

## CODEX COMMITTEE ON SPICES AND CULINARY HERBS

### Invitation to Participate in the Electronic Working Group

This message is sent on behalf of **Brazil**

<b>Title</b>	Proposed Draft Standard for Cinnamon under the group standard "Dried bark"
<b>Committee</b>	Codex Committee on Spices and Culinary Herbs (CCSCH)
<b>Established by</b>	8th Session
<b>Chair of EWG</b>	BRAZIL
<b>Co-Chairs</b>	INDIA, INDONESIA, ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN, AND SRI LANKA
<b>Working Languages</b>	English
<b>Description of work</b>	Development of the draft standard for consideration at CCSCH9
<b>Timetable for work</b>	<p>Kick-off message: 23 February 2026 Deadline for registration of EWG participants: 30 March 2026 First draft document circulated for comments: 30 March 2026 Deadline for comments on first draft: 18 May 2026 Second draft document circulated for comments: 06 July 2024 Deadline for comments on second draft document: 24 August 2026 Submission of the EWG report to Codex Secretariat: 26 October 2026</p>

**Email for registration** [codexbrasil@inmetro.gov.br](mailto:codexbrasil@inmetro.gov.br); [luciana.pimenta@agro.gov.br](mailto:luciana.pimenta@agro.gov.br)

**Registration deadline** 30 March 2026

**EWG online platform** Yes  No

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this Electronic Working Group. 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: CCSCH8-Cinnamon (2026)**

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

The EWG chair will give participants access to the usergroup 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. Once your CCP has sent your application you can request to join the EWG usergroup directly on the platform. You do not need to create a new registration if you have previously used the platform.

Technical support

For all technical assistance regarding the platform please contact the platform administrator (Codex Secretariat) using the Contact link on the platform homepage or via [codex@fao.org](mailto:codex@fao.org).

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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