

Electronic Working Group Invitation (EWG Invitation)

This message is sent on behalf of Iran.

Title:	Revision of the <i>Guidelines on the use of mass spectrometry for the identification, confirmation and quantitative determination of residues</i> (CXG 56-2005)
Committee	Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues
Session	50 th
Chair of EWG	Iran
Co-Chairs	Costa Rica
Working Languages	English
Description of work	The EWG should: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prepare a discussion paper on the background, issues and solutions including a project document and an outline of the revised guidelines for consideration at CCPR51.• Harmonize the <i>Guidelines on the use of mass spectrometry for the identification, confirmation and quantitative determination of residues</i> (CXG 56-2005) with the <i>Guidelines on performance criteria for methods of analysis for the determination of pesticide residues in food and feed</i> (CXG 90-2017), and other relevant Codex documents.
Timetable for work	Discussion paper to be submitted to the Codex Secretariat for distribution and consideration by CCPR51 by not later than 1 February 2019
Email for registration	codex_office@inso.gov.ir and infocodex@meic.go.cr with a copy to roybakhsh@yahoo.com , vpicado@sfe.go.cr
Registration deadline	31 July 2018
EWG online platform	Yes X No <input type="checkbox"/>

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG. When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate **one** as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participant's name
- official title or position
- organization or country
- email address.

The EWG platform

Link: <http://forum.codex-alimentarius.net/index.php>

UserGroup name: **CCPR-GL/MS**

The platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform should first register. ([online guide](#), [video tutorial](#))

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the usergroup directly.

The EWG Chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

Programme and timeline

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

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