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OUTCOMES OF THE IN-SESSION WG ON IESTI EQUATIONS

(Prepared by the Netherlands and Australia)

DRAFT TOR for CCPR eWG on review of the IESTI equations 2017/18

- to review advantages and challenges that arise from the current IESTI equations and their impact on risk management, risk communication, consumer protection goals, and trade, and
- to draft a roadmap describing ongoing work and regarding additional issues that need to be addressed to properly review the IESTI equations, taking into account the work of the FAO/WHO technical working group mandated with the review of (the parameters in) the IESTI equations, and other international organizations, e.g. the OECD RCEG, and
- to gather relevant information on bulking and blending, as well as other relevant information or data in order to feed into the risk assessors work through the JMPR secretariat, and
- to develop a risk communication package generating orientation and guidance on the background and use of the IESTI equations
- to consider the benchmark probabilistic assessment outsourced by WHO once it is available.

DRAFT recommendation for FAO/WHO technical working group

- to review the basis and the parameters that are related to risk assessment in the IESTI equations, and
- to develop a suitable approach to quantify the differences between the current and a possible new IESTI, e.g. to benchmark the outcome of the current and the newly proposed IESTI to a suitable probabilistic distribution of actual exposures.
- to present the outcome to CCPR.