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Act VIII of 2014

**publishing the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and
Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilisation to the Convention on
Biological Diversity**

Article 1 With this Act, Parliament grants authorisation for the recognition of the binding effect of the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilisation to the Convention on Biological Diversity (hereinafter referred to as: Protocol).

Article 2 Parliament hereby publishes the Protocol with this Act.

Article 3 The official text of the Protocol and its official Hungarian translation are the following:

[...]

Article 4 (1) With the exceptions specified in Paragraph 2, this Act enters into force on the first day after its publication.

(2) Articles 2 and 3 enter into force at the time specified in Article 33 of the Protocol.

(3) The calendar date when the Protocol and Articles 2 and 3 enter into force shall be established by the Minister responsible for foreign policy by publishing an announcement in the Hungarian Official Journal immediately as soon as the date has been revealed.

(4) The Government is hereby authorised to adopt a decree on the detailed rules of access to genetic resources and the fair and equitable sharing of benefits arising from their utilisation, the legal consequences of the violation of the rules and to appoint the competent authority and the national focal point.

(5) Adopting measures for the implementation of this Act is the responsibility of the Minister responsible for nature conservation.