

Electronic Working Group Invitation (EWG Invitation)

This message is sent on behalf of Germany.

Title	Database on National Registration of Pesticides
Committee	Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues
Session	51 st
Chair of EWG	Germany
Co-Chair	Australia
Working Languages	English
Description of work	<p>The EWG should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide an improved National Registration Database with about 20 compounds every year from Tables 2A and 2B for which data are requested.• Compile the data from all respondents.• Analyze the compiled data in view of the needs for the establishment of the Codex schedules and priority lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR.• Report back on the findings to CCPR52. <p>Note: A CL 2019/75-PR¹ will be distributed by the Codex Secretariat following identification of the 20 compounds from Tables 2A and 2B by the EWG. The EWG will compile and analyze the replies to the CL and report back on the findings to CCPR52.</p>
Timetable for work	The report of the EWG should be submitted to the Codex Secretariat for distribution and consideration by CCPR52 by not later than 10 February 2020
Email for registration	karsten.hohgardt@bvl.bund.de cc Codex.germany@bmel.bund.de
Registration deadline	31 August 2019
EWG online platform	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG².

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>

User-Group name: **CCPR-NatRegPestDB (2019)**

The platform will require members to login.

New participants to the platform should first register ([online guide](#), [video tutorial](#))

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the user-group directly.

The EWG chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so 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.

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.

EWG Chair and Co-Chair (Australia and Germany)

Codex Contact Points of Germany and Australia

¹ <http://www.fao.org/fao-who-codexalimentarius/resources/circular-letters/en/>

² Work on the national registration of pesticides relates to the work on the establishment of CCPR schedules and priority lists of pesticides for evaluation by JMPR and the discussion on unsupported compounds under the CCPR-EWG on Priorities and the CCPR-EWG on Unsupported Compounds. Delegates in this EWG should preferably participate in both EWGs or closely liaise with their counterparts in the two EWGs.