

CODEX COMMITTEE ON FATS AND OILS (CCFO)

Invitation to participate in the electronic working group (EWG) on inclusion of camellia seed oil

This message is sent on behalf of China.

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| Title | eWG for Amendment/Revision of the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils - inclusion of camellia seed oil |
| Committee | Codex Committee on Fats and Oils (CCFO) |
| Session | 27 th session |
| Chair of EWG | China |
| Co-Chairs | N/A |
| Working Languages | English ONLY |
| Description of work | The 27 th session of CCFO agreed to establish an eWG chaired by China, working in English only, subject to the approval of <i>Amendment or revision to the standard for named vegetable oils (CXS 210-1999) - Inclusion of Camellia seed oil - (Part I)</i> , to prepare the proposed draft revision for circulation for comments at Step 3 and consideration by CCFO28 (REP22/FO 149-152). |

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| Timetable for work | March 31 st , 2022 | Registration of participants |
| | May 31 st , 2022 | First draft document circulated for comments |
| | July 31 st , 2022 | Deadline for comments on the first draft |
| | October 2022 | Second draft document circulated for comments |
| | December 2022 | Deadline for comments on the second draft document |
| | May 2023 | Final document sent to CCFO Secretariat and Codex Secretariat for review, translation and distribution for CCFO 28 |

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Registration deadline March 31st, 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: **CCFO27-Camellia Seed Oil**

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.

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.

China Codex Contact Point