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## **Legitimate Interest of the Breeder A CSTA Definition**

UPOV 1991 specifically refers to the “legitimate interests of the breeder” but does not define the term. CSTA defines the term as:

“Recognition and respect of the breeder’s right to receive compensation for the initial and subsequent use of the innovation that reflects the value that the innovation brings to the purchaser/user.”