

■ The Coordinating Meeting of Sustainable Agricultural Arab Development Strategy 2005-2025, Amman, Jordan, 28-30 June 2005

AARINENA has participated with Arab, regional and international agencies and institutions in the Coordinating Meeting of Sustainable Agricultural Arab Development Strategy for 2005-2025, which was held in Amman during 28-30 June 2005. His Excellency Minister of Agriculture in Jordan inaugurated the meeting, and pleased that the Strategy 2005-2025 will be documented. Director General of Arab Organization for Agricultural Development (AOAD), Dr. Salem Al Louzi, assured that the intended strategy will follow the methodology approach adopted by the Executive Council of AOAD.

Discussions of participants on the main technical and arrangement aspects of preparing the Sustainable Agricultural Development Strategy 2005-2025,

constituted the core element of the strategy document, in order to further exchange and promote research partnership between relevant partners.

The meeting adopted the following recommendations:

- * Ensure preparing the strategy document, which will be sectoral strategy in the frame of Arab Social and Economic Development strategy.
- * Include implementation programs and timeline in strategy document, and propose an effective mechanism for executing and monitoring.
- * Ensure cooperation between AOAD and relevant agencies and institutions in preparing such strategy.
- * The General Management of AOAD will contact the interested parties to participate in preparing the strategy.