



## ECONOMICS COMMITTEE

Seventeenth meeting

ICCO Headquarters, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, or Videoconference

28 September-01 October 2021

### DRAFT AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting
2. Adoption of agenda
3. Report of the 42<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Consultative Board
4. Pro Memoria
  - i.* Update on the Working Group on Supply Management
  - ii.* Update on the Working Group on Cadmium
  - iii.* Update on the European Union Cocoa Talks with Côte d'Ivoire and Ghana
  - iv.* Strategies for a generic promotion of cocoa consumption
  - v.* Overview of current food safety and contaminants priorities at the European Union level
  - vi.* Report on the implementation of the Cocoa of Excellence Programme in some ICCO Member countries
  - vii.* Updates on the fifth edition of the World Cocoa Conference (WCC5) and second edition of the International Symposium on Cocoa Research (ISCR2)
5. The World Cocoa Market: Current Situation and Forecasts
6. Update on ICCO-commissioned studies on Payments for Environmental Services (PES), Cocoa Farm Models and the Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the cocoa sector
7. Report on the Work Programme of the Secretariat for the 2020/2021 cocoa year
8. Draft Work Programme of the Secretariat for the 2021/2022 cocoa year
9. Other business
10. Record of decisions

## ANNOTATIONS TO THE DRAFT AGENDA

### 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING

The seventeenth meeting of the Economics Committee will be opened by its Chairperson, HE Mrs Guisell Morales-Echaverry (Nicaragua).

### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The Committee will consider the draft agenda contained in this document as a basis for adopting its agenda.

### 3. REPORT OF THE 42<sup>ND</sup> MEETING OF THE CONSULTATIVE BOARD

The Chairperson of the Consultative Board will inform the Members of the Economics Committee on the Board's recommendations made during its 42<sup>nd</sup> meeting.

### 4. PRO MEMORIA

Agenda items 4(i) – 4(vii), which were addressed at the 42<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Consultative Board, will only be discussed again if Members want to make additional observations or comments.

### 5. THE WORLD COCOA MARKET: CURRENT SITUATION AND FORECASTS

The Committee will receive a presentation on the current situation of the world cocoa market and its future prospects, with reference to document EC/17/2.

### 6. UPDATE ON ICCO-COMMISSIONED STUDIES ON PAYMENTS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES (PES), COCOA FARM MODELS AND THE IMPACT ON COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON THE COCOA SECTOR

The Secretariat will provide an oral update on the above-mentioned commissioned studies.

### 7. REPORT ON THE WORK PROGRAMME OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR THE 2020/2021 COCOA YEAR

The Committee will receive a report on the implementation of the annual work programme for the 2020/2021 cocoa year, with reference to document EC/17/3.

### 8. DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR THE 2021/2022 COCOA YEAR

The Committee will receive a draft work programme for the 2021/2022 cocoa year, with reference to document EC/17/4.

### 9. OTHER BUSINESS

Matters not on the agenda may be raised for consideration.

### 10. RECORD OF DECISIONS

The Committee will take its record of decisions as read.