CODEX COMMITTEE ON FOOD ADDITIVES

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Division of Competence and Voting Right

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

Agenda Item	Subject Matter	Document Reference
1	Adoption of the Agenda	CX/FA 23/53/1
	Member States Competence. Member States Vote. ¹	
2	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other subsidiary bodies	CX/FA 23/53/2
	MATTERS FOR ACTION	
	27 th Session of the Codex Committee on Fats and Oils (CCFO27): Use of mono- and diglycerides of fatty acids (INS 471)	
	42 nd Session of the Codex Committee on Nutrition and Foods for Special Dietary Uses (CCNFSDU42): Food Additive Sections in the Proposed Draft Revised Standard for Follow-Up Formula for Older Infants and Drink/Product for Young Children with Added Nutrients or Drink for Young Children	
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
3 (a)	Matters of Interest arising from FAO/WHO and from the 92 nd and 95 th Meetings of the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA) respectively	CX/FA 23/53/3
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
3 (b)	Proposed draft specifications for identity and purity of food additives arising from the 92 nd and 95 th JECFA meetings respectively	CX/FA 23/53/4
	- Comments at Step 3	CX/FA 23/53/4 Add. 1
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
4 (a)	Endorsement and/or revision of maximum levels for food additives and processing aids in Codex standards	CX/FA 23/53/5
	Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	

¹ This is without prejudice to the substantive competence that the European Union has for individual items on the Agenda.

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4 (b)	Alignment of the food additive provisions of commodity standards: Report of the EWG on Alignment	CX/FA 23/53/6
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
5 (a)	General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA): Food additive provisions for colours in food categories 01.0 through 03.0 and their subcategories including adopted provisions for colours with Note 161 and draft and proposed draft provisions (outstanding from CCFA52)	CX/FA 23/53/7
5 (b)	General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA): Report of the EWG on the GSFA	CX/FA 23/53/8
5 (c)	General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA): Proposals for new and/or revision of food additive provisions (replies to CL 2021/55-FA)	CX/FA 23/53/9
5 (d)	Status paper on all adopted food additives provisions in the GSFA for additives with sweetener function but not associated with Note 161	CX/FA 23/53/10
5 (e)	General information on the availability of data related to nitrates and nitrites (replies to CL 2021/82-FA)	CX/FA 23/53/11
5 (f)	Information on commercial use of ortho-phenylphenol (INS 231) and sodium ortho-phenylphenol (INS 232) in food (replies to CL 2021/83-FA)	CX/FA 23/53/12
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
6	Proposed draft revision to the International Numbering System (INS) for Food Additives (CXG 36-1989)	CX/FA 23/53/13
Mixed Competence.	- Comments at Step 3 Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 23/53/13 Add.1
7	Proposals for additions and changes to the Priority List of Substances proposed for evaluation by JECFA (replies to CL 2021/81-FA)	CX/FA 23/53/14
	Mixed Competence. Member States Vote.	
8	Discussion paper on mapping Food Categories of the GSFA to the FoodEx2 database	CX/FA 23/53/15
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
9	Discussion paper on the food additive provision for the use of trisodium citrate in FC 01.1.1 "Fluid milk (plain)"	CX/FA 23/53/16
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	

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10	Discussion paper on the use of certain food additives in wine production	CX/FA 23/53/17
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
11	Other Business and Future Work Competence and right to vote to be determined in the light of the	
12	issues to be dealt with (document not yet available). Date and Place of the Next Session	
12	Member States Competence. Member States Vote.	
13	Adoption of the Draft Report Member States Competence. Member States Vote. ²	

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