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Biocultural Community Protocol for Cerrado Raizeiras

Summary

This "Biocultural Community Protocol for Cerrado Raizeiras - the customary right of healers in the Cerrado biome of Brazil", is directly related to the implementation of CBD in Brazil, specifically articles 8"j" and 10 "c", which advise signatory countries to "respect, preserve and maintain knowledge, innovations and practices of indigenous and local communities" and recognise their fundamental role in preserving biodiversity with attention to gender equity. The healers propose training and public consultation for local communities about the National Laws for Accessing Genetic Resources and Benefits Share, before its approval by the National Congress.

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[Community Protocol for Cerrado Raizeiras.pdf \(English\)](#)
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 For commercial use
 For non-commercial use
 Benefit-Sharing
 Mutually agreed terms
 Monetary benefits
 Non-monetary benefits
 On access to traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources and benefit-sharing
 Traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources
 Community protocols
 Customary laws and procedures
 All types of genetic resources

Additional Information

In the line with of the goals established by the government to stop the loss of biodiversity by 2020 through the National Strategic Plan for Brazilian Biodiversity, the healers created their own goals for Cerrado biodiversity. The Goals of the Healers lists their priorities for practicing traditional medicine according to how the government presents the main points of its National Strategic Plan.

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Further Information

Questions about the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit-sharing or the operation of the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House may be directed to the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

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