



# China National Center for Food Safety Risk Assessment

## Outputs of the Codex Committee on Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems (CCFICS)



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# Background on the Committee

## Codex Committee on

## Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems

❑ **Date:** 1 – 5 May 2023

❑ **Session:** 26<sup>th</sup>

❑ **Location:** Hobart Tasmania, Australia

❑ **Participation of CCASIA Countries: 10 Asia Members**

Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Thailand



# Key Outputs of Committee Discussions

## Items Recommended for Adoption at Step 5/8

- ❑ Proposed draft guidelines on recognition and maintenance of equivalence of National Food Control Systems (NFCS)
- ❑ Proposed draft principles and guidelines on the use of remote audit and inspection in regulatory frameworks



# Other Items Discussed by the Committee: New Work

- New work proposal for the Revision of principles for traceability/product tracing as a tool within a food inspection and certification system (CXG 60-2006)



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## *Discussion Papers:*

- Review and update, Appendix A - the list of emerging global issues
- Guidance on appeals mechanism in the context of rejection of imported food
- Standardization of sanitary requirements



# Summary of EWG to be Activated for Upcoming Period

EWG that will be activated subsequent to this session of the Committee

- ❑ Proposed draft consolidated codex guidelines related to equivalence
- ❑ Proposed draft guidelines on prevention and control of food fraud
- ❑ Principles for Traceability/Product tracing as a tool within a food inspection and certification system (CXG 60-2006)



# Opening the Discussion

## ☐ Standards recommended for adoption

- *Proposed draft guidelines on recognition and maintenance of equivalence of National Food Control Systems (NFCS)*
- *Proposed draft principles and guidelines on the use of remote audit and inspection in regulatory frameworks*

## ☐ New work

- Proposal for the Revision of principles for traceability/product tracing as a tool within a food inspection and certification system (CXG 60-2006)

(The goal is to complete - **in two CCFICS sessions or three years**, depending on the future schedule of CCFICS meetings)



