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Statistics Committee

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Draft Agenda

Document Item

1. Draft Agenda - to adopt WP-Statistics 112/07

2. Chairman – to elect verbal

The terms of reference for the Statistics Committee (document EB-3833/02) state that the Chairman shall be elected for a two-year term at the first meeting of the coffee year. In May 2007, the Committee noted that the Executive Director would consult Members and the matter would be considered at its next meeting.

3. Report of the Statistics Committee on the meeting of 23 May 2007 – to approve WP-Statistics 111/07

4. **Compliance with statistical rules** – *to consider* to follow

The Statistician will report on compliance with statistics.

5. Technical assistance – to consider verbal

The Statistician will report on progress by exporting countries in full compliance with the statistical rules on the preparation of a manual of best practice, and on possible assistance from the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO (ITC).

Inventories and stocks – to note 6.

verbal

The Committee will review the results of the European Coffee Federation's survey on inventories and stocks of green coffee and information on stocks received from producing countries. Statistician will report.

7. ICO Indicator prices – to consider and make a recommendation to the Council

Every two years, in accordance with the procedures for the collection, transmission, calculation and publication of group and composite prices contained in document EB-3776/01 Rev. 1, there should be a review of the market share in each group and their weightings for the calculation of the ICO composite indicator price as stated in Annex I of the document. The last review took place in May 2005.

8. Organic coffee – to consider

to follow

to follow

The Statistician will introduce a report on exports of organic coffee, and will report on information received on retail prices of organic coffee in importing countries.

9. Exports to exporting countries – to consider

to follow

The Statistician will introduce a report on exports of all forms of coffee to exporting countries.

10. Future statistical priorities – to consider

to follow

At its meeting in May 2007, Committee members were requested to send the Executive Director their comments on the implications of increasing the range of time series as proposed in the draft new Agreement, to enable the Secretariat to prepare a proposal for financial resources for future statistical activities. The Statistician will report.

11. New statistical software at the ICO – to note

verbal

The Statistician will demonstrate the new statistical system.

12. Report to the International Coffee Council – to note

verbal

The Chairman of the Statistics Committee will report to the Council with any recommendations.

13. Other business – to note/consider

verbal

14. Future meetings - to consider

verbal

The Committee is invited to suggest matters for consideration at the next meeting and to consider the date of its next meeting.