### CODEX COMMITTEE ON SPICES AND CULINARY HERBS (CCSCH)

#### **EWG Invitation**

This message is sent on behalf of India.

Title Dried or Dehydrated Chilli Pepper and Paprika

Committee Codex Committee on Spices and Culinary Herbs (CCSCH)

Session 6
Chair of EWG India
Co-Chairs None
Working Languages English

Development of draft standard for dried or dehydrated chilli pepper and paprika

**Description of work** through eWG online platform

Timetable for work

Action	Deadline
Registration of Working Group Members	Nov 15, 2021
Circulation of first draft of the working document by the host countries	Nov 30, 2021
Deadline for comments on the first draft	Jan 15, 2022
Circulation of second draft of the working document by the host countries	Jan 31, 2022
Deadline for comments on the second draft	Mar 15, 2022
Submission of the EWG Report by host countries to the Codex Secretariat	Apr 15, 2022

Email for registration <a href="mailto:ccsch.subbraj@gmail.com">ccsch.subbraj@gmail.com</a>; <a href="mailto:codex-india@nic.in">ccsch.subbraj@gmail.com</a>; <a href="mailto:codex-india@nic.in">ccsch.subbraj@gmailto:codex-india@nic.in</a>

Registration deadline November 15, 2021 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: CCSCH-Chili pepper and Paprika\_2021

The platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform should first register. (<u>online guide</u>, <u>video tutorial</u>)

The EWG chair will give participants access to the usergroup online once they have verified their credentialsso 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.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. T. Subbraj, **Spices Board, India**