

**Invitation to participate in the CCFH Electronic Working Group on the Revision of the  
*General Principles of Food Hygiene* (CAC/RCP 1–1969) and its HACCP Annex**

To: All Codex members and observers

At its 48<sup>th</sup> session, the CCFH established an eWG, chaired by the UK and co-chaired by France, Ghana, India, Mexico and the US, working in English, French and Spanish to progress work on the GPFH/HACCP document.

Terms of reference are to:

- pursue the revision of the Introduction and to undertake the revision of the second and third parts in parallel for circulation for comments at Step 3;
- consider if aspects on commitment and responsibility for food safety, including food safety culture, should be incorporated; and
- consider the use of examples of control measures at all steps in the food chain (including those that cannot be addressed as CCPs), as well as a comparison table between GHP, CCP and any other types of control measures, to better understand the issues and support the work.

Members and observer organisations that wish to participate in the eWG are invited to provide the following information to:

**[eWG.GPFH@foodstandards.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:eWG.GPFH@foodstandards.gsi.gov.uk) by the 27<sup>th</sup> January 2017:**

- Participant name;
- Official title of contact(s);
- Name of country, Member organisation or organisation that has observer status in Codex;
- Email address; and
- Expressions of interest to provide example(s) to support the work on the GHP and HACCP sections.

Application emails should be sent by, or copied to, the Codex Contact Point of the member or recognised observer organisation.

You will be provided with the link to log in to the eWG platform once participant credentials have been verified.

We will be working towards a deadline of July 2017 for submission of the report to Codex secretariat for distribution to CCFH.

Yours sincerely,

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