

## CODEX COMMITTEE ON SPICES AND CULINARY HERBS (CCSCH)

### EWG Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of India (Chair) and Iran and Guatemala (Co-chair).

<b>Title</b>	Draft Standard for Dried Fruits and Berries- Small Cardamom
<b>Committee</b>	Codex Committee on Spices and Culinary Herbs (CCSCH)
<b>Session</b>	7 <sup>th</sup> Session
<b>Chair of EWG</b>	India
<b>Co-Chairs</b>	Iran and Guatemala
<b>Working Languages</b>	English
<b>Description of work</b>	Development of a Proposed Draft Standard taking in to account the proposal submitted and comments made at the 6 <sup>th</sup> session of CCSCH.

#### Timetable for work

Registration of Working Group Members	January 15 , 2023
Circulation of first draft of the working document by the host countries	January 30, 2023
Deadline for comments on the first draft	February 28 , 2023
Circulation of second draft of the working document	March 20, 2023
Deadline for comments on the second draft	April 30, 2023
Submission of the EWG Report by host countries to the Codex Secretariat	July 30, 2023

<b>Email for registration</b>	<a href="mailto:ccsch.bisht@gmail.com">ccsch.bisht@gmail.com</a> , <a href="mailto:codex-india@nic.in">codex-india@nic.in</a> , <a href="mailto:sadat77@gmail.com">sadat77@gmail.com</a>
<b>Registration deadline</b>	January 15 <sup>th</sup> 2023
<b>EWG online platform</b>	Yes

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.

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

User group name: **CCSCH-Dried Fruits and Berries 2022 - Small Cardamom**

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 user 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. Once your CCP has sent your application you can request to join the EWG user group 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).

We look forward to your participation.

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