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Agenda Item 1

CX/GP 03/19/1

JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME CODEX COMMITTEE ON GENERAL PRINCIPLES

Nineteenth (Extraordinary) Session
Paris, France, 17 - 21 November 2003

To be held at the Centre International de Conférences BERCY, 139 rue de Bercy, 75012 Paris
from Monday 17 November 2003 at 10.00 to Friday 21 November 2003

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Agenda Item	Subject Matter	Document Identification
	Opening of the Session	
1.	Adoption of the Agenda	CX/GP 03/19/1
2.	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission, including the Joint FAO/WHO Evaluation of the Codex Alimentarius and Other FAO and WHO Work on Food Standards	CX/GP 03/19/2
3.	a) Proposed Amendments to the Rules of Procedure, including the Structure and Functions of the Executive Committee	CX/GP 03/19/3
	b) Proposed Amendment to Rule VII.5	CX/GP 03/19/3-Add.1
	c) Consideration of the Status of Observers in the Executive Committee	CX/GP 03/19/3-Add.2
4.	Processes for Standards Management (including the Critical Review):	
	a) Revision of the Criteria for the Establishment of Work Priorities	CX/GP 03/19/4
	b) Processes for Standards Management (including the review of the Elaboration Procedures)	CX/GP 03/19/4-Add.1
5.	Review of the Principles concerning the Participation of International Non-Governmental Organizations in the Work of the Codex Alimentarius Commission	CX/GP 03/19/5
6.	Review of the Guidelines for Codex Committees	
	a) advice to host countries (including criteria for the selection of chairpersons)	CX/GP 03/19/6
	b) conduct of meetings	CX/GP 03/19/6-Add.1

7. Other proposals to facilitate standard development (other than Standard CX/GP 03/19/7 management Process): Review of the Guidelines for Codex Committees and other additional text
8. Other Business, Future Work and Date and Place of Next Session
9. Adoption of the Report

Note: Delegates are kindly requested to bring with them to the meeting all documents which have been distributed, as the number of additional copies which can be made available at the meeting is limited.