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**Agenda Item 4 and 5**

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## JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME CODEX COMMITTEE ON FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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*Comments by Indonesia*

Indonesia wishes to congratulate the CCFFV Secretariat for the exemplary work conducted for this session. Additionally, Indonesia would like to offer comments on certain relevant agenda items, which we hope will be further discussed and considered by the Committee.

### **Agenda Item 4: Draft standard for fresh curry leaves (at Step 4)**

Indonesia extends its gratitude to India for preparing the document for discussion under agenda item 4. Indonesia would like to comment on the classification section as follows: Indonesia is of the view that the requirement of 'slight lack of freshness' for Class II needs to be reconsidered, as there is no standardized measure to assess freshness in this section. Indonesia proposes that the definition related to "freshness" should refer to the "Definition of Terms for Application in The Layout for Codex Standards for Fresh Fruits and Vegetables".

Furthermore, the freshness requirement is only set for Class II; therefore, the freshness requirement should also be established for other classes.

### **Agenda Item 5: Discussion paper on the review of existing FFV standards**

A. Revision of the standard for avocado

Indonesia appreciates the work done by Germany as Chair of the Electronic Working Group on the review of existing FFV standards: Revision of the Standard for Avocado. Indonesia would like to comment on the minimum maturity requirement section as follows: Indonesia suggests that it is necessary to add requirements related to minimum maturity with measurable standards, such as oil content, firmness, moisture content, and total soluble solids.