



MINEPDED



**APPLICATION FORM FOR ACCESS TO GENETIC RESOURCES, THEIR
DERIVATIVES, AND ASSOCIATED TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE**

N°...../FDA/MINEPDED/ABS

I. IDENTIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT (legal representative of the structure for moral persons)

Name and Surnames:

Nationality:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Country of residence:

Occupation / Coporate name:

II. AUTHORIZATION REQUESTED

- ☐ Prior Informed Consent
☐ Mutually Agreed Terms
☐ ABS Permit
☐ Intellectual Property Right

III. ACCESS

1. Element Requested:

- ☐ Genetic Resource (GR) ☐ Associated Traditional Knowledge (aTK)
☐ Derivative of a Genetic Resource (to be specified):

2. Object Requested:

- ☐ Local Research ☐ Exportation
☐ Transfer of research Findings ☐ Other (to be specified):

3. Purpose of the request :

- ☐ Commercial ☐ Potentially commercial ☐ Non commercial
☐ Research-development ☐ Fundamental research ☐ Development of a research
☐ Transfer of research findings ☐ Protection of research findings
☐ Other (to be specified):

4. Collection description

Location of collection / Areas :
Duration of collection :
Number of collection :
Quantity per collection:
Frequency of collection:
Collection approach /techniques.....
Restoration of exploited sites approach /techniques:
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Management of quantities requested:
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IV. IDENTIFICATION OF GR/aTK

1. Type of Biological Resource (BR)

- ☐ Animal ☐ Plant ☐ Micro-Organism
☐ Other (to be specified):

2. Scientific, common and/or local name of BR *(known to user and supplier)*

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3. Part of the BR requested

- ☐ Leaves ☐ Roots ☐ Bark ☐ Seed ☐ Flower
☐ Serum ☐ Tissue ☐ Fluid ☐ Dander ☐ Insect
☐ Other (to be specified):



4. Description of the associated Traditional Knowledge (aTK):
5. Location of BR/aTK (*all available information, if possible, GPS*).....
6. Sought after GR properties :.....
7. Research location/areas of the GR and/or aTK :.....
8. Development location/areas of the GR and/or aTK :.....

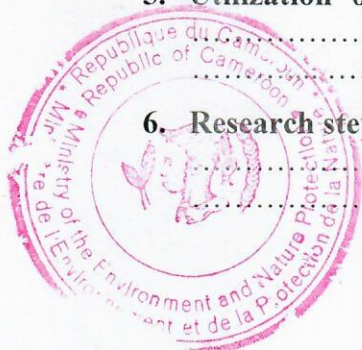
V. PROJECT SUMMARY

1. Project title :
2. Project justification :
3. Objectives :
4. Sector Concerned:

☐ Cosmetic	☐ Pharmaceutical	☐ Veterinary medicine
☐ Food	☐ Fragrance	☐ Human medicine
☐ Flavor	☐ Agriculture	☐ Beverage
☐ Horticulture	☐ Livestock breeding	
☐ Taxonomy	☐ Conservation	☐ Aquaculture
☐ Other (to be specified):		

5. Utilization of the GR/aTK :

6. Research steps:



7. Collaborators / Partners (Identity, addresses, contact) :

8. Project duration :

Documents required (for Prior Informed Consent):

For access to genetic resources

- Stamped application addressed to the Minister of Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development;
- Legalized photocopy of the National Identity Card for nationals;
- Legalized photocopy of the passport for foreigners;
- Legalized document for legal persons;
- Identity of the legal representative of the legal person;
- Detailed project document ;
- Evidence of the quality of the teaching staff-researcher or student in a Cameroonian university, if applicable;
- Receipt of payment of the study fees to the National Environmental and Sustainable Development Fund¹.

For access to Traditional Knowledge

- Stamped application addressed to the Minister of Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development;
- Legalized photocopy of the National Identity Card for nationals;
- Legalized photocopy of the passport for foreigners;
- Legalized document for legal persons;
- Identity of the legal representative of the legal person;
- Authorization and/or permit provided for by the regulations in force;
- Detailed Project document ;
- Receipt of payment of the study fees to the National Environmental and Sustainable Development Fund.

If applicable

- Research permit obtained from the Ministry of Scientific Research and Innovation;
- Material Transfer Agreement issued by legal representative of the entity of the institutions;
- Partnership agreement between the University institutions signed by the legal representatives of the institutions, where applicable.

Amount of application study fees:

Material transfer abroad: for Nationals 100 000 CFAF (natural persons), 300 000 CFAF (legal persons).
for foreigner 500 000 CFAF (natural persons), 1000 000 CFAF (legal persons).

Transfer of research findings: 1 000 000 FCFA;

Use of or get an intellectual property right on a genetic resource and / or associated traditional knowledge: 500 000 FCFA.

**Kindly note that all fields must be completed.*

At..... the.....

Signature of the Applicant

(Read and approved)

¹ The National Environmental and Sustainable Development Fund is located at MINEPDED (Ministerial building N°2), 8th floor, door 843. Door 734 to submit the file

