

## Electronic Working Group Invitation

This invitation is sent on behalf of Australia (EWG Chair) and Germany (EWG co-chair).

<b>Title</b>	Establishment of the CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists of Pesticides
<b>Committee</b>	Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues
<b>Session</b>	50 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Chair of EWG</b>	Australia
<b>Co-chairs</b>	Germany
<b>Working language</b>	English
<b>Description of work</b>	CCPR49 agreed that the Electronic Working Group on Priorities will (1) prepare a proposed 2019 Schedule of pesticides for JMPR evaluation and maintain Priority Lists of pesticides for future scheduling. In addition, the EWG will (2) continue work on the Database of National Registrations for pesticides listed in tables 2A and 2B of the CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists.
<b>(1) Timetable for work</b>	<b>Priority List</b>
31 August 2017	Registration of participants
1 September 2017	Broadcast email from EWG Chair seeking nominations and updates to the CCPR Schedules and Priority Lists
1 December 2017	Nominations due
1 January 2018	Preparation and distribution of a circular letter 'Establishment of the Codex Schedules and Priority Lists on Pesticides'
1 March 2018	Finalisation of the working paper 'Establishment of the Codex Schedules and Priority Lists on Pesticides' and submission to the Codex Secretariat
<b>(2) Timetable for work</b>	<b>National registrations for pesticides listed in tables 2A and 2B of the Schedule and Priority Lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR</b>
31 August 2017	Registration of participants
1 September 2017	Preparation and distribution of a circular letter 'National registrations for pesticides listed in tables 2A and 2B of the Schedule and Priority Lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR'
1 March 2018	Finalisation of the working paper 'National registrations for pesticides listed in tables 2A and 2B of the Schedule and Priority Lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR' (compilation, analysis, conclusions and recommendations for CCPR consideration when discussing the agenda item on Establishment of the Codex Schedules and Priority Lists on Pesticides and submission to the Codex Secretariat
<b>Email for registration</b>	<a href="mailto:codex.contact@agriculture.gov.au">codex.contact@agriculture.gov.au</a>
<b>Registration deadline</b>	<b>15 September 2016</b>
<b>EWG online platform</b>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG and to clarify whether they would like to participate in (1) the priority list or (2) the national registration of pesticides or (3) the priority list and the national registration of pesticides. When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organisation shall designate one as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point of the member or recognised observer organisation in an email detailing: participant's name; organisation or country email.

The EWG platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform will be provided with the link once their credentials have been verified by the working group leaders. Those participants who have previously registered on the platform will be provided with the EWG name so they can request to join.