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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE: PRESENTS: SHALL COME:

FNP, Inc.

Whereas, there has been presented to the

Administrator of the Agricultural Marketing Service

An application requesting a certificate of protection for an alleged novel variety of sexually reproduced, asexually reproduced, or tuber propagated plant, the name and description of which are contained in the application and exhibits, a copy of which is hereunto annexed and made a part hereof, and the various requirements of law in such cases made and provided have been complied with, and the title thereto is, from the records of the PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, in the applicant(s) indicated in the said copy, and whereas, upon due examination made, the said applicant(s) is (are) adjudged to be entitled to a certificate of plant variety protection under the law.

Now, therefore, this certificate of plant variety protection is to grant unto the said applicant(s) and the successors, heirs or assigns of the said applicant(s) for the term of TWENTY years from the date of this grant, subject to the payment of the required fees and periodic replenishment of viable germplasm material of the variety in a public repository as provided by law, the right to exclude others from selling the variety, or offering it for sale, or reproducing it, or importing it, or exporting it, or conditioning it for propagation, or stocking it for any of the above purposes, or using it in producing a hybrid or different variety there from, to the extent provided by the PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT. (84 STAT. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)



ZOYSIA

'Green Zoa K Grass'

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this tenth day of December, in the year two thousand twenty one.

Attest:

Soft of

Commissioner
Plant Variety Protection Office
Agricultural Marketing Service

Administrator

Agricultural Marketing Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY:						
PVPO NUMBER:	FILING DATE:					
202100154	12/15/2020					
FILING AND EXAMINATION FEES PAID	DATE					
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ψ0,100	12/15/2020					
NAME OF OWNER: (Name to be printed on certificate)	2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NAME:					
FNP, Inc.	Green Zoa					
	3. VARIETY NAME:					
	Green Zoa K Grass					
4. ADDRESS:						
60, Noam-ro, Doan-myeon, Jeungpyeong-gun, Ch	ungcheongbuk-do 27902, Republic of Korea					
5. OWNER TELEPHONE: (+00 (000) 000-0000)	6. OWNER FAX NUMBER AND/OR EMAIL ADDRESS:					
+82-43-836-1751	+82-43-836-1753					
7. IF OWNER NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON", GIVE FORM OF OR	GANIZATION: (corporation, partnership, association, etc.)					
Corporation						
8. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION:	9. DATE OF INCORPORATION:					
Republic of Korea	September 3, 2002					
10. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER REPRESENTATIVE(S) A	• •					
(First person listed will receive all documents including the cer	tificate of protection)					
NAME(S): ADDRESS(ES):	material I.D.					
Cory ELLISON Morrison & Foe 425 Market Stre						
	CA, 94105, USA					
11.REPRESENTATIVE TELEPHONE: (+00 (000) 000-0000)	12. REPRESENTATIVE FAX:					
(415) 268-7452	(415) 268-7522					
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14. CROP KIND: (Common Name)	15. GENUS AND SPECIES:	16. FAMILY NAME: (Botanical)
Zoysiagrass	Zoysia japonica Steud.	Poaceae
17. IS THE VARIETY A FIRST-GENERATION	ON HYBRID?	I
O YES	● NO	
18. DOES THE VARIETY CONTAIN ANY B	IOTECHNOLOGY EVENTS? *	
O YES	● NO	
	le insertion of a nucleic acid construct into a sulphase. Coordinated Framework for the Regulati	
19. SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST, PLEASE	E INCLUDE WITH FINAL SUBMISSION	
20. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT S (See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety F	EED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD ONLY AS Protection Act)	A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED?
YES (If "yes", answer items 21 and	22 below)	
NO (If "no", go to item 23)		
O UNDECIDED		
21. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT S	SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO	NUMBER OF CLASSES?
O YES	○ NO	
IF YES, WHICH CLASSES?		
FOUNDATION	OREGISTERED	CERTIFIED
22. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT S	SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO	NUMBER OF GENERATIONS?
O YES	○ NO	
IF YES, SPECIFY THE NUMBER 1,2,3	, etc. FOR EACH CLASS:	
FOUNDATION	REGISTERED	CERTIFIED
COMMENTS:		

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23. HAS THE VARIETY (INCLUDING ANY HASOLD, DISPOSED OF, TRANSFERRED, OR			IS VARIETY BEEN
YES	NO		
IF YES, YOU MUST PROVIDE THE DATE OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES:	OF FIRST SALE, DIS	POSITION, TRANSFER, OR USE FOR EAC	CH COUNTRY AND
24. IS THE VARIETY OR ANY COMPONENT BREEDER'S RIGHT OR PATENT)?	OF THE VARIETY	PROTECTED BY INTELLECTUAL PROPER	RTY RIGHT (PLANT
YES	O NO		
IF YES, PLEASE GIVE COUNTRY, DATE O	F FILING OR ISSUA	NCE AND ASSIGNED REFERENCE NUME	BER:
1) Republic of Korea, granted on J	une 5, 2019 und	der Grant No. 197	
25. The owners declare that a viable seed sar within three months of filing. For a tuber prop deposited in a public repository within three m duration of the certificate. Germplasm will be	agated variety or vegonths of the date of	getatively reproduced variety, a germplasm s the Notice of Allowance letter. These will be	sample will be maintained for the
The undersigned owner(s) is(are) the owner of required in Section 42, and is entitled to prote is(are) informed that false representation here	ction under the provi	sions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Prote	
SIGNATURE OF OWNER:		SIGNATURE OF OWNER:	
/Cory Ellison/			
NAME: (Please print or type)		NAME: (Please print or type)	
Cory Ellison, Morrison & Foerster Patent Agent, Representative of C			
CAPACITY OR TITLE:	DATE:	CAPACITY OR TITLE:	DATE:
Representative	12/15/2020		

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19. CHECK LIST: (Please include with final submission)

ST-470 APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

31-470 AFFLIC	AHONF	ON PLANT VARIETT PROTECTION CERTIFICATE
Owner	and Varie	ety Information.
_	See UP	POV Explanatory Notes on Variety Denominations Under the UPOV Convention (https://www.upov.int/edocs/infdocs/en/upov_inf_12_4.pdf)
	See UP	POV Explanatory Notes on the Definition of Breeder Under the 1991 Act of the UPOV Convention (https://www.upov.int/edocs/expndocs/en/upov_exn_brd.pdf)
Exhibit	A. Origin	and Breeding History of the Variety
_	See UP	POV Explanatory Notes On The Definition Of Variety Under The 1991 Act Of The UPOV Convention (https://www.upov.int/edocs/expndocs/en/upov_exn_var.pdf)
Exhibit	B. Stater	ment of Distinctness
		POV General Introduction to the Examination of Distinctness, Uniformity and Stability and the oment of Harmonized Descriptions of New Varieties of Plants (https://www.upov.int/export/sites/upov/resource/en/tg_1_3.pdf)
Exhibit	C. Objec	ctive Description of Variety
	Please	submit the Exhibit C matching the subject crop (if one is not available please contact the PVPO) (https://www.ams.usda.gov/services/plant-variety-protection/pvpo-c-forms)
		tinctness, Uniformity, and Stability (DUS) testing guidance please see UPOV Database of Test nes for Specific Crop Kinds: (https://www.upov.int/test_guidelines/en/)
		ially issued DUS report may be submitted in place of an Exhibit C for most crops. Additional tion may be required during the examination. Please contact PVPO for more information.
Exhibit	D. Additi	onal Description of the Variety (Optional)
	Addition	nal information and Evidence (Including: Photographs, Data, Genetic Information, Attachments)
Exhibit	E. Stater	ment of the Basis of the Owner's Ownership
	Plant va	ariety protection can only be afforded to the owners (not licensees) who meet the following criteria:
	1.	If the rights to the variety are owned by the original breeder, that person must be a U.S. national, national of a UPOV member country, or national of a country which affords similar protection to nationals of the U.S. for the same genus and species.
	2.	If the rights to the variety are owned by the company which employed the original breeder(s), the company must be U.S. based, owned by nationals of a UPOV member country, or owned by nationals of a country which affords similar protection to nationals of the U.S. for the same genus and species.
	3.	If the owner is an owner who is not the original owner, both the original owner and the owner must meet one of the above criteria. The original breeder/owner may be the individual or company who directed the final breeding. See Section 41(a)(2) of the Plant Variety Protection Act for definitions.
FILING AND EX	AMINAT	ION FEE
Use eP Fee of S	VP, pay.ç \$5,150 cc	gov, credit card, or make checks and money orders payable to "Treasurer of the United States" overs application and certificate filing fee.
GERMPLASM D	DEPOSIT	
Germpl	asm has	been deposited with:
Technic	cal Infeas	ibility of Germplasm Deposit (Please contact PVPO)
Germpl	asm will b	pe deposited after PVP Certificate Issuance (Potato and Vegetatively Reproduced Varieties)

EXHIBIT A

dbc 6/21/2021 per applicant

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EXHIBIT A ORIGIN AND BREEDING HISTORY

		OMB Collection #0581-005	5			
NAME OF OWNER (S): P, Inc.		TEMPORARY OR EXPERIMENTAL DESIGNATION: Green Zoa		Green Zoa K Grass		S
I. PROPAGATION	:					
1. How is	the variety propag	gated?				
S	Sexually Propagat	ted:				
	Seed					
A	Asexually Propaga	ated:				
	Bulb	Cutting	0	Grafting	Layering	
	Offset	Suckering	0	Tissue Culture	Tuber	
	Other (Sp	pecify) Stolons				
II. GENEALOGY:						
the stock	plants. Please in	of the variety including the ownersl clude the breeding methods used, leted. (Please attach more pages	duration of	f breeding stages,		
at the sam 2) During found a va 3) 'Green zoysiagras 4) The var 5) The col are short.	ne time embryoge the cultivation of t ariant with green of Zoa' is a somatic ss. riant with green cr or of the creeper a		natic cells. e selection traditional culture pro cultivation the ground e tendency	of somatic mutant wild-type Korean z ocess of wild-type k was named 'Greer thing-is high, and the for stolon growth	s, the breeder oysiagrass. Korean n Zoa K Grass'. ne internodes	
Please se	e the Attachment	to Exhibit A for additional informati	on on the	genealogy of the va	ariety.	
2. Give th	e details of subse	quent stages of selection and mult	tiplication.			
Year(s) Detail of Stage			Selection	n Criteria		
		of F1 seedlings				
		tion for analyzing variety properties				
	Comparative cultivat	tion for analyzing variety properties				
2014 Analysis of		t resistance for the variety				

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EXHIBIT A ORIGIN AND BREEDING HISTORY

The following statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995.

Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421).

Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).

OMB Collection #0581-0055

NAME OF OWNER (S):	TEMPOR	RARY OR EXPERIMENTA DESIGNATION:	AL VAI	RIETY NAME:
FNP, Inc.	Greer		Green 2	Zoa K Grass
III. UNIFORMITY:				
1. YES Is the v	ariety uniform?:			
A	. Yes	B. No		
2. How did you test	for uniformity?			
proliferating and ma 2) After runner proposition confirmed. 3) In the 2nd year of	aintaining. pagation, the length c of cultivation, the unif	eck variety are vegetative of the nodes per experime ormity requirement was s was confirmed in the 3rd	ental section is 3.21±0.2 satisfied because there v	cm, and green stolon was
IV. STABILITY:	variaty stable?			
1		B. No		
2. How did you test	for stability? Over ho	ow many generations?		
2) 3000 seeds of	'Green Zoa's self-fer	by selfing solation and its morpholo rtilized F1 individuals wer nated 'Green Zoa', only 2	re bred separately. grov	wn in separate pots.
3. YES Are get	netic variants observe	ed or expected during rep	production and multiplica	ition?
A	. Yes	O B. No		
If	Yes, state how these	e variants may be identifie		ncy.
20	000 soods of 'Groon 7	702's self-fertilized E1 ind	grown dividuals were bred sepa	arataly Among the E1

3000 seeds of 'Green Zoa's self-fertilized F1 individuals were bred separately. Among the F1 individuals of germinated 'Green Zoa', only 2 individuals had red stolon and showed 0.1% of recurrent ratio.

'Green Zoa'

Exhibit A Attachment - Origin and Breeding History

1. Propagation

While 'Green Zoa' is seed propagated, the variety can also be propagated asexually via stolons/runners.

2. Genealogy, Uniformity, and Stability

The information below provides a more detailed description of the genealogy and breeding history of 'Green Zoa', as well as assessment of the uniformity and stability of this variety.

The year 2010

- 1. Seeds obtained by self-fertilization of Zoysiagrass (*Zoysia japonica* Steud.) were germinated *in vitro* and at the same time embryogenic callus from somatic cells was induced.
- 2. During the selection of plant mutants from this embryogenic callus, a green cryptic variant that is different from Korean grass was found.
- 3. 'Green Zoa' is a somatic variant that appeared from the tissue culture process of wild grass.
- 4. The green ereeper variant that appeared on board was named 'Green Zoa'.
- 5. The color of the creeper and seeds on the ground is green, the groundling is high, and the internodes are short. the tendency for stolon growth

The year 2011

- 1. 'Green Zoa' was proliferated after purification and its morphological variations were investigated.
- 2. 3,000 seeds of 'Green Zoa's self-fertilized F1 individuals were bred separately.
- 3. Among the F1 individuals of germinated 'Green Zoa' F1, two individuals had red stolon and showed 0.1% regression to the stolon.

The year 2012-2013

1. To compare 'Green Zoa' with other zoysiagrass cultivars, comparative cultivation tests with existing varieties were performed.

2. Compared to zoysiagrass (*Zoysia japonica* Steud.) eultivar 'Jungji' as a control, 'Green Zoa' has a shorter length of runner-nodes, the density is high, the stolon is excellent, and the roots are well-developed.

3. For 'Green Zoa', the green period is longer than that of 'Jungji', and the color difference is shown when entering the dormant period.

varieties

4. A comparative test of resistance to rust between cultivars 'Green Zoa' and 'Jungji' was conducted to confirm that there is resistance (August - September, 2012).

The year 2013-2014

1. Characteristic investigations for 'Green Zoa' were performed together with cultivar 'Jungji' as a comparison variety.

stolons

2. Proliferation of 'Green Zoa' was done using runners (which is asexual propagation, not seed propagation), to maintain 'Green Zoa' characteristics.

For additional statement of uniformity and stability, see part 5 of attachment to Exhibit B. dbc 3/5/2021

Applicant reports selection criteria of: a) the length of the leaf was short in the open field, b) a green stolon came out and when it bloomed, the color of the calyx was green and the color of the seed was green, c) the length of the stolon was short, and d) resistance to rust was also shown when grown in the open field.

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EXHIBIT B

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EXHIBIT B STATEMENT OF DISTINCTNESS

NAME OF OWNER (S):	TEMPORARY OR EXPERIMENTAL		VARIETY NAME:	
FNP, Inc.	Green Zoa		Green Zoa K Grass	
BASED ON OVERALL MORPHOLOGY	Green Zoa K Grass (Subject Variety)	IS MOST SIMIL	AR TO Jungji (Korean wild-type variety) (Most Similar Variety(ies))	
The variety Green Zoa K Gra	most clearly differs from	Jungji (Korean w (Most Similar	ild-type variety) Variety(ies))	

Traits	Subject Variety	Most Similar Variety	Location of Evidence	
Qualitative Traits		-		
Underground stolon = rhizome	Length of underground stolon is short	Length of underground stolon is longer than	Evidence photographs attached - See Exhibit	
Root trait	Root growth is active and secondary roots are developed	'Green Zoa' Root growth is less active than 'Green Zoa'	B Attachment	
Color Traits Stolon Color	Dark Olive Green (5GY 4/6)	Dark Seal Brown (7.5YR 2/2)	Munsell Color Chart -	
Sheath Color	Light Yellowish Green (2.5GY 8/10)	Apple Green (5GY 7/12)	See Exhibit B Attachment	
Unripe Spikelet Color	Light Yellowish Green (2.5GY 8/8)	Ony x (5 R 2/2) dark red		
Quantitative Traits	13.87 +/- 0.83 cm	16.63 +/- 1.50 cm	Statistics attached -	
Plant Height Length of Stolon Internode Length of Inflorescence Number of Tillers	3.21 +/- 0.18 cm	5.76 +/- 0.21 cm 5.26 +/- 0.32 cm 2.90 +/- 0.14/cm ²	See Exhibit D	
Other Traits Green period	Greening occurs early and dormant entry speed is slow, so the green period is long.	Greening occurs late and dormant entry speed is fast, thus green period is shorter than 'Green Zoa'.	Evidence photographs attached - See Exhibit B Attachment	
Example Leaf Pubescence	Heavy Pubescence	Glabrous	Photograph attached	
Leaf Color	Dark Green (5GY 3/4)	Light Green (2.5GY 8/10)	Munsell Color Chart	
Plant Height	200 cm +/- 10 cm (N=25)	250 cm +/- 15 cm (N=25)	Statistics attached	

'Green Zoa'

Exhibit B Attachment - Statement of Distinctness

The information below provides additional information and evidence on the distinctiveness of zoysiagrass variety 'Green Zoa'.

General Summary of Distinctness

- 1. Species and scientific names: Zoysia japonica Steud.
- 2. Variety name: 'Green Zoa K Grass'
- 3. Main morphological characteristics of plants:

stolon growth

- Green stolon and strong groundling
- Long greening period due to fast early greening and slow transition to dormancy
- Because of the short robe length and short stolon length, the robe density is high.
- Resistant to dryness, coldness and rust
- When entering the dormant phase, the fallen leaves become lighter in color.
- Width of flag leaf is 2.1 mm on average, which is shorter than Jungji (WT) as a check variety.
- 4. Characteristics that distinguish 'Green Zoa' from the most similar variety 'Jungji':
 - The stolon of 'Jungji' is red; whereas 'Green Zoa' has a green stolon.
 - For 'Green Zoa', the lobe is shorter than 'Jungji' and the nodules of stolon are about 4-6 mm shorter, resulting in a higher lobe density.
 - The transition to autumn dormancy for 'Green Zoa'is slow and the fallen leaves are lighter in color than 'Jungji'
 - The roots of 'Green Zoa' are more developed than 'Jungji'
 - The onset of shoots, which is closely related to the green period, was found to be about 20-23 days earlier in 'Green Zoa' compared to 'Jungji'.
 - The flowering time of 'Jungii' is 5 to 7 days earlier than 'Green Zoa'.
 - There was no significant difference in inflorescence length between 'Green Zoa' and 'Jungji'.

- When entering the dormant phase, 'Green Zoa' becomes light greenish yellow compared to red the magenta of 'Jungji'.
- 5. The uniformity and stability of 'Green Zoa' is confirmed
 - 'Green Zoa' and 'Jungji' (which is a check variety) are vegetative propagation crops that have homogeneity by proliferating and maintaining.
 - After runner propagation, the length of the nodes per experimental section is 3.21±0.2 cm, and green stolon was confirmed.
 - In the 2nd year of cultivation, the uniformity requirement was satisfied because there was no occurrence of heterologous stolons and the uniformity was confirmed in the 3rd year of cultivation.
- 6. Additional information to help distinguish 'Green Zoa' from other similar varieties, primarily that 'Green Zoa' exhibits the following characteristics:
 - stolon growth
 Strong groundling with green stolon
 - Early greening is fast and entry to the dormant phase is slow, so the green period is long.
 - The denseness of the lobe is high due to the short length of the lobe and the length of the stolon.internode
 - Resistant to dryness and rust
 - When entering the dormant phase, 'Green Zoa' turns pale greenish yellow, compared to Jungji showing red leaves.

Photographs and Evidence of 'Green Zoa' Distinctiveness

1. Comparison of internode lengths between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). The photograph was taken at Jeungpyeong cultivation field, May 2, 2011.



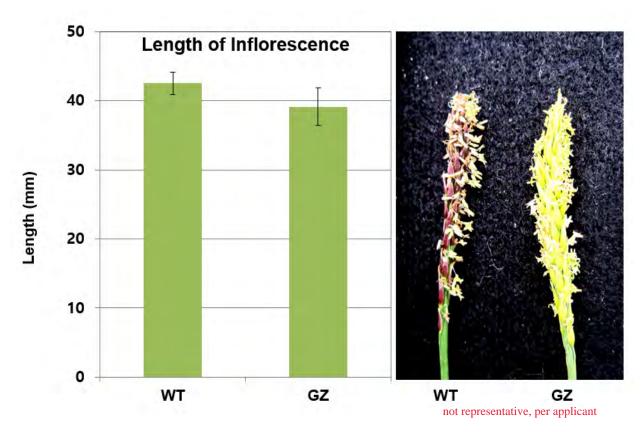
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2. Comparison of the morphology of major organs for 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT).



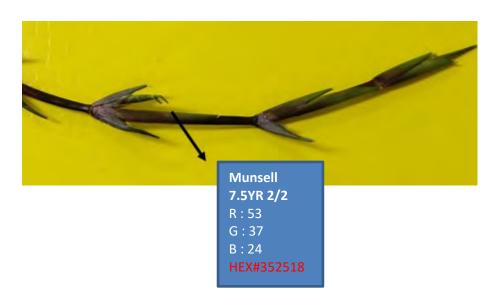
3. Comparison of inflorescence length between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT).



4. Comparison of ground stolon length between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Stolons of 'Jungji' (WT) and 'Green Zoa' (GZ) were cultivated in an open cultivation field. 'Green Zoa' has short green ground stolons.



5. Comparison of stolon color between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). 'Jungji' is shown in the top image (Munsell color chart 7.5 YR 2/2), and 'Green Zoa' is shown in the bottom image (Munsell color chart 5GY 4/6).

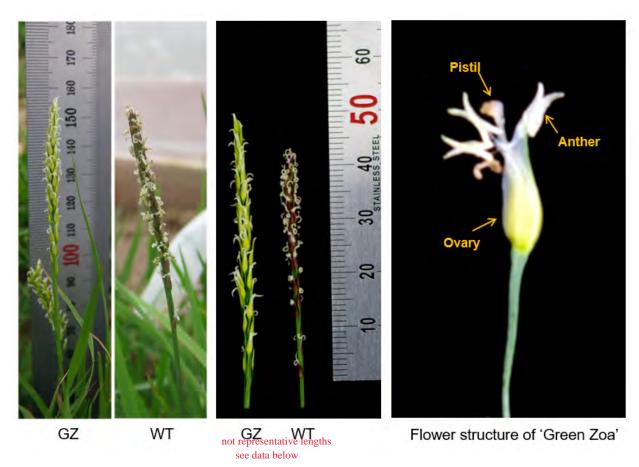




6. Comparison of underground stolons between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). 'Green Zoa' (GZ) has underground stolons that are short (red circle) and have strong root growth, and high density of secondary roots.

WT GΖ WI GZ

7. Comparison of inflorescence and flower between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT).



8. Summary of major traits between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are averages of n = 21-40, plants analyzed in April 2011.

Examined Traits	Jungji (WT)	Geen Zoa (GZ)
Height Length of Plant	16.63±1.5 cm	13.87±0.8 cm
Length of Internode	5.76±0.2 cm	3.21±0.2 cm
Length of Sheath	3.37±0.2 cm	7.37±0.6 cm
Length of Lateral Leaf	6.03±0.7 cm	6.60±1.0 cm
Width of Lateral Leaf	0.41±0.3 cm	0.44±0.01 cm
Length of Flag Leaf	2.50±0.3 cm	5.04±0.3 cm
Width of Flag Leaf	0.15±0.0 cm	0.21±0.0 cm
Length of Inflorescence	5.26±0.3 cm	4.5±0.4 cm
Width of Inflorescence	0.29±0.0 cm	0.31±0.0 cm
Length of Spikelet	1.21±0.0 cm	1.29±0.1 cm
Number of Spikelets per Spike	56.71±0.7	-53.86±1.3 54.6 +/- 1.2
Number of Tillers	2.90±0.1/cm ²	3.48±0.3 /cm ²

See Exh. D tables

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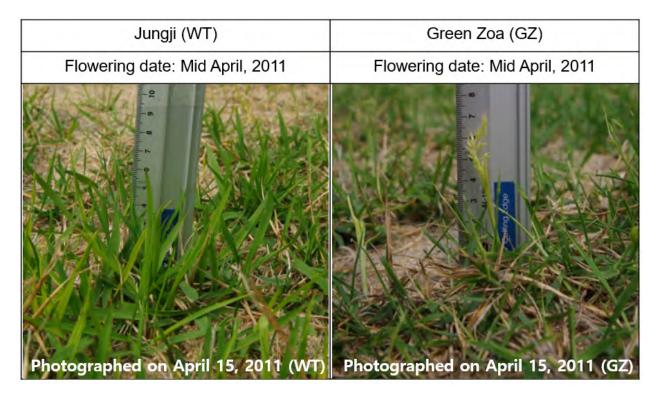
9. Comparison of shoot budding between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from Jeungpyeong Open Field: N36/S127.



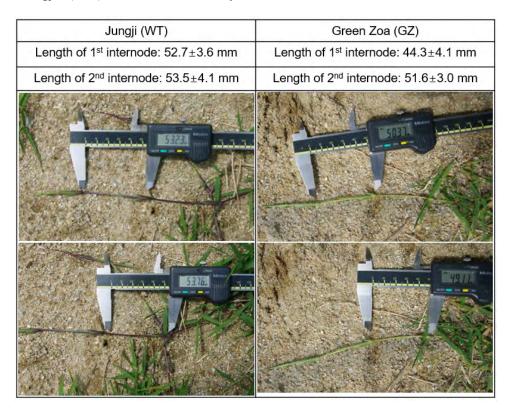
10. Comparison of stem budding between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT).



11. Comparison of flowering between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT).



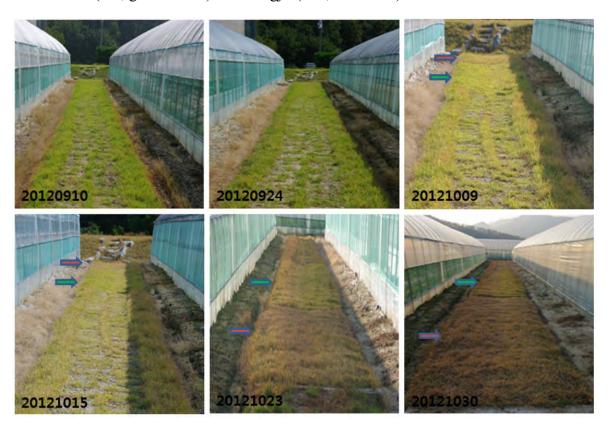
12. Comparison of shoot internode length between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from May 2, 2011.



13. Comparison of inflorescence length between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from May 2, 2011. Disagreement with table in 8. due to time of measurement.



14. Comparison of the green period between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from September – October 2012. Differences in the green period between 'Green Zoa' (GZ, green arrow) and 'Jungji' (WT, red arrow) are shown.



15. Comparison of entry of the dormant phase between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from late October – early November 2012.



New leaf of 5th internode (October 26, 2012)

New leaf of 5th internode (November 9, 2012)

16. Comparison of overall shape of plants with seeds between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungji' (WT). Data are from May 2011.





Fresh seeds are green.

Fresh seeds are reddish or brown.

rust 17. Comparison of tolerance against Lust between 'Green Zoa' (GZ) and comparative variety 'Jungii' (WT). Data are from August – September 2012.

DI	Н	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	DI	Description
	П	П		Ħ	8.8-194	N	Н	The color of the leaves is light green or dark green, and they are shiny.
Symptoms	Ш	И	1		Sale Sale	N	D1	Less than 5% of small lesions less than 1 mm appear on the leaves, leaf area affected;
	П	ŀ			Ĭ	M	D2	Less than 15% of lesions of 1-3 mm appear on the leaves.
			1000	Lesions		0.574	D3	The lesion is distributed up to 40% over the entire leaves and bleach progresses about 15%.
Description	No disease	~5% Progress	~ 15% + Bleach	~ 40% + Bleach	~ 60% + Bleach	~ 70% + Bleadh	D4	The lesion has a dark orange color and is distributed up to 60% over the entire leaves, and bleach proceeds about 40%.
			~5%	~15%	~ 40%	~ 50%	D5	Lesions are more than 70%, bleach progresses more than 50% and the damage begins in the shape of leaves.
GZ Out	brea	k		After	15 da	ays	Af	After 41 days After 55 days

EXHIBIT C

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE Exhibit C 🔾

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY Zoysiagrass (Zoysia spp.)

Zoysiagrass (<i>Zoysia</i> spp.)								
NAME OF APPLICANT (S)	TEMPORARY OR EX	(PERIMENTAL DESIGNATION	VARIETY NAME					
FNP, Inc.	Green Zoa		Green Zoa K Grass					
ADDRESS (Street and No. or RD No., City, State, Zip Code and Cot	intry)		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY					
60, Noam-ro, Doan-myeon, Jeungpy			PVPO NUMBER					
Chungcheongbuk-do 27902, Republ	ic of Korea		202100154					
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY:								
Place the appropriate number that describes the varie measurements, should represent those that are typica recognized color fan may be used to determine plant	al for the variety. N	Measured data should be for SP.	CED PLANTS. Royal Horticultural Society or					
	STAND	ARD CHECK VARIETIES						
1 = Common (Seed propagated, South Kore	ean) 3	3 = Emerald (Vegetatively Propa	pated)					
2 = Meyer (Vegetatively Propagated)	orean Wild-type)							
1. SPECIES:								
1 = Zoysia japonica 2 = Zoysia m	atrella 3	3 = Zoysia tenufolia 4	Other (Specify)					
2. PLOIDY:								
2 1 = Diploid 2 = Tetraploi	d	20 Diploid Chromosome Nur	ber					
3. ADAPTATION: (0 = Not Tested, 1 = Not Adapted,	2 = Adapted)							
O Northwest	O_North Central	_	Northeast					
West Central	O_Central		East Central					
0 Southwest 0 South Central 0 Southeast								
2 Other Region: Jeungpyeong-gun	, Chuncheon	ngbuk-do, Republic of	Korea					
4. RHIZOMES:								
1 = No Rhizomes 2 = Weakly F 4 = Heavily Rhizomatous (Emerald)	Rhizomatous (Com	mon) 3 = Moderately R	nizomatous (Meyer)					
cm Spread in one year; Test Area:								

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Fewer Than Check Variety: Jungji

More Than Check Variety: ___

O Percentage of Plants with Another Color (Specify Color):

1.78 mm Maximum Diameter of Third Internode

0.07 mm Narrower Than Check Variety: Jungji

Same as Check Variety:

__ Wider than Check Variety: __

3.48 Number of Growing Points per Node Cluster

____ mm Narrower Than Check Variety: _____

5 = Medium (Meyer)

6. LATERAL LEAF:

Ligule Hear Length

7 Width Class

3 Winter Color

7 _{Color:}

5. STOLONS AND SHOOTS:

3.21 cm Length of Third Internode

Same as Check Variety: _

2.55 cm Shorter Than Check Variety: Jungji

1 = Short

5 = Medium

9 = Long4.4 mm Width (at Widest Part)

Same as Check Variety: ___

0.3 mm Wider Than Check Variety: Jungji

66.0 mm Length (3rd or 4th Leaf Below Apical Meristem)

cm Longer Than Check Variety: _____

Percentage of Plants with Anthocyanin Pigmentation

mm Shorter Than Check Variety:

Same as Check Variety: _ 5.7 mm Longer Than Check Variety: Jungji

7 = Coarse

1 = Gold

1 = Light Green (Emerald)

7 = Dark Green (Meyer)

3 = Light Brown

3 = Medium Fine (Emerald) 9 = Very Coarse

5 = Dark Brown

3 = Medium Light Green

9 = Dark Blue Green

7 = Purple

9 = Green

5 = Medium Dark Green (Common)

7. FLAG LEAF:

1_ Ligule Hair Length

1 = Short

5 = Medium

9 = Long

50.4 mm Length

mm Shorter Than Check Variety: ___

Same as Check Variety: __

25.4 mm Longer Than Check Variety: Jungji

2.1 mm Width (at Widest Part)

mm Narrower Than Check Variety: _____

Same as Check Variety: __

0.6 mm Wider Than Check Variety: Jungji

8. SPIKE:

 $9.\overline{37}_{mm}^{cm}$ Length From Flag Leaf Collar to Tip

2.00 cm Shorter Than Check Variety: Jungji

Same as Check Variety: ___ mm Longer Than Check Variety: ___

Number of Spikelets per Spike

Same as Check Variety: ___

0.03 Percentage of Plants with Purple Anthers

 $4.5 \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{-mm}} \text{Length From Bottom Spikelet to Tip}$

0.76 mm Shorter Than Check Variety: Jungji

Same as Check Variety: ____

mm Longer Than Check Variety: ___

12 Number of Seadheads per cm²

Fewer Than Check Variety: ___

Same as Check Variety: ____

1 More Than Check Variety: Jungji

99.97 Percentage of Plants with Yellow Anthers

0.03 Percentage of Spikes with Anthocyanin Pigmentation

	Exhibit C (20ysiagrass)
9. SEED: 1,693 Number of Seeds per gm	
Fewer Than Check Variety:	202
Same as Check Variety: 116 More Than Check Variety: Jungji	202100154
3.82 mm Glume Length 1.14 mm Glume Width	7
mm Shorter Than Check Variety: 0.13 mm Narrower Than Check Variety: Jungji	4 —
Same as Check Variety: Same as Check Variety:	_
0.33 mm Longer Than Check Variety: Jungji mm Wider Than Check Variety:	
Percentage of Glumes with Awns mm Awn Length	
10. COLD TOLERANCE:	
Cold Tolerance 1 = Low 3 = Moderately Low (Emerald) 5 = Moderate 7 = Moderately High (Meyer, Common) 5 = High	
11. DISEASE AND INSECT: (1 = Least Resistant, 9 = Most Resistant)	
Brown Patch (<i>Rhizoctonia solani</i>) Melting Out (<i>Helminthosporium</i> spp.)	
Dollar Spot (Schlerotinia homeocarpa) Spring Dead Spot	
9 Rust (Puccinia Zoysiae) Billbugs (Sphenophorus ventus-vestitus)	
Fading Out (<i>Curvularia</i> spp.) Chinchbugs (<i>Blissus</i> spp.)	
Other Disease or Pest (Specify):	

12. EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN*:

*Please explain the methods, conditions and experimental designs and data analysis method(s) utilized to collect and evaluate the data for the variety described within this application and reported on this form.

'Green Zoa' and 'Jungji' (WT) as a check variety (each n=25 or 7) Were grown in the same place and under the same conditions. Plant material was collected, and the length and weight of each part were measured with calipers and scale, respectively, and the average and standard deviation were calculated using Excel software (See Exhibit D). Rhyzome spread rate per year was not measured.

EXHIBIT D

'Green Zoa'

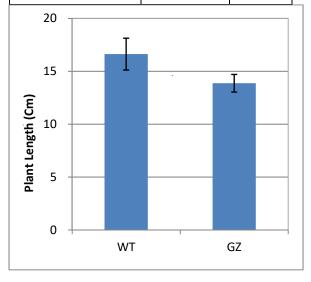
Exhibit D - Additional Description of the Variety

Data and Statistical Analysis

The data and information below provides raw data and statistical analyses related to the description of 'Green Zoa' found throughout the application. Where described in this attachment "GZ" refers to the subject variety 'Green Zoa', and "WT" refers to the comparison/check variety 'Jungji'.

1. Plant Height

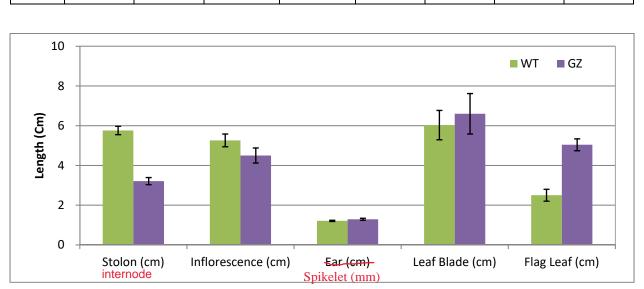
	Plant Hei	ght (cm)
	WT	GZ
	17.5	16.5
	22.5	14.5
	16.9	13.3
	18.5	11.9
	18	10.5
	10.5	16.4
	12.5	14
	WT	GZ
Plant Height AVG	16.63	13.87
S.D	1.50	0.83



too varied

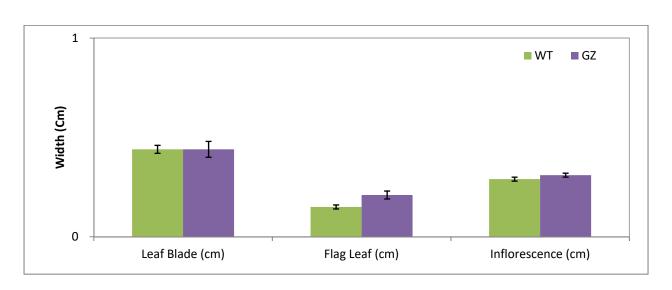
2. Plant Characteristics

	Length o		- a (autha)			of Ear (mm) spikelet	Length of Leaf Blade				
	WT	GZ	WT	GZ	WT	GZ	WT	GZ			
	5.67	3.27	4.5	5.5	1.3	1.4	4.4	4			
	5.4	3.97	5.8	4.5	1.2	1.5	10	5.5			
	6.83	2.93	6.2	4.8	1.1	1.3	1.3 6.1				
	5.33	2.77	6.3	3.4	1.2	1.2	6.6	4			
	6.07	3	5	6	1.3	1.2	4.3	8			
	5.88	3.73	4.8	3.8	1.2	1.3	4.8	11.8			
	5.17	2.77	4.2	3.5	1.2	1.1	6	6.4			
AVG	5.76	3.21	5.26	4.50	1.21	1.29	6.03	6.60			
S.D.	0.21	0.18	0.32	0.38	0.03	0.05	0.74	1.02			



	Width o	f Leaf Blade	Width Leaf (of Flag	Width of Inflorescence (cm)					
	WT	GZ	WT	GZ	WT	GZ				
	0.5	0.4	0.08	0.2	0.3	0.3				
	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4				
	0.5	0.3	0.12	0.2	0.3	0.3				
	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3				
	0.5	0.5	0.25	0.2	0.3	0.3				
	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3				
	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3				
Mean	0.44	0.44	0.15	0.21	0.29	0.31				
S.D.	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01				

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SUMMARY TABLE

		WT	GZ	WT_S.D	GZ_S.D
Length	Stolon (cm)	5.76	3.21	0.21	0.18
Spike	Inflorescence (cm)	5.26	4.50	0.32	0.38
	Ear (cm) Spikelet (mm)	1.21	1.29	0.03	0.05
	Leaf Blade (cm)	6.03	6.60	0.74	1.02
	Flag Leaf (cm)	2.50	5.04	0.30	0.30
Width	Leaf Blade (cm)	0.44	0.44	0.02	0.04
	Flag Leaf (cm)	0.15	0.21	0.01	0.02
	Inflorescence (cm)	0.29	0.31	0.01	0.01

Spikelet

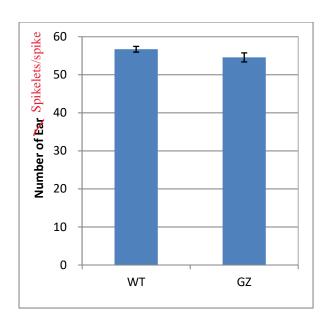
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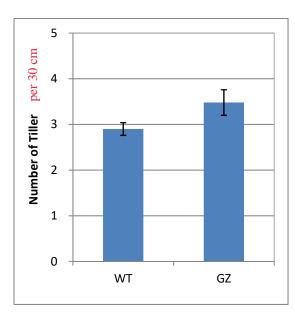
3. Ear Characteristics

Spikelets/spike

	Numbe	er of Ear	Numbe	er of Tillers
	WT	GZ	WT	GZ
	56	56	3	4.67
	58	58	2.67	3.33
	59	55	2.33	3
	58	48	3.33	4.33
	56	56	2.67	3
	53	54	3	3.33
	57	55	3.33	2.67
AVG	56.71	54.57	2.90	3.48
S.D.	0.75	1.19	0.14	0.28

(means of 3 lengths of 30 cm), per applicant





																											4	_	
		Unit: mm	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10.00	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	Avg.	S.D.
Stolons and Shoots	Length of Third Internode (CTM) mm	Green Zoa	32.32	33.42		31.35	33.59	31.29	34.21	32.52		28.35	31.49											32.72	30.19		32.62	32.12	2
	3	Jungji (WT)	57.32	58.25		56.54	60.24	56.26	58.24	56.22		59.62	57.25					56.21	56.24						58.25			57.6	2.02
	Maximum Diameter of Third Internode (mm)	Green Zoa	1.72	1.79	1.84	1.79	1.64	2.06	1.62	1.76	1.82		1.72	1.85	1.84	1.69	1.79	1.82	1.77	1.78	1.85		1.74	1.77			1.81	1.78	0.08
		Jungji (WT)	1.94	2.01	1.98	1.92	1.68	1.87	1.61	1.58	1.77	2.03	1.81	1.83	1.98	2.02	1.95	1.88	1.78	1.74	1.61	1.68	1.89	1.92	1.81	1.89	1.99	1.85	0.14
	Percentage of Plants with Anthocyanin Pigmentation	Green Zoa	x	х	x	x	x	x	х	х	x	x	х	х	х	х	х	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	х	х	x	0%	
		Jungji (WT)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%	
	Number of Growing Points per Node Cluster (Number of Tillers)	Green Zoa	4.67	3.33	3	4.33	3	3.33	2.67		Avg.	3.48		0.28															
		Jungji (WT)	3	2.67	2.33	3.33	2.67	3	3.33		Avg.	2.90		0.14															
Lateral Leaf	Length (3rd or 4th Leaf Below Apical Meristem) (mm)	Green Zoa	59.32	72.52		60.32	64.24					74.52	75.46		52.46							75.56						66.01	10.04
		Jungji (WT)	66.24	51.12		52.56	68.45		52.21	51.06		63.13	63.01					61.24							52.21			60.3	6.96
	Width (at Widest Part) (mm)	Green Zoa	4.47	4.42	4.36	4.39	4.41	4.44	4.43	4.44	4.37		4.45	4.42	4.51	4.25	4.43	4.35	4.51	4.33	4.54		4.35	4.48	4.25		3.85	4.4	0.14
51 · · ·		Jungji (WT)	4.24	4.28	4.23	3.58	4.21	3.69	3.65	4.29	4.02	4.14	4.32	4.43	4.14	4.41	4.24	4.02	4.32	4.31	4.28	3.69	3.69	3.54	4.51	3.72	4.42	4.09	0.31
Flag Leaf	Ligule Hair Length (mm)	No Ligule Hair				F0.0		40.7				FO 40																	
	Length	Green Zoa	50.8 25.4	49.3 25.8		52.2 28.3	50.1 24.5	48.7 23.2	50.2 23.5		Avg.	50.40 24.99		1.21															
	18/5date (na 18/5dana Pana) (nana)	Jungji (WT) Green Zoa		25.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0		Avg.	2.10		0.36															
	Width (at Widest Part) (mm)	Jungji (WT)	2.1 1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6		Avg. Avg.	1.50		0.08															
Spike	Length from Flag Leaf Collar to Tip (mm)	Green Zoa	11.0	10.0	8.5	8.5	4.5	12.6	10.5		Avg. Avg.	9.37		2.58															
Spine	>CM	Jungji (WT)	13.0	16.7	10.7	12.2	13.0	5.7	8.3		Avg.	11.37		3.57															
	Length from Bottom Spikelet to Tip (mm)	Green Zoa	5.5	4.5	4.8	3.4	6.0	3.8	3.5		Avg.	4.50		1															
	cengar non bottom spikeret to rip (man)	Jungji (WT)	4.5	5.8	6.2	6.3	5.0	4.8	4.2		Avg.	5.26		0.84															
	Number of Spikelets per Spike	Green Zoa	56.00	58.00	55.00				55.00		Avg.	55.00		3.15															
		Jungji (WT)	56.00	58.00	59.00	58.00	56.00	53.00	57.00		Avg.	57.00	S.D.	1.98															
	Number of Seedheads per cm2	Green Zoa	10.00	13.00	11.00	14.00	9.00	14.00	16.00		Avg.	12.00	S.D.	2.51															
		Jungji (WT)	12.00	10.00	10.00	9.00	11.00	11.00	14.00		Avg.	11.00	S.D.	1.63															
	Percentage of Plant with Purple Anthers. glumes	Green Zoa	0.03%																										
	<u>ک</u>	Jungji (WT)	99.50%																										
	Percentage of Plants with Yellow Anthers	Green Zoa	99.97%																										
		Jungji (WT)	0.50%																										
	Percentage of Plants with Another Color (Specifiy Color)	Green Zoa	0.00%																										
		Jungji (WT)	0.00%																										
								of seeds	per g																				
Seed	Number of Seeds per gram	Green Zoa	161 146	180 173		508 473	1693 1577																						
	Glume Length (mm)	Jungji (WT) Green Zoa	4.32	3.74	3.7	4.01	3.4	3.3	3.43	3.53	3.81	3.65	3.31	3.67	4.07	3.55	3.82	3.59	3.84	4.34	3.97	3.93	3.83	4.71	3.96	3.64	4.46	3.82	0.36
	Gluine Length (min)	Jungji (WT)	3.77	3.49	3.28	3.78	3.73	3.17	3.86	4.23	3.29		3.36	3.59	3.85	3.25	3.88	3.03	3.04	3.57	3.18		3.73	3.33	3.87		3.76	3.49	0.58
	Glume Width (mm)	Green Zoa	1.15	1.24	1.12	1.06	3.73	1.17	1.05	1.22	1.43		0.95	1.16	0.84	1.33	1.07	1.05	1.13	1.34	1.15		1.3	1.01	1.03		1.36	1.14	0.14
		Jungji (WT)	1.37	1.01	1.22	1.07	1.38	1.23	1.38	1.04	1.12		1.12	1.08	1.14	1.04	1.2	1.11	1.14	1.17	1.21		1.16	1.24			1.26	1.27	0.54
	Percentage of Glumes with Awns	No Awe																											
	Awn Length (mm)																												
	Spread in one year (cm)	Green Zoa	70	47	54	47	44	41	67	51	57	52	43	39	53	41	59	51	51	46	43	54	59	54	55	48	41	50.68	7.94
		Jungji (WT)	67	54	59	51	67	54	59	51	47	51	67	51	55	63	62	52	61	57	55	59	61	57	55	49	49	56.52	5.87
RhizomesSpread in one year	Not determined	Green Zoa																											
		Jungji (WT)																											
	Plant Height (cm)	Green Zoa	16.5	14.5		11.9	10.5	16.4	14		Avg.	13.87		0.83															
	· iain i ioigin (oiii)	Jungji (WT)	17.5	22.5	16.9	18.5	18	10.5	12.5		Avg.	16.63	S.D.	1.5															

Table 1 - Trait Determination Data

EXHIBIT E

Form ST 470

OMB NO. 0581-0055 Expiration Date: 01/31/2022

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE

EXHIBIT E STATEMENT OF THE BASIS OF OWNERSHIP

The following statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995. Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426). OMB Collection #0581-0055

NAME OF OWN FNP, In			R EXPERIMENTAL NATION:	VARIETY NAME:
1 101 , 111	0.	Gree	n Zoa	Green Zoa K Gras
1. Does the owner	er own all rights to th	ne variety?		
_	YES	Ono		
	ease explain:			
2. Is the owner a	U.S. national or a L	J.S. based entity?		
C	YES	● NO		
If NO, g	ve name of country	:		
Repub	lic of Korea			
3. Is the owner th	e original owner?			
•	YES	ONO		
If NO, p	ease answer one o	f the following:		
A. If the	original rights to the	e variety were owned I	by individual(s), is (are)	the original owner(s) a U.S. national(s)?
	O YES		ONO	
	If NO, give name of	of country:		
B. If the	original rights to the company?	e variety were owned l	by a company(ies), is (a	are) the original owner(s) a U.S. based
	O YES		ONO	
	If NO, give name of	of country:		

4. Additional explanation on ownership (Trace ownership from original breeder to current owner):