EWG Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of Belgium and Iran.

Title Electronic Working Group for Revision of the Class Names and the International

Numbering System for Food Additives (INS)(CXG36-1989)

Committee Codex Committee on Food Additives

Session 53

Chair of EWG Belgium
Co-Chairs Iran
Working Languages English

Description of work to consider (REP 21/FA para. 201 (iii))

- a) replies to the CL 2021/30-FA requesting proposals for change and/ or addition to Section 3 of the Class Names and International Numbering System for Food Additives (CXG 36-1989); and preparing a proposal for circulation for comments at step 3;
- b) assigning an INS number to fungal amylase from *Aspergillus niger* and including the functional class and technological purpose of "flour treatment agent"; and
- c) the appropriateness to include one or more synonyms for Jagua (genipin-glycine) blue (INS 183)as requested in CX/FA 21/52/1 Add. 1

Timetable for work The document intends to be finalised before early December 2022

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Registration deadline 5 September 2022

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: CCFA-INS-2022

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 credentialsso 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

Tentative programme:

- 1. Posting first draft document by mid July 2022
- 2. Comments requested by mid September 2022

- 3. Circulation second draft4. Comments requested by mid November 2022
- 5. Preparation of final draft

We look forward to your participation.

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