

4.23 Niue



4.23.1 Niue's Draft National Biosafety Framework - Tokaga Motu (2006)

The key elements to the National Biosafety Framework: include a national biosafety policy; a regulatory regime; a system to handle requests (administrative, risk assessment, risk management and decision making processes); follow up actions (monitoring, inspections and enforcement); and systems for public awareness and participation.

4.23.2 Biosafety (Genetically Modified Organisms) Regulation (2006) (draft)

The Draft Regulation aims to manage import, development, field testing, release or export of LMOs and GMOs; protect the biodiversity, people and environment from their adverse effects; manage import and release of organisms that are not GM and are not found in Niue; regulate GMOs and modern biotechnology applications in Niue to manage their adverse effects on the environment and protect human health; facilitate economic development through beneficial use of products of modern biotechnology and ensure community awareness on matters relating to GMOs.

Source:

1. *Draft National Biosafety Framework - Tokaga Motu*. 2006. Government of Niue. (Available on <http://www.unep.org/biosafety/files/NUNBFrep.pdf>; accessed on 29 March 2008).