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**CODEX COMMITTEE ON FOOD LABELLING  
(Forty-fourth Session)  
Asunción, Paraguay, 16 – 20 October 2017**

**European Union Comments on**

**Agenda item 9:**

**FUTURE WORK OF CCFL**

*Mixed Competence  
Member States Vote*

The European Union and its Member States (EUMS) support in particular the following topics:

- **Internet Sales/e-commerce**
- **Innovation – use of technology in food labelling**
- **Front of Pack Nutrition Labelling**
- **Allergen Labelling: updating food allergen labelling requirements**

**Other topics** can also be supported but are not considered as priorities for the EUMS:

- Date Marking – additional guidance:
  - Storage instructions and expected shelf life on products post opening;
  - Date marking on primary and secondary packaging.
- Alcohol Labelling and Guidance (alcohol strength and energy content as proposed in the Canadian discussion paper on future work)
- Labelling of Foods in Multipack format
- Harmonisation of criteria for the use of additional health mentions for specific types of food
- Updating of Standards
- Nutrition labelling/Ingredients labelling