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**ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CODEX SCHEDULES AND PRIORITY LISTS OF PESTICIDES FOR
EVALUATION BY JMPR**

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BACKGROUND

Based on replies provided by Codex members and observers to CL 2019/6-PR and participants in the EWG the following is submitted for consideration by CCPR:

A. SCHEDULES AND PRIORITY LISTS 2020-2023

1. Appendix A includes CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists of Pesticides (Tables 1-4) as specified in the "Risk Analysis Principles Applied by the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues" (Procedural Manual of the Codex Alimentarius Commission).
2. Amendments to the CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists, outlined in the report of CCPR50 (2018) (REP18/PR, Appendix XIII) following comments received after CAC41 (2018) approved on-going work on priority setting, are shown in yellow shading. Every effort is made to accurately record nominations lodged during this period. As this is a 'working' spreadsheet, amendments can be made without delay should errors be identified.
 - Nominating members and observers are encouraged to closely review the worksheets to ensure accuracy.
 - The schedules and priority lists are finalised during the CCPR session. Members and observers may discuss proposed changes to the Tables as they currently appear in Appendix A with the Chair of the EWG Priorities immediately before or during the early stages of the session.
3. The 2019 CCPR Schedule of normal and extraordinary JMPR¹ Evaluations is closed but included at this stage for reference only.

B. FINALIZING THE 2020 PROPOSED SCHEDULE

4. To assist consideration of scheduling for 2020, the proposed 2020 CCPR Schedule of JMPR Evaluations is extracted from Tables 1 and 2A and appears in three worksheets with the prefix '2020'.
5. The '2020 new cpd' worksheet lists 11 compounds in 2020 new compound proposed schedule. Six of the listed compounds have confirmed national registrations with one listed as MRLs at LOQ.
 - No further nominations to this schedule can be accepted.
6. The '2020 new use – other' worksheet lists 24 nominations for new use & other evaluations plus 24 nominations from India awaiting further advice. Of the 24 first mentioned nominations, evidence of product labels / national registration has been provided for 14 compounds. The commodities are listed in upper case text.
 - No further nominations to this schedule can be accepted.
 - A proposal for a second extraordinary meeting of the JMPR will be discussed at the 51st session of CCPR. As per the first extraordinary meeting, the focus will be new uses and other evaluations.
 - Accordingly, the 2020 proposed schedule of new uses and other evaluations will require further consideration and discussion with member / observers which have lodged nominations to this schedule.

¹ FAO/WHO Joint Expert Meetings of Pesticide Residues (JMPR)

7. The '2020 periodrev' worksheet lists 9 compounds in the Proposed 2020 Schedule of Periodic Reviews. A maximum of four compounds can be included in the final schedule. The remaining five compounds will be deferred to 2021.
8. In addition, there are several compounds from the 2018 and 2019 schedules of periodic reviews which were not evaluated by JMPR. The compounds are amitraz, bromopropylate, phosalone, fenarimol, dicloran and azinphos-methyl. The six compounds do not appear to be supported by a manufacturer and are the subject of public health concerns lodged by the European Union (EU).
 - A decision relating to ongoing retention on the CCPR List of Pesticides and maintenance of existing CXLs will need to be made in regard to unsupported compounds at CCPR51. A planned Discussion Paper concerning the management of unsupported compounds may assist CCPR to reach a decision regarding these compounds.
 - Significant additional information including commodities supported, availability of residue trials and the availability of toxicological data packages is required for several of the compounds listed in the 2020 periodic review worksheet, for which support has been noted..

9. Advice Notes

- Consistent with the approach taken at CCPR48 (2016), member countries and observer international organizations (sponsors) who have nominated compounds for the proposed new uses and other evaluations Schedule can only confirm a place on the Schedule by submitting documented evidence of a registered use / authorized formulation labels / GAP or at least evidence of data submission to a national regulatory authority with a view to obtaining a registration / authorized formulation label / GAP before 8 April 2019.
- Nominators / manufactures are encouraged to submit evidence of national registrations / product labels as soon as practicable.
- Should more than 20 compound nominations on the 2020 Schedule meet the registered use / formulation label / GAP requirement, the first 20 compounds meeting the requirements will be scheduled for evaluation and those beyond number 20 will be given a RESERVE status.
- As per the approach used for new compounds, should the opportunity present, JMPR may choose to evaluate a RESERVE compound.

C. PRIORITY LISTS 2021 AND BEYOND – TABLE 1

10. The 'Table 1 – 2021 & beyond - new cpds' worksheet includes seven nominations for future scheduling. Three of the compounds are expected to form part of the 2021 Proposed Schedule for CCPR52. Three other compounds have been tentatively scheduled for 2022 and 2023 on request by the nominators / manufacturers. The tentative schedule for broflanilide, is yet to be determined.
11. The 'Table 1 – 2021 & beyond - new use - other' worksheet includes 15 nominations for future scheduling. Sponsors have requested that twelve of the listed compounds form part of the 2021 Proposed Schedule for CCPR52.

D PRIORITY LISTS 2021 AND BEYOND – TABLE 2A

12. The 'Table 2A' worksheet includes priority lists for periodic reviews in 2021 (6 compounds) and 2022 (2 compounds). All of the listed compounds meet the "15 year rule" with the majority nominated for periodic review scheduling on the basis of public health concerns.

E. TABLE 2B

13. The 'Table 2B' worksheet lists 34 compounds which meet the "15 year rule" but have not yet been listed for periodic review.

F. PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERNS

14. In accordance with the nomination process described in the "Risk Analysis Principles applied by the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues", Members and Observers may lodge public health concerns for any compound in the CCPR Pesticide List including those already listed in Table 2A and 2B. In lodging a public health concern, the nominator must provide supporting scientific data.
 - During 2018, public health concern forms were lodged for four compounds; buprofezin, diflubenzuron, iprodione and picoxystrobin.

G PERIODIC REVIEWS (UNSUPPORTED COMPOUNDS)

15. Member countries and Observers with an interest are strongly encouraged to provide advice on the following compounds which remain unsupported:
- 2018 & 2019: amitraz PHC (122), bromopropylate PHC (070), phosalone PHC (060), fenarimol PHC (192), dicloran PHC (083), azinphos-methyl PHC (002) (refer to paragraph 8)
 - 2020: ethoxyquin PHC (035)
 - 2021: bromide ion [047], fenbutatin oxide [109], permethrin [120],

NB: PHC denotes public health concern lodged.

- H. With reference to paragraph 152 of REP19-PR, a review was undertaken of compounds with only external animal uses which could be referred JECFA for evaluation and consideration of CCRVDF. Only the compound Flumethrin met the requisite criteria.

FURTHER CONSIDERATIONS

16. Nominating Codex members and observers are encouraged to closely review the worksheets to ensure accuracy. Members and observers should note that this paper does not take into account the proposed extraordinary meeting of the JMPR to be considered at the 51st session of CCPR. Many of the reserve nominations listed in the 2020 new uses and other evaluation proposed schedule may be considered for an additional proposed schedule.
17. The intent of a few nominations require further discussion with the member / observer. The Chair of the EWG on Priorities will discuss these nominations with the relevant parties at CCPR51 prior to finalising the Schedules.

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18. This item should be read in conjunction with Agenda Items 12 and 13.
19. The Codex schedules and priority lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR can be accessed through the following link and it is available in English only:
- http://www.fao.org/fileadmin/user_upload/codexalimentarius/doc/CCPR_Schedules_and_Priority_Lists_for_CCPR51_2019.xlsx