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TO: Codex Contact Points
Interested International Organizations

FROM: Secretariat, Codex Alimentarius Commission, Joint FAO/WHO Food Standards Programme

SUBJECT: Request for Comments at Step 6 on a) Draft Nutrient Reference Values (NRVs) and b) Draft Revision of the Guidelines on Formulated Supplementary Foods for Older Infants and Young Children (CAC/GL 8-1991)

DEADLINE: 31 October 2012

COMMENTS:	To: Dr Pia Noble, Chairperson of the Committee, Federal Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Consumer Protection, Bonn, Germany, Fax: +49 228 99529 4965 Email: ccnfsdu@bmelv.bund.de	Copies to: Secretariat Joint FAO/WHO Food Standards Programme FAO Viale delle Terme di Caracalla 00153 Rome, Italy Fax: +39 (06) 5705 4593 E-mail: codex@fao.org
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BACKGROUND

1. The 35th Session of Commission adopted at Step 5: a) the proposed draft Nutrient Reference Values (NRVs) ¹ and b) the proposed draft revision of *the Guidelines on Formulated Supplementary Foods for Older Infants and Young Children* (CAC/GL 8-1991) ² (REP12/CAC, para. 121 and 125, Appendix IV). They will be considered by the Thirty-fourth Session of the Committee on Nutrition and Foods for Special Dietary Uses, Bad Soden am Taunus, Germany, 3 – 7 December 2012.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

2. Governments and interested international organizations wishing to comments on the above document, should do so in writing, in conformity with the *Procedure for the Elaboration of Codex Standards and Related Texts* (Procedural Manual of the Codex Alimentarius Commission), to the above address, before **31 October 2012**.

¹ REP12/NFSDU Appendix III

² REP12/NFSDU Appendix IV