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Rules on Statistics – Certificates of Origin – Annex VI – Differentiated coffees

1. The Executive Director presents his compliments and wishes to bring to the attention of all Members, exporting Members in particular, that in accordance with Annex VI of the Rules on Statistics – Certificates of Origin, contained in document ICC-102-9, the list of certification programmes/verification schemes is to be kept under review.
2. The Annex attached brings up to date the original Annex VI published in the Rules under reference and will be kept under constant review in order to be maintained up to date, as necessary.
3. This is also a good opportunity to remind exporting Members that, although the information regarding ‘differentiated coffees’ is to be included in box 17 of the Certificate of Origin on a **voluntary basis**, improved reporting would enhance the transparency of the trade of this market segment. In addition, this information would provide the necessary support for studies and reports to be prepared in the future and would also enable the assessment of the evolution of sustainability standards in the coffee market.
4. It would be appreciated if these instructions could be forwarded to the Certifying Agencies of all exporting Members as soon as possible.

DIFFERENTIATED COFFEES

The list below brings up to date some of the special characteristics relevant to specific coffee shipments at the time the Rules on Statistics – Certificates of Origin were first published. It continues to be kept under review and updated to include additional changes to programmes or special characteristics (including certification programmes/verification schemes), as appropriate.

Code	Special characteristics
(a)	Speciality/gourmet coffee
(b)	4C Association
(c)	Eurepgap
(d)	FLO International (Fairtrade)
(e)	<i>Q Coffee</i> System
(f)	Rainforest Alliance
(g)	Smithsonian Migratory Bird Center ('Bird friendly')
(h)	UTZ Certified
(i)	Corporate Standards (e.g. Nestlé AAA, Starbucks C.A.F.E. Practices, etc.)
(j)	Fair Trade USA
(k)	Other (please specify)