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International Coffee Council 124<sup>th</sup> Session 25 – 29 March 2019 Nairobi, Kenya Establishment of a Working Group on the Future of the International Coffee Agreement

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY THE FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

- 1. The International Coffee Council, taking into account paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Article 48 of the International Coffee Agreement 2007, decides to establish a Working Group with the mandate of examining the current Agreement and proposals submitted by Members, or other invited parties, and to submit recommendations to the Council.
- 2. The Working Group shall be open to all Members and shall establish its own procedures.
- 3. The International Coffee Council shall appoint a Chair and Vice-Chair.
- 4. The Working Group shall hold its first meeting as soon as possible, with the aim of submitting its recommendations to the Council at its Session in September 2019.
- 5. The Group shall normally meet at the seat of the Organization, to the extent possible, at the time of regular meetings of the Council and between these meetings as decided by the Group.