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of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

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Item 5 (b) of the provisional agenda

**Review of existing standards:**

**New proposals**

### **Proposal by the delegation of South Africa to amend the standard for citrus fruit**

**Submitted by the delegation of South Africa**

#### *Summary*

The following proposal for revisions to the standard for citrus fruit (FFV-14) was submitted by the delegation of South Africa for the consideration of the Specialized Section. The changes are marked in strike-through for deleted text and underline for added text.



## **I. Proposal**

The delegation of South Africa proposes to amend the text of footnote number 7, in section IV. Provisions concerning marking, B. Nature of produce of the standard for citrus fruit (FFV-14) as follows:

### **Provisions concerning marking**

#### **Nature of produce<sup>7</sup>**

<sup>7</sup> An informal ~~informative~~, non-exhaustive list of varieties and their respective synonyms, trademarks and/or variety groups is available at the Specialized Section's meeting website.

## **II. Justification**

In reviewing the informal list of citrus fruit varieties, the delegation of South Africa noticed that the standard contains a footnote that uses the term “informative” rather than “informal”. As the list is informal and non-exhaustive, it proposes to revise the standard to ensure alignment with the name of the list.

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