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DIVISION OF COMPETENCE AND VOTING RIGHT

between the European Union and its Member States according to Rule of procedure II paragraph 5 of the Codex Alimentarius Commission

Agenda Item	Subject Matter	Document Reference
1	Adoption of the Agenda Member States Competence. Member States Vote.¹	CX/FA 26/56/1
2	Matters Referred by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other subsidiary bodies <u>MATTERS FOR ACTION</u> <i>89th Session of the Executive Committee of the Codex Alimentarius Commission</i> - Technical justification for the use of food additives in the Regional standard for doogh (Near East) <i>44th Session of the Codex Committee on Methods of Analysis and Sampling</i> - Numeric performance criteria (NPC) for nitrate and nitrite in specific food matrices <i>23rd Session of the FAO/WHO Coordinating Committee for Asia</i> - Carotenoid-related food additives in the Regional standard for non-fermented soybean products (Asia) (CXS 322R-2015) - Paprika extract (INS 160c(ii)) in the Regional standard for non-fermented soybean products (Asia) (CXS 322R-2015) <i>Matters from the Secretariat:</i> - Corrections to the Note 667 associated with the use of tartrazine (INS 102) in FC 06.8.1 European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/2

¹ This is without prejudice to the substantive competence that the European Union has for individual items on the Agenda.

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3 (a)	Matters of Interest arising from FAO/WHO and from the 100th Meeting of the Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives (JECFA) respectively European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/3
3 (b)	Proposed draft specifications for identity and purity of food additives arising from the 100th JECFA meeting - Comments at Step 3 European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/4 CX/FA 26/56/4 Add. 1
4 (a)	Endorsement and/or revision of maximum levels for food additives and processing aids in Codex standards Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/5
4 (b)	Alignment of the food additive provisions of commodity standards: Report of the EWG on Alignment European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/6
5 (a)	<i>General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA):</i> Report of the EWG on the GSFA <i>General Standard for Food Additives (GSFA):</i> Proposals for new and/or revision of food additive provisions (replies to CL 2025/31-FA) European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/7
5 (b)		CX/FA 26/56/8
6	Proposed draft revision to the <i>Class names and the International Numbering System (INS) for Food Additives</i> (CXG 36-1989) - Comments at Step 3 Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/9 CX/FA 26/56/9 Add. 1
7	Proposals for additions and changes to the Priority List of Substances proposed for evaluation by JECFA (replies to CL 2025/32-FA) Mixed Competence. Member States Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/10
8	Standard for baker's yeast (Step 4)	CX/FA 26/56/11

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	Mixed Competence. Member States Vote².	
9	Draft working practices for the development of GSFA food additive provisions relevant to commodity standards and related templates Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/12
10	Discussion paper for new work on development of guidelines for food safety assessment of cell culture media components in cell-based food production European Union Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/13
11	Discussion paper on the future work for CCFA Mixed Competence. European Union Vote.	CX/FA 26/56/14
12	Other business and future work <i>Competence and right to vote to be determined in the light of the issues to be dealt with (document not yet available).</i>	
13	Date and Place of the Next Session Member States Competence. Member States Vote.	
14	Adoption of the Draft Report Member States Competence. Member States Vote.³	

² This is without prejudice to the substantive competence that the European Union has for individual aspects of this agenda item.

³ This is without prejudice to the substantive competence that the European Union has for individual items in the Report.