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Division of Competence

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 Member States Competence. Member States Vote. ¹	CX/FA 18/50/1
2	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other subsidiary bodies 2.1 Additional Matters European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/2 CX/FA 18/50/2 Add. 1
3 (a)	Matters of Interest arising from FAO/WHO and from the 84 th Meeting of the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA) European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/3
3 (b)	Proposed draft specifications for identity and purity of food additives arising from the 84 th JECFA meeting - Comments at Step 3 European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/4
4 (a)	Endorsement and/or revision of maximum levels for food additives and processing aids in Codex standards Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/5
4 (b)	Alignment of the food additive provisions of commodity standards: Report of the EWG on Alignment European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/6

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

5 (a)	General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA): Report of the EWG on the GSFA	CX/FA 18/50/7
5 (b)	General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA): Proposals for new and/or revision of food additive provisions (replies to CL 2017/47-FA)	CX/FA 18/50/8
5 (c)	Discussion paper in the use of nitrates (INS 251, 252) and nitrites (INS 249, 250)	CX/FA 18/50/9
5 (d)	Discussion paper on the use of the terms “unprocessed” and “plain” in the GSFA	CX/FA 18/50/10
	European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	
6	Proposed draft revision to <i>the International Numbering System (INS) for Food Additives</i> (CAC/GL 36-1989) - Comments at Step 3 Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/11 CX/FA 18/50/11 Add.1
7	Proposals for additions and changes to the Priority List of Substances proposed for evaluation by JECFA (replies to CL 2017/48-FA) Mixed Competence. Member States Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/12
8	Discussion paper on “Future Strategies for CCFA” Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 18/50/13
9	Other Business and Future Work <i>Competence and right to vote to be determined in the light of the issues to be dealt with (document not yet available).</i>	
10	Date and Place of the Next Session Member States Competence. Member States Vote.	
11	Adoption of the Draft Report Member States Competence. Member States Vote.²	

² This is without prejudice to the substantive competence that the European Union has for individual items in the Report.