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**UNIDROIT Working Group on Collaborative
Legal Structures for Agricultural Enterprises**

Seventh session (hybrid)
Rome, 9 - 11 April 2025

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ANNOTATED DRAFT AGENDA

1. Opening of the session and welcome
2. Adoption of the agenda and organisation of the session
3. Update on intersessional work and developments since the sixth Working Group session (*W.G.7 – Doc. 2 – Secretariat Report*)
4. Consideration of work in progress
 - (a) Draft Discussion Paper on Companies (*W.G.7 – Doc. 3*)
 - (b) Draft Discussion Paper on Multiparty Contracts (*W.G.7 – Doc. 4*)
 - (c) Draft Discussion Paper on Cooperatives (*W.G.7 – Doc. 5*)
 - (d) Draft Discussion Paper on Digital Platforms (*W.G.7 – Doc. 6*)
 - (e) Master Copy – outlining proposed structure of the future instrument and containing Draft Introduction, Draft Glossary, Draft outline of Chapter on comparing and combining the collaborative legal forms (*W.G.7 – Doc. 7*)
 - (f) Other matters identified by the Secretariat
5. Organisation of future work
6. Any other business
7. Closing of the session

ANNOTATIONS

Item No. 1 Opening of the session and welcome

1. The seventh Working Group session will take place on **9, 10, and 11 April 2025**.
2. The meeting will be held at the premises of UNIDROIT located in Via Panisperna, 28 – Rome (Italy). Experts are encouraged to attend in person, though online participation will be possible via Zoom for those who are unable to join the session personally. A link to join the session remotely will be sent prior to the meeting.
3. The session will be opened on Wednesday, 9 April at 14:00 CEST.

Item No. 2 Adoption of the agenda and organisation of the session

4. It is proposed that discussions be held as per the below tentative timetable. The Chair may propose adjustments as needed.

Wednesday 9 April

Opening	14:00 – 14:15	15 minutes
1st Discussion <i>(Item 4.e – Master copy</i> - Outline of Master Copy & Draft Chap. on Comparing and Combining Legal Structures)	14:15 – 16:00	105 minutes
Coffee Break	16:00 – 16:15	15 minutes
2nd Discussion <i>(Item 4.d – Digital Platforms)</i>	16:15 – 18:00	105 minutes

Thursday 10 April

1st Discussion <i>(Item 4.a – Companies)</i>	9:00 – 10:45	105 minutes
Coffee Break	10:45 – 11:00	15 minutes
2nd Discussion <i>(Item 4.b – Multiparty Contracts)</i>	11:00 – 12:45	105 minutes
Lunch at UNIDROIT	12:45 – 14:00	75 minutes
3rd Discussion <i>(Item 4.c – Cooperatives)</i>	14:00 – 15:45	105 minutes
Coffee break	15:45 – 16:00	15 minutes
4th Discussion <i>(Item 4.e Master copy (cont.) – Draft Introduction & Draft Glossary)</i>	16:00 – 17:30	90 minutes

Friday 11 April

1st Discussion <i>(Item 4.e Master copy (cont.) – Draft Chap. on Comparing and Combining Legal Structures)</i>	9:00 – 10:30	90 minutes
Coffee Break	10:30 – 10:45	15 minutes
2nd Discussion <i>(Item 4.e Master copy – Sustainability and Access to Credit)</i>	10:45 – 12:00	75 minutes
		30 minutes
3rd Discussion <i>(Item 5 – Organisation of future work)</i>	12:00 – 12:30	
Lunch	12:30 – 14:00	90 minutes
1st Open Drafting Meeting to oversee the work on the Master Copy and the development of the Draft Guide	14:00 – 15:30	90 minutes

Item No. 5 Organisation of future work

5. The proposed dates for the eighth session of the Working Group are Wednesday/Friday 15-17 October 2025.