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**PROPOSAL ON AGRICULTURE EXPORT PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS
RELATING TO THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME**

DRAFT GENERAL COUNCIL DECISION

Communication from Afghanistan; Albania; Angola; Australia; Kingdom of Bahrain; Bangladesh; Brunei Darussalam; Canada; Chile; Colombia; Ecuador; El Salvador; European Union; Fiji; Grenada; Guyana; Iceland; Indonesia; Israel; Jamaica; Japan; Republic of Korea; the State of Kuwait; Lao People's Democratic Republic; Liechtenstein; Malawi; Malaysia; Mali; Mexico; Republic of Moldova; Mongolia; Montenegro; Myanmar; New Zealand; North Macedonia; Norway; Paraguay; Peru; the Philippines; Qatar; Saint Lucia; Samoa; Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; Singapore; Solomon Islands; Switzerland; the Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Thailand; Tonga; Ukraine; United Arab Emirates; United Kingdom; United States; Uruguay; Vanuatu; and Viet Nam

*Revision**

The following proposal, dated 18 December 2020, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Singapore on behalf of the aforementioned delegations.

The General Council,

In view of the critical humanitarian support provided by the World Food Programme, made more urgent in light of the COVID-19 pandemic and other crises,

Decides as follows:

Members shall not impose export prohibitions or restrictions on foodstuffs purchased for non-commercial humanitarian purposes by the World Food Programme.

* This revision is to add Afghanistan, El Salvador, Fiji, Jamaica, the State of Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, North Macedonia, Saint Lucia, Thailand, Tonga and Uruguay as co-sponsors to the proposal.