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## Agenda Item 1

**CX/FA 15/47/1**  
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### JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME

#### CODEX COMMITTEE ON FOOD ADDITIVES

#### Forty-Seventh Session

Xi'an, China, 23-27 March 2015

#### PROVISIONAL AGENDA

The session will be held at the JianGuo Hotel (No.2 Huzhu Road), Xi'an, China  
from Monday 23 March at 9.30 hours to Friday 27 March 2015

The meeting of the Working Group on the *General Standard for Food Additives* will be held at the same venue  
from Friday 20 March 2015 at 09.00 hours to Saturday 21 March 2015 at 18.00 hours

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Subject Matter</b>	<b>Document Reference</b>
1	Adoption of the Agenda	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/1</a>
2	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other Codex Committees	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/2</a>
3(a)	Matters of Interest arising from FAO/WHO and from the 79 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA)	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/3</a> <a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/3-Add.1</a>
3(b)	Proposed draft Specifications for Identity and Purity of Food Additives arising from the 79 <sup>th</sup> JECFA Meeting	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/4</a>
	- Comments at Step 3	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/4 Add.1</a>
4(a)	Endorsement and/or Revision of Maximum Levels for Food Additives and Processing Aids in Codex Standards	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/5</a>
4(b)	Alignment of the food additive provisions of commodity standards and relevant provisions of the GSFA	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/6</a>
	<b>General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA)</b>	
5(a)	Provisions in Table 1 and 2 of Table 3 food additives with: (i) "acidity regulator" function for other use than acidity regulators; and (ii) for other Table 3 food additives with functions other than "emulsifier, stabilizer, thickener," "colour" and "sweeteners" - pending from CCFA46	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/7</a>
5(b)	Provisions in Table 1 and 2 of Table 3 food additives with "emulsifier, stabilizer, thickener" function for their use for technological function other than as emulsifier, stabilizer, thickener	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/8</a>
5(c)	Food additive provisions in Table 1 and 2 in food categories 01.2 through 08.4, with the exclusion of food categories 04.1.2.4, 04.2.2.4, 04.2.2.5, 04.2.2.6, 05.1.1, 05.1.3, and 05.1.4	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/9</a> <a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/9 Add.1</a>
5(d)	Food additive provisions of food category 14.2.3 "Grape wines" and its sub-categories (information on actual use levels and recommendations)	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/10</a>

Working documents will be uploaded onto the Codex website: [www.codexalimentarius.org/](http://www.codexalimentarius.org/)  
Delegates should bring to the meeting all documents which have been distributed.

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5(e)	Provisions for cyclotetraglucose (INS 1504(i)), cyclotetraglucose syrup (INS 1504(ii)) and nisin (INS 234) - Comments at Step 3 (replies to <a href="#">CL 2014/8-FA</a> , Part B)	<a href="#">REP14/FA App XI, Part1</a> <a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/11</a> <a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/11-Add.1</a>
5(f)	Proposal for revision of food category 01.1 “Milk and dairy-based drinks” and its sub-categories	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/12</a>
5(g)	Note 161 – Application of alternative note to provisions for sweeteners	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/13</a>
5(h)	Proposals for new and/or revision of food additive provisions (replies to <a href="#">CL 2014/15-FA</a> )	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/14</a>
<b>International Numbering System (INS) for Food Additives</b>		
6	Proposed draft revision to the <i>International Numbering System</i> (INS) for Food Additives - Comments at Step 3	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/15</a> <a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/15 Add.1</a>
<b>Priority List of Food Additives Proposed for Evaluation by JECFA</b>		
7(a)	Proposals for additions and changes to the Priority List of Substances proposed for evaluation by JECFA (replies to <a href="#">CL 2014/13-FA</a> )	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/16</a>
7(b)	Information on the availability of data for the re-evaluation of six priority colours (replies to <a href="#">CL 2014/14-FA</a> )	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/17</a>
7(c)	Information on commercial use of potassium diacetate (INS 261 (ii)) in food (replies to <a href="#">CL 2014/24-FA</a> )	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/18</a>
<b>Others</b>		
8	Discussion paper on secondary additives	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/19</a>
9	Discussion paper on the inconsistent terminology related to flavourings in Codex texts	<a href="#">CX/FA 15/47/20</a>
10	Other Business and Future Work	
11	Date and Place of Next Session	
12	Adoption of the Draft Report	

#### **INFORMATION DOCUMENTS**

Information document to the discussion on the GSFA	<a href="#">FA/47 INF/01</a>
Information document on food additive provisions in commodity standards	<a href="#">FA/47 INF/02</a>

#### **NOTES ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

**Agenda Item 5:** The documents listed under Agenda Item 5 (a-h) will form the basis for the discussion of the physical Working Group on the GSFA. The report of the Working Group will be made available as a CRD at the meeting and will be considered under this item.