



## JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME

### CODEx COMMITTEE ON FOOD ADDITIVES

#### Fifty-second Session

Lanzhou, China, 2-6 March 2020

#### PROVISIONAL AGENDA

The session will be held at the Crown Plaza, Lanzhou, Gansu Province, China  
from Monday 2 March at 9.30 hours to Friday 6 March 2020

The two meetings of the Physical Working Groups will be held at the same venue as follows: i) the *General Standard for Food Additives*, Friday 28 February (09:00 – 18:00) and Saturday 29 February (09:00 – 12:30); and ii) Endorsement/ Alignment of the food additive provisions, Saturday 29 February 2020 (14:30 - 18:00).

Agenda item	Subject matter	Document reference
1	Adoption of the Agenda	CX/FA 20/52/1
2	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other subsidiary bodies	CX/FA 20/52/2
3(a)	Matters of Interest arising from FAO/WHO and from the 87 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA)	CX/FA 20/52/3
3(b)	Proposed draft specifications for identity and purity of food additives arising from the 87 <sup>th</sup> JECFA meeting	CX/FA 20/52/4
	- Comments at Step 3	CX/FA 20/52/4 Add.1
4(a)	Endorsement and/or revision of maximum levels for food additives and processing aids in Codex standards	CX/FA 20/52/5
4(b)	Alignment of the food additive provisions of commodity standards: Report of the EWG on Alignment	CX/FA 20/52/6
5(a)	<i>General Standard for Food Additives</i> (GSFA): Report of the EWG on the GSFA	CX/FA 20/52/7
5(b)	<i>General Standard for Food Additives</i> (GSFA): Proposals for new and/or revision of food additive provisions (replies to CL 2019/40-FA)	CX/FA 20/52/8
5(c)	Continuation of the discussion on the relevant provisions for sweeteners associated with Note 161	CX/FA 20/52/9
5(d)	General information on the availability of data related to nitrates and nitrites (replies to CL 2019/49-FA)	CX/FA 20/52/10

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Working documents will not be printed and delegates are kindly requested to bring with them to the meeting all documents which have been distributed as no printed copies will be made available at the session.

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6	Proposed draft revision to the <i>International Numbering System (INS) for Food Additives</i> (CAC/GL 36-1989) - Comments at Step 3	CX/FA 20/52/11 CX/FA 20/52/11 Add.1
7	Proposals for additions and changes to the Priority List of Substances proposed for evaluation by JECFA (replies to CL 2019/41-FA)	CX/FA 20/52/12
8	Status and analysis of the GSFA online system in relation to the approach of not listing relevant commodity standards	CX/FA 20/52/13
9	Other Business and Future Work	
10	Date and Place of Next Session	
11	Adoption of the Draft Report	

#### **INFORMATION DOCUMENTS**

Information document to the discussion on the GSFA	FA/52 INF/01
Information document on food additive provisions in commodity standards	FA/52 INF/02

#### **NOTES ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

**Agenda item 4:** The documents listed under Agenda Item 4 (a-b) will form the basis for the discussion of the PWG on the Endorsement/ Alignment. The report of PWG will be made available as a CRD at the meeting and will be considered under this item.

**Agenda item 5:** The documents listed under Agenda Item 5 (a-b) will form the basis for the discussion of the PWG on the GSFA. The report of PWG on the GSFA will be made available as a CRD at the meeting and will be considered under this item.