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Agenda Item 4

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**JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME**  
**CODEX ALIMENTARIUS COMMISSION**  
**41<sup>st</sup> Session, FAO Headquarters, Rome, Italy, 2 - 6 July 2018**  
**FINAL ADOPTION OF CODEX TEXTS<sup>1</sup>**

1. In accordance with the Uniform Procedure for the Elaboration of Codex Standards and Related Texts, the following texts are submitted to the Commission for adoption:

- Draft standards and related texts submitted at Step 8;
- Draft standards and related texts submitted at Step 5 of the Accelerated Procedure (Step 5A);
- Proposed draft standards submitted at Step 5 with the recommendation of the subsidiary body concerned for the omission of Steps 6 and 7 (Step 5/8).
- Other standard and related texts.

2. These texts are listed in **Part 1** of this document.

3. Comments submitted in accordance with the Procedures for the Elaboration of Codex Standards and Related Texts are contained in CX/CAC 18/41/4.

4. Texts held at Step 8 by the Commission are listed in **Part 2** of this document.

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<sup>1</sup> For Codex meetings held from March 2018, the Standards and Texts submitted for adoption will be issued as Add. 1 to this document

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**Part 1 – Standards and related texts submitted for adoption**


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<b>Codex body</b>	<b>Standard and Related Texts</b>	<b>Reference</b>	<b>Job No.</b>	<b>Step</b>
CCFFV	Standard for Aubergines (Draft)	REP18/FFV Para. 19, Appendix II	N10-2014	8
CCFL	Revision of the <i>General Standard for the Labelling of Prepackaged Foods: date marking (CXS 1-1985)</i> (Draft)	REP18/FL Para. 32, Appendix II	N10-2013	8
CCFH	Revision of the <i>Code of Practice for Fish and Fishery Products (CXC 52-2003): Guidance for histamine control</i> (Proposed Draft)	REP18/FH Para. 40, Appendix II	N02-2016	5/8

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**Part 2 – Standards and related texts held at Step 8 by the Commission**


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<b>Standard and Related Texts</b>	<b>Reference</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Draft MRLs for Bovine Somatotropin	ALINORM 95/31, Appendix II	Held at Step 8 by 23 <sup>rd</sup> CAC (ALINORM 03/41, para. 34)

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**Note 1:** The 35<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission agreed to request JECFA to re-evaluate bST and to continue holding the draft MRLs for bST at Step 8, pending JECFA re-evaluation and CCRVDF recommendations (Ref. REP12/CAC paras 67-86).

**Note 2:** The 38<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission recognized the validity of JECFA's risk assessments as the sound scientific basis for its deliberations on rbSTs. The Commission, as the international risk management body recognized that consensus had not been reached on the adoption of the draft MRLs. In light of this, the Commission agreed to hold the draft MRLs for rbSTs at Step 8 to provide further time to facilitate a possible consensus and that the draft MRLs would continue to be on the agenda of the CAC and open to discussion (Ref. REP15/CAC paras 49-63).