

UNNExT Advisory Group Meeting on Paperless Trade for Agricultural Trade Facilitation

26 September 2014.

BITEC, Bangkok, Thailand

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss follow-up UNNExT activities related to paperless trade for agricultural trade facilitation. Participants to the meeting will include available UAG members (http://unnex.unescap.org/ag_atf.asp) and other relevant invited experts.

16:00 – 18:00

- Presentation of the ESCAP/ECE/FAO UNNExT Policy Guide on Paperless Trade for Agricultural Trade Facilitation (15 mins)

Heiner Lehr

- The case of the Philippines - *That presentation will present an initial short paper applying the concept/check lists/frameworks proposed in the guide to the situation in the Philippines and drawing relevant lessons for that country as well as others in the region. (15 mins)*

Francis Lopez

- *Draft concept and programme for a regional “training of trainer” workshop on paperless trade for agricultural trade facilitation (15 mins)*

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Discussion & recommendations