CODEX ALIMENTARIUS COMMISSION

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PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA

Division of Competence between the European Union and its Member States according to Rule of procedure II paragraph 5 of the Codex Alimentarius

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1	Adoption of the Agenda	CX/CAC 15/38/1
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2	Report by the Chairperson on the 70th Session of the Executive Committee	REP15/EXEC
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote.	
3	Reports of the FAO/WHO Coordinating Committees	
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote.	
4	Proposed Amendments to the Procedural Manual	CX/CAC 15/38/2
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5	Development of Codex Standards and related Texts	
	(a) Final Adoption (at Steps 8, 5/8 and 5A)	CX/CAC 15/38/3
	- Comments Competence and Voting Rights are specified in Annex II	CX/CAC 15/38/3 Add. 1
	Competence and voting Rights are specified in Annex II	
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	Competence and Voting Rights are specified in Annex VI	
	(f) Amendments to Codex Standards and Related Texts	CX/CAC 15/38/8
	Competence and Voting Rights are specified in Annex VII	

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6	Matters referred to the Commission by Codex Committees	
	(a) Codex Work Management and Functioning of the Executive Committee	CX/CAC 15/38/9
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote.	CX/CAC 15/38/9-Add.1
	(b) Revitalisation of FAO/WHO Coordinating Committees	CV/C A C 15/20/10
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote. (c) Other Matters	CX/CAC 15/38/10
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7	Codex Strategic Plan 2014-2019: General Implementation Status	CX/CAC 15/38/12
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote.	
8	Financial and Budgetary Matters	
	(a) Codex Secretariat	CX/CAC 15/38/13
	(b) FAO/WHO Scientific Support to Codex	CX/CAC 15/38/14
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	(c) FAO/WHO Project and Trust Fund for Enhanced Participation in Codex	CX/CAC 15/38/18
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote.	
10	Relations between the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other International Organizations	CX/CAC 15/38/19
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11	Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons and Members of the Executive Committee elected on a geographical basis and appointment of the Regional Coordinators	CX/CAC 15/38/20
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote.	
12	Designation of Countries responsible for Appointing the Chairpersons of Codex Committees and Schedule of Sessions 2016-2017	CX/CAC 15/38/21
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote.	
13	Other Business	CX/CAC 15/38/22
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ANNEX I

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE PROCEDURAL MANUAL

Codex Body	Text	Reference
CCGP	Terms of Reference of the Committee on General Principles Member States Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/GP para. 41, Appendix III
CCGP	Procedures for the Elaboration of Codex Standards and Related Texts Member States Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/GP para. 49, Appendix IV
CCPR	Guidance to facilitate the establishment of maximum residue limits for pesticides (for inclusion as an Annex to the Risk Analysis Principles applied by the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/PR para 155, Appendix XI, Part A

FINAL ADOPTION (at Steps 8, 5/8 and 5A)

PART 1-STANDARDS AND RELATED TEXTS SUBMITTED FOR ADOPTION

Codex body	Standard and Related Texts	Reference	Step
CCPFV	Standard for Certain Canned Fruits (general provisions) (Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/PFV para. 29, Appendix II	8
CCPFV	Annex on Canned Mangoes (draft Standard for Certain Canned Fruits) (Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/PFV para. 29, Appendix II	8
CCPFV	Standard for Quick Frozen Vegetables (general provisions) (Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/PFV para. 76, Appendix III	8
CCPFV	Annex on Canned Pears (draft Standard for Certain Canned Fruits) (Proposed draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/PFV para. 42, Appendix II	5/8
CCPFV	Annexes for Certain Quick Frozen Vegetables: Leeks, Carrots, Corn-on-the-Cob, Whole Kernel Corn (draft Standard for Quick Frozen Vegetables) (Proposed draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/PFV para. 76, Appendix III	5/8
CCPFV	Standard for Ginseng Products (Proposed draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/PFV para. 87, Appendix IV	5/8
CCPFV	Food additive provisions in the standards for canned chestnuts and canned chestnut puree, canned bamboo shoots, canned mushrooms (certain canned vegetables), (Amendments) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/PFV para.101, Appendix V	
CCPFV	Food additive provisions for pickled fruits and vegetables and packing media provisions for pickled vegetables in Standard for Pickled Fruits and Vegetables (Amendments) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/PFV paras 98, 101 and 104, Appendix VI	
CCASIA	Regional Standard for Non-Fermented Soybean Products (Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/ASIA para. 44, Appendix IV	8

CCASIA	Sections "Food Additives" and "Methods of Analysis And	REP 15/ASIA	
	Sampling" of the <i>Regional Standard for Tempe</i> (CODEX STAN 313R-2013) (Amendments) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	para. 8, Appendix II	
CCFH	Hygiene sections in meat commodity Standards (Amendments) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FH para. 12, Appendix III	
CCFH	Guidelines for the Control of <i>Trichinella</i> spp. in Meat of Suidae (Draft) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FH para. 33, Appendix IV	8
CCFH	Code of Hygienic Practice for Low-Moisture Foods (Proposed draft) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FH para. 44, Appendix V	5/8
CCNFSDU	General Principles for the Addition of Essential Nutrients to Foods (Draft Revision) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 53, Appendix III	8
CCNFSDU	Additional or Revised Nutrient Reference Values for Labelling Purposes in the Guidelines on Nutrition Labelling (CAC/GL2-1985) (Proposed draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 82, Appendix IV Part 1	5/8
CCNFSDU	Nutrient Reference Value for Potassium in Relation to the Risk of Non- Communicable Disease (Proposed draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 116, Appendix V	5/8
CCNFSDU	Annex of the <i>Guidelines on Nutrition</i> Labelling (CAC/GL2-1985) (Amendments) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU paras 82, Appendix IV Part 2	
CCNFSDU	List of Food Additives in CODEX STAN 72- 1981 (Proposed draft revision) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 152, Appendix VI Part 1	-
CCNFSDU	Inclusion of zinc citrates in the Advisory Lists of Nutrient Compounds for Use in Foods for Special Dietary Uses Intended for Infants and Young Children (CAC/GL10- 1979) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 188, Appendix VIII	-
CCNFSDU	Standard for Foods for Special Dietary Use for Persons Intolerant to Gluten (CODEX STAN 118-1979), to add the term "Khorasan wheat" (Draft amendments) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 193, Appendix X	-

CCFO	Appendix 2 "List of Acceptable Previous Cargoes" of the Code of Practice for the Storage and Transport of Edible Fats and Oils in Bulk (CAC/RCP 36–1987) (Amendments) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FO para. 60, Appendix IV	
CCFO	Reference to Acceptance / Voluntary Application in Codex Standards for Edible Fats and Oils not Covered by Individual Standards (CODEX STAN 19-1981); for Named Vegetable Oils (CODEX STAN 211-1999), for Named Animal Fats (CODEX STAN 210-1999) and for Olive Oils and Olive Pomace Oils (CODEX STAN 33- 1981) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/FO para. 63	
CCMAS	Methods of Analysis and Sampling in Codex Standards (Draft and Proposed Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/MAS para. 42, Appendix III	
CCMAS	Principles for the Use of Sampling and Testing in International Food Trade –Explanatory notes (Proposed Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/MAS para. 83, Appendix IV	5/8
CCCF	Maximum levels for lead in fruit juices and nectars (excluding juices exclusively from berries and other small fruits), ready-to drink; canned fruits (excluding berries and other small fruits); canned vegetables (excluding canned brassica, canned leafy vegetables and canned legume vegetables); berries and other small fruits (excluding cranberry, currant and elderberry); cranberry; currant; elderberry; brassica vegetables; legume vegetables; fruiting vegetables, cucurbits; fruiting vegetables, other than cucurbits (excluding fungi and mushrooms) (Draft and Proposed Draft) European Union Competence /European Union Vote	REP 15/CF paras 49 and 50, Appendix IV	8 and 5/8
CCCF	Maximum levels for deoxynivalenol (DON) in cereal-based foods for infants and young children; in flour, meal, semolina and flakes derived from wheat, maize or barley; and in cereal grains (wheat, maize and barley) destined for further processing including sampling plans and performance criteria for methods of analysis (Draft) European Union Competence /European Union Vote	REP 15/CF para. 91, Appendix VI	8
CCFA	Specifications for the Identity and purity of food additives Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA para. 36, Appendix IV Part A	5/8
CCFA	Food additive provisions of the General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA) (Draft and Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA paras 58, 81,;113, Appendix VII (Parts A –E)	8 and 5/8

CCFA	International Numbering System for Food Additives (CAC/GL 36-1989) (Proposed Draft Revisions) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA para. 122, Appendix XII	5/8
CCFA	Food additives section of the Standard for Bouillons and Consommés (CODEX STAN 117-1981) (Revision) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA para. 58, Appendix VI	
CCFA	Food additives provisions of GSFA food category 12.5 "Mixes for soups and broths" and its sub-categories (Revision) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA para. 58, Appendix VII (Part F)	
CCFA	Food additive provisions of the GSFA related to the alignments of the five meat commodity standards (Correction) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA para. 58, Appendix VII (Part G)	
CCPR	MRLs for pesticides (Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/PR para 118, Appendix III	5/8
CCRVDF	MRLs for derquantel (sheep tissues), emamectin benzoates (salmon and trout tissues) and monepantel (sheep tissues) (Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/RVDF paras 70, 75 and 90, Appendix IV	5/8
CCRVDF	RMRs for dimetridazole, ipronidazole, metronidazole and ronidazole (Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/RVDF paras 92, Appendix VII	5/8
CCS	Standard for Non-centrifugated Dehydrated Sugar Cane Juice (Draft) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	CL 2015/16-CS	8

PART 2 – STANDARDS AND RELATED TEXTS HELD AT STEP 8 BY THE COMMISSION

Standard and Related Texts	Reference	Notes
Draft MRLs for BST	ALINORM 95/31, Appendix II	Held at Step 8 by 23rd CAC
European Union Competence European Union Vote		(ALINORM 03/41, para. 34)

ANNEX III

ADOPTION AT STEP 5

Codex Body	Standard and Related texts	Reference
CCFO	Standard for Fish Oils (Proposed Draft)	REP15/FO
	Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	para. 47, Appendix III
CCCF	Maximum level for inorganic arsenic in husked rice (Proposed Draft)	REP 15/CF
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	para. 69, Appendix V
CCCF	Code of Practice for the Prevention and Reduction of Mycotoxin Contamination in Cereals (CAC/RCP 51-2003)	REP 15/CF
	(general provisions applicable to mycotoxins in cereals) (Proposed Draft Revision)	para. 104, Appendix VII
	Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	
CCPR	MRLs for pesticides (Proposed Draft)	REP 15/PR
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	para 118, Appendix IV
CCMMP	General Standard for Processed Cheese (Proposed Draft)	CL 2015/15-MMP, Annex 1 and Annex 2, para. 13
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	and Annex 2, para. 15

ANNEX IV

REVOCATION

Codex Body	Standard and Related texts	Reference
CCPFV	Standard for Canned Pears (CODEX STAN 61-1981), Standard for Canned Mangoes (CODEX STAN 159-1987); Standard for Quick Frozen Carrots (CODEX STAN140-1983); Standard for Quick Frozen Corn-on-the-Cob(CODEX STAN 133-1981); Standard for Quick Frozen Leeks (CODEX STAN 104-1981); and Standard for Quick Frozen Whole Kernel Corn (CODEX STAN 132-1981) Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP15/PFV, paras 29, 42, 76).
CCCF	Maximum levels for lead in the GSCTFF namely: canned grapefruit, canned mandarin oranges, canned mangoes, canned pineapples, canned fruit cocktail, canned tropical fruit salad, canned asparagus, canned carrots, canned mature processed peas, canned mushrooms, canned palmito (palm hearts) and canned sweet corn European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/CF para. 51, Appendix IV
CCFA	Food additive provisions of the GSFA	REP 15/FA
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	para. 113, Appendix VIII
CCFA	Specifications for the 2,5-dimethyl-3-acetylthiophene (No. 1051) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FA Para. 36, Appendix IV, Part B
CCPR	MRLs for pesticides European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/PR para. 118, Appendix V

ANNEX V

PROPOSALS FOR NEW WORK

Codex Body	Text	Reference and Project Document
CCFICS	Principles and/or guidelines for the exchange of information (including questionnaires) between countries to support food import and export Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FICS paras 28 and 29, Appendix III
CCFICS	Guidance for monitoring the performance of National Food Control Systems Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FICS paras 36 and 37, Appendix IV
CCFICS	Principles and Guidelines for the Exchange of Information in Food Safety Emergency Situations (CAC/GL 19-1995) (Revision) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FICS paras 46 and 47, Appendix V
CCFICS	Guidelines for the Exchange of Information between Countries on Rejections of Imported Food (CAC/GL 25-1997) (Revision) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FICS paras 54 and 55, Appendix VI
CCNFSDU	Definition on Biofortification Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU paras 164 and 165, Appendix VII
CCNFSDU	NRV-NCD for EPA and DHA long chain omega-3 fatty Acids European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/NFSDU para. 191, Appendix IX
CCAFRICA	Regional Standard for dried meat Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/AFRICA para. 61, Appendix II
CCAFRICA	Regional Standard for fermented cooked cassava based Products Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/AFRICA para. 63, Appendix III
CCAFRICA	Regional Standard for Shea butter Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/AFRICA para. 65, Appendix IV
CCAFRICA	Regional Standard for <i>Gnetum</i> Spp leaves Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	REP 15/AFRICA para. 66, Appendix V

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CCFO	Addition of Palm Oil with High Oleic Acid (OxG) to the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils (CODEX STAN 210-1999) (Revision)	REP15/FO Para. 89, Appendix VI
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	
CCFO	Revision of Fatty Acid Composition and Other Quality Factors	REP15/FO
	of Peanut Oil to the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils (CODEX STAN 210-1999) (Revision)	Para. 97, Appendix VII
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	
CCFO	Revision of the Limit for Campesterol to the Standard for Olive	REP15/FO
	Oils and Olive Pomace Oils (CODEX STAN 33 –1981) (Revision)	Para. 118, Appendix VIII
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCCF	Code of Practice for the Prevention and Reduction of Mycotoxin	REP 15/CF
	Contamination in Spices	paras 143, Appendix VIII
	Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	
CCFA	Food category 01.1 "Milk and dairy-based drinks" and its sub-	REP15/FA
	categories of the General Standard for Food Additives (CODEX STAN 192-1995) (GSFA) (Revision)	para. 92, Appendix XI
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCFA	Sections 4.1.c and 5.1.c of the General Standard for the	REP15/FA
	Labelling of Food Additives When Sold as Such (CODEX STAN 107-1981) (Revision)	para. 164, Appendix XIV
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCPR	Establishment of Codex schedules and priority list of pesticides	REP15/PR
	for evaluation by JMPR	Para. 175, Appendix XII
	Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	
CCRVDF	Priority List of Veterinary Drugs requiring Evaluation or Re-	REP15/RVDF
	evaluation by JECFA	para. 112, Appendix VIII
	Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	
CCMMP	Standard for Dairy Permeate Powders	See Annex 1 of Codex document CX/CAC 15/38/6
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	CA CAC 13/30/0
CCCPL	Standard for Quinoa	CX/CAC 15/38/6 Add.1
_	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	

PROPOSALS FOR THE DISCONTINUATION OF WORK

Codex Body	Text	Reference
CCEURO	Regional Standard for Ayran (Proposed Draft)	REP15/EURO
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	para. 37
CCNFSDU	Standard for Processed Cereal-Based Foods for Infants and Young Children (CODEX STAN 74-1981) to Include a New Part B for Underweight Children (Proposed Draft Amendment)	REP 15/NFSDU para. 89
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCFA	Food additive provisions of the GSFA (Draft and Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP 15/FA para. 114, Appendix X (Parts A and B)
CCRVDF	MRLs for derquantel (sheep tissues), and monepantel (sheep tissues) (recommendations of the 75th JECFA) (Draft and Proposed Draft) European Union Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/RVDF para. 66, Appendix VI
CCFH	Annex on statistical and mathematical considerations to the Principles and Guidelines for the Establishment and Application of Microbiological Criteria Related to Foods (CAC/GL21-1997) Mixed Competence / European Union Vote	REP15/FH, para. 37
CCPR	Maximum Residue Limits for Pesticides (Draft and Proposed Draft)	REP15/PR, para 119, Appendix VIII
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	

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ANNEX VII

AMENDMENTS TO CODEX STANDARDS AND RELATED TEXTS

Codex Body	Text	Reference
CCFH	Principles and Guidelines for the Establishment and Application of Microbiological Criteria Related to Foods Mixed Competence European Union Vote	CAC/GL 21-1997
ССММР	Standard for Mozzarella European Union Competence European Union Vote	CODEX STAN 262-2006

ANNEX VIII

MATTERS REFERRED TO THE COMMISSION BY CODEX COMMITTEES: OTHER MATTERS

Codex Body	Text	
CCFH / CCCF/ CCFO	Information Documents	
	 Process by which the Codex Committee on Food Hygiene (CCFH) will undertake its work (CCFH); 	
	 Guidance for Risk Management Options in Light of Different Risk Assessment Outcomes (CCCF); and 	
	 Application of the Guidance to Facilitate the Establishment of MRLs for Pesticides for Minor Crops 	
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	
CCFO	Inclusion of provisions in Tables 3 and 4 into the main body of the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils (CODEX STAN 210-1991)	
	Mixed Competence / Member States Vote	
CCFA	Provision for carrageenan (INS 407) in the in the Standard for Infant Formula and Formulas for Special Medical Purposes Intended for Infants (CODEX STAN 72-1981)	
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCEURO	Language regime of CCEURO	
	Member States Competence / Member States Vote	
CCMAS	Biological and Functional Methods to Determine Paralytic Shellfish Toxicity in the Standard for Live and Raw Bivalve Molluscs (CODEX STAN 292-2008)	
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	
CCRVDF	Recombinant bovine somatotropins (rBST)	
	European Union Competence / European Union Vote	