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COMMITTEE ON WORLD FOOD SECURITY

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CFS MULTI-YEAR PROGRAMME OF WORK (MYPOW) 2024-2027 - DRAFT DECISION

MATTERS TO BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COMMITTEE

1. The Committee considers document CFS 2023/51/7 "CFS Multi-Year Programme of Work (MYPoW) 2024-2027", as presented by the CFS Chair.

2. The Committee:

- a. Reiterates its concern over the immense challenges to be overcome for achieving Zero Hunger by 2030 with an estimated 691 - 783 million people in the world (around 9.2 percent of the world population still suffering from hunger;
- Evaluation of the 2023 SDG Summit];
- c. Endorses the CFS MYPoW for 2024-2027 which, through its cross-cutting focus areas, prioritized thematic workstreams and supporting activities, provides a comprehensive framework to support the progressive realization of the right to adequate food and the achievement of SDG 2;
- d. Recognizes the broad, inclusive nature and strategic vision of the MYPoW process which aims at eliminating hunger and malnutrition through improved policy convergence/coherence at global level, leading at strengthened actions at national and regional levels, as outlined in Annex B of the CFS implementation report (CFS 2018/45/3);

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e. Notes that the implementation of the MYPoW will be contingent on sufficient financial and human resources, taking into consideration a manageable workload, in accordance with document CFS 2018/45/3;

- f. Agrees to develop concise, timely and action-oriented policy products;
- g. Notes that in 2025 a mid-term review will take place in order to assess and adjust, if necessary, the remaining elements of the MYPoW, complementary to the annual update of the rolling section;
- h. Strongly encourages, in line with CFS 50 deliberations, the three Rome-based agencies to honour their commitment to share equally the costs of the CFS Secretariat budget, through either cash or in-kind contributions, as a symbol of joint ownership and shared commitment to the Committee via effective Rome-based agency collaboration;
- Strongly encourages, in line with the CFS Reform Document, FAO, IFAD and WFP as well as
 other CFS stakeholders to provide space for CFS considerations in the agendas of their
 Governing Bodies and Regional Conferences, as appropriate;
- j. Requests the Chair and Secretariat, consistent with the CFS Resource Mobilization and Outreach Strategies, respectively, to continue their efforts to expand and diversify the CFS financing base, including by reaching out to CFS Member States, private foundations, the private sector, and financial institutions;
- k. Emphasizes the application of the Rome Based Agencies' safeguards against potential conflict of interest regarding CFS funding.