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### **Proposal for amending Section 8.2, labelling of non-retail containers, in the *Regional Standard for Chanterelles (CXS 40R-1981)* to reflect CXS 346-2021**

*Submitted by the European Union*

Following the adoption of the *General Standard for the Labelling of Non-Retail Containers of Foods* (CXS 346-2021) at the forty-fourth Session of the Codex Alimentarius Commission (CAC44) and the consequential request of CAC44 to review the labelling provisions for non-retail containers in existing and draft standards, the European Union and its Member States propose to amend the *Regional Standard for Chanterelles* (CXS 40R-1981), the only standard under the purview of CCEURO, to ensure consistency between the two standards.

The proposed amendments mainly consist in the introduction of a cross reference to the *General Standard for the Labelling of Non-Retail Containers of Foods* (CXS 346-2021) in the introduction of the section on the labelling on non-retail containers (see point 8.2.1) and a revision of the other points of this section where only those items not covered by the general standard are retained.

In addition, since it is appropriate that the origin of the produce is indicated on the labelling of consumer packages, this point has been removed from Section 8.2 (Non-retail containers) and introduced under Section 8.1 (Consumer packages)

The proposed amendments are provided in Appendix 1.

## 8.1 Consumer packages

In addition to the requirements of the *General Standard for the Labelling of Prepackaged Foods* (CXS 1-1985), the following specific provisions apply:

### 8.1.1 Nature of Produce

If the produce is not visible from the outside, each package shall be labelled as to the common name of the produce.

### 8.1.2 Origin of Produce

Country of origin and, optionally, district where grown or national, regional or local place name of the species presented.

### 8.1.3.2. Mixtures

In the case of a mixture of chanterelles of distinctly different species, common names of each species should be indicated. If the country of origin or size of each distinctly different species is different, they should be indicated near the name of the species concerned.

## 8.2 Non-retail containers

8.2.1 In addition to the requirements of the *General Standard for the Labelling of Non-Retail Containers of Foods* (CXS 346-2021), each package must bear the following particulars, in letters grouped on the same side, legibly and indelibly marked, and visible from the outside, or in the documents accompanying the shipment.

~~Name and address of exporter, packer and/or dispatcher. Identification code (optional)<sup>4</sup>.~~

### 8.2.1.1-2 Nature of Produce

~~Common name of the produce if the contents are not visible from the outside. Botanical name of species (optional).~~

### 8.2.3. Mixtures

~~In the case of a mixture of chanterelles of distinctly different species, common names of each species should be indicated. If the country of origin or size of each distinctly different species is different, they should be indicated near the name of the species concerned.~~

### 8.2.1.4 Origin of Produce

~~Country of origin and, optionally, district where grown or national, regional or local place name of the species presented.~~

### 8.2.1.25 Commercial Identification

- ~~• Class;~~
- ~~• Size (if sized), expressed as minimum and maximum diameters of the cap in cm;~~
- ~~• Net weight (optional).~~

### 8.2.1.36 Official Inspection Mark (optional)

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<sup>4</sup> ~~The national legislation of a number of countries requires the explicit declaration of the name and address. However, in the case where a code mark is used, the reference "packer and/or dispatcher (or equivalent abbreviations)" has to be indicated in close connection with the code mark, and the code mark should be preceded by the ISO 3166 (alpha) country/area code of the recognizing country, if not the country of origin. The full or a commonly used name should be indicated.~~