### **Statutes**

Available.

#### **Structure of governing bodies and administration**

Board of Directors  
Managing Director

#### **Activities related to the work of UNIDO**

- (a) Developing training and educational programmes in agro-industry in Central and Eastern Europe, Africa, Asia and the Pacific;
- (b) Organizing and sponsoring conferences, seminars and workshops;
- (c) Disseminating information to rural communities and enterprises on appropriate production and manufacturing technologies, marketing methods, quality standards, environmentally friendly production methods;
- (d) Promoting the transfer and acquisition of agro-based industrial technology and know-how as well as cleaner production technologies.

#### **Relations with NGOs**

Cooperation with numerous NGOs based in Germany such as professional associations, chambers of commerce, etc.

#### **Documentation confirming international character of membership**

Not applicable.

#### **Membership**

Organizations and individuals.

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