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## CPVO Administrative Council elects new Chair and Deputy Chair for the period 2020 - 2023

On 30 September 2020, the Administrative Council of the Community Plant Variety Office held its first entirely virtual meeting since the establishment of the CPVO in 1995.

During the meeting, the members of the Administrative Council elected their new Chair and Deputy Chair for the period 2020 — 2023. The new Chair is Mr. Marien Valstar from The Netherlands , who was previously Deputy Chair, and the new Deputy Chair is Dr. José Antonio Sobrino Maté, from Spain . Both assignments took effect on 5 October 2020.

"The election of Marien Valstar as Chair of the CPVO...