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**Redistribution of votes in the Council
for coffee year 2011/12**

Calculated as at 20 September 2012

Background

1. This document contains the redistribution of votes in the Council for coffee year 2011/12, calculated in accordance with Articles 12 and 21 of the International Coffee Agreement (ICA) 2007.
2. The votes for exporting and importing Members have been calculated on the basis of the statistical data contained in document ED-2114/11 Rev. 1. The initial distribution of votes in the Council for coffee year 2011/12 was based on membership of the Organization under the ICA 2007 as at 29 September 2011 (see document ICC-107-12).
3. Table 1 shows (a) the votes of exporting Members of the ICA 2007; (b) exporting Members of the ICA 2007 in arrears whose voting rights are suspended; (c) exporting Members of the ICA 2001 in the process of joining the ICA 2007; (d) exporting Members of the ICA 2001 in the process of joining the ICA 2007 and in arrears. Table 2 shows the votes of importing Members of the ICA 2007, Table 3 shows the situation of outstanding payments and Table 4 shows the situation of outstanding contributions due for prior years from former Members.

Action

The Council is requested to approve this document.

NOTES TO TABLES

1. Paragraph 2 of Article 12 of ICA 2007 states that each Member shall have 5 basic votes.
2. Paragraph 5 of Article 12 states that the EU shall hold votes as a single Member.
3. Paragraph 7 of Article 12 states that the Council shall provide for the redistribution of votes in accordance with the provisions of this Article whenever there is a change in the membership of the Organization or if the voting rights of a Member are suspended or regained under the provisions of Article 21.
4. Paragraph 8 of Article 12 states that no Member shall hold two-thirds or more of the votes in its category.
5. Paragraph 2 of Article 21 states that if any Member fails to pay its full contribution to the Administrative Budget within six months of the date on which the contribution is due, its voting rights and its right to participate in meetings of specialized committees shall be suspended until its contribution has been paid in full. However, unless the Council so decides, such Member shall not be deprived of any of its other rights nor relieved of any of its obligations under this Agreement.

TABLE 1
Exporting Members
Re-distribution of votes in the Council
Coffee year 2011/12
As at 20 September 2012

Exporting Members	Average exports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total exports	Basic	Votes		Percentage share of all votes
				Proportional	Total	
(a) Members of the ICA 2007						
Angola	5 329	0.0102	5	0	5	0.25
Bolivia	77 972	0.1496	5	1	6	0.30
Burundi	298 714	0.5730	5	5	10	0.50
Cameroon	664 810	1.2752	5	11	16	0.80
Central African Republic	77 837	0.1493	5	1	6	0.30
Colombia	9 525 288	18.2704	5	159	164	8.20
Costa Rica	1 309 890	2.5125	5	22	27	1.35
Côte d'Ivoire	1 851 104	3.5506	5	31	36	1.80
Cuba	8 053	0.0154	5	0	5	0.25
Ecuador	1 036 835	1.9888	5	17	22	1.10
Ghana	29 076	0.0558	5	1	6	0.30
Guatemala	3 616 167	6.9362	5	60	65	3.25
India	3 569 822	6.8473	5	60	65	3.25
Indonesia	5 821 626	11.1665	5	97	102	5.10
Kenya	621 496	1.1921	5	10	15	0.75
Malawi	16 276	0.0312	5	0	5	0.25
Mexico	2 673 985	5.1290	5	45	50	2.50
Panama	86 741	0.1664	5	1	6	0.30
Philippines	12 479	0.0239	5	0	5	0.25
Rwanda	295 034	0.5659	5	5	10	0.50
Tanzania	844 266	1.6194	5	14	19	0.95
Thailand	267 308	0.5127	5	5	10	0.50
Togo	156 345	0.2999	5	3	8	0.40
Uganda	2 918 681	5.5983	5	49	54	2.70
Vietnam	16 329 478	31.3215	5	273	278	13.90
Zimbabwe	20 351	0.0390	5	0	5	0.25
Sub-total	52 134 963	100.00	130	870	1 000	50.00
(b) Members of the ICA 2007 in arrears						
Brazil	30 263 060	0.0000	0	0	0	0.00
El Salvador	1 259 884					
Ethiopia	2 657 882					
Gabon	577					
Honduras	3 251 262					
Liberia	4 098					
Nicaragua	1 492 568					
Papua New Guinea	990 245					
Sierra Leone	59 524					
Timor-Leste	47 845					
Yemen	30 098					
Zambia	38 147					
Sub-total	40 095 190					

TABLE 1 (Contd)
Exporting Members
Re-distribution of votes in the Council
Coffee year 2011/12
As at 20 September 2012

Exporting Members	Average exports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total exports	Basic	Proportional	Total	Percentage share of all votes
(c) Members of the ICA 2001 in the process of joining the ICA 2007						
Benin	0					
Congo, Dem. Rep. of	181 576					
Jamaica	20 943					
Madagascar	102 112	0.0000	0	0	0	0.00
Nigeria	3 742					
Paraguay	3 979					
Venezuela, Bol. Rep. of	58 283					
Sub-total	370 635	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
(d) Members of the ICA 2001 in the process of joining the ICA 2007 and in arrears						
Congo, Rep. of	0					
Dominican Republic	75 743	0.0000	0	0	0	0.00
Guinea	372 882					
Haiti	15 669					
Sub-total	464 294	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Total (a)+(b)+(c)+(d)	93 065 082	100.00	130	870	1 000	50.0

TABLE 2
Importing Members
Re-distribution of votes in the Council
Coffee year 2011/12
As at 20 September 2012

Importing Members	Average imports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total imports	Votes			Percentage share of all votes
			Basic	Proportional	Total	
(a) Members of the ICA 2007						
European Union	67 548 270	70.8801	5	661	666	33.30
Austria						
Belgium/Luxembourg						
Bulgaria						
Cyprus						
Czech Republic						
Denmark						
Estonia						
Finland						
France						
Germany						
Greece						
Hungary						
Ireland						
Italy						
Latvia						
Lithuania						
Malta						
Netherlands						
Poland						
Portugal						
Romania						
Slovakia						
Slovenia						
Spain						
Sweden						
United Kingdom						
Norway	746 385	0.7832	5	9	14	0.70
Switzerland	2 054 850	2.1562	5	23	28	1.40
Tunisia	289 518	0.3038	5	3	8	0.40
Turkey	547 166	0.5742	5	6	11	0.55
USA	24 113 091	25.3025	5	268	273	13.65
Total	95 299 280	100.00	30	970	1 000	50.00

TABLE 3			
ADMINISTRATIVE BUDGET			
SITUATION OF OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS			
As at 20 September 2012			
	Pounds sterling		
	2010/11 and prior years	2011/12	Total
Total	140,444	203,221	343,665
Brazil	-	12,782	12,782
Central African Rep.	-	759	759
Cuba	-	279	279
Ecuador	-	76	76
El Salvador	904	24,599	25,503
Ethiopia	-	41,963	41,963
Gabon	27,010	7,235	34,245
Honduras	-	50,645	50,645
Liberia	14,435	7,235	21,670
Malawi	-	1,486	1,486
Nicaragua	-	1,258	1,258
Papua New Guinea	37,459	20,258	57,717
Rwanda	-	4,345	4,345
Sierra Leone	16,612	8,682	25,294
Timor-Leste	702	7,235	7,937
Yemen	-	4,573	4,573
Zambia	43,063	7,235	50,298
Zimbabwe	259	2,576	2,835

TABLE 4	
SITUATION OF OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS	
DUE FROM FORMER MEMBERS	
As at 20 September 2012	
	Pounds sterling
Total	238,010
Congo, Rep. of	39,505
Dominican Republic	30,729
Guinea	108,759
Haiti	13,875
Madagascar	73
Peru	45,069