OBJECTIVES

Main Objective
- To assist DC in planning and implementing animal Identification and Recording (I&R) systems which will contribute to improving productivity of the livestock sector.

Specific Objective
- To develop a decision-support tool for implementing animal I&R systems for DC based on existing ICAR and FAO standards and guidelines.
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Activities

- By e-mail
  - Terms of references of the TF
  - Questionnaire about national programs
- Meeting 26 to 29 May (FAO-Budapest)
  - Review animal I&R systems in the TF members’ countries.
  - Review the proceedings of ICAR/FAO workshops animal I&R systems in developing countries.
  - Draft the outlines of a background paper
Activities

- Structure of the paper
  - TF’s definitions
  - Global context and the driving forces
  - Reasons of failures and requirements for success
  - Framework of the decision support tool for implementing I&R systems in DC

- FAO regional workshop on “Development of animal identification and recording systems for veterinary surveillance and livestock development in countries of Central and Eastern Europe” 29 to 30 May, 2008

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