



International Coffee Organization
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Draft Agenda

Item	Document
1. Draft Agenda – to adopt	WP-Statistics 127/08 Rev. 1
2. Report of the Statistics Committee on the meeting of 21 May 2008 – to approve	WP-Statistics 126/08
3. Compliance with statistical rules – to consider The Statistician will report on compliance with statistics.	WP-Statistics 130/08
4. Technical assistance – to consider 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 other sources.	verbal
5. Statistical priorities under the International Coffee Agreement (ICA) 2007 – to consider Proposals for revisions to Rules on Statistical Reports and Rules on Certificates of Origin (documents WP-Council 180/08 and WP-Council 179/08, respectively) will be considered by the Council in September 2008. The Committee will review proposals for revisions to the Rules on Indicator Prices contained in document WP-Statistics 122/08.	WP-Council 180/08 WP-Council 179/08 WP-Statistics 122/08

6. **Article 2 of the ICA 2007:
Conversion factors for roasted, decaffeinated,
liquid and soluble coffee** WP-Statistics 131/08
- Article 2 of the 2007 Agreement provides that the Council shall, as soon as possible after the entry into force of the Agreement, and again three years after such date, review the conversion factors for the types of coffee listed in Annex I of the Agreement. The last review of the conversion factors took place in 2004 (no changes were recommended). In May 2007 the Committee noted that it would review conversion factors once the ICA 2007 had been approved. The Statistics Committee may wish to make recommendations to the Council in due course.
7. **Inventories and stocks – to note** 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. The Statistician will report.
8. **Organic coffee – to consider** WP-Statistics 128/08
- The Statistician will introduce a report on exports of organic coffee by origin and by destination.
9. **Exports to exporting countries – to consider** WP-Statistics 129/08
- The Statistician will introduce a report on exports of all forms of coffee to exporting countries, including re-exports from importing countries.
10. **Report to the International Coffee Council – to note** verbal
- The Chairman of the Statistics Committee will report to the Council with any recommendations.
11. **Other business – to note/consider**
- Registered ports of export and ICO Certifying Agents* verbal
- Document WP-Council 174/08 containing information on registered ports of export and ICO Certifying Agents will be revised to include additional information received from Members.
- Implementation of the ICA 2007* WP-Council 171/08 Rev. 1
- The Council will consider proposals for revisions to the terms of reference for the Statistics Committee.

Statistics Committee

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The two-year term of office for Members of the Statistics Committee expires in September 2008. The Council will consider this matter.

Costs of production

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Exporting Members have been invited to send to the Secretariat information on the costs of production (see ED-2038/08).

12. Future meetings – *to consider*

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The Committee is invited to suggest matters for consideration at the next meeting and to note that the date of its next meeting will be confirmed by the Secretariat.