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1. As part of the reform package¹ adopted by the Governing Body at its 310th Session (March 2011),² the Governing Body agreed on a number of arrangements aimed at improving the agenda-setting mechanism. It decided, in that respect, that all items on the agenda would be, by definition, for debate and guidance and/or for decision and that purely informative items which do not call for a substantive Governing Body discussion would be removed from the agenda. Consequently, it also agreed that documents identified as “**for information only**” would be published on the Governing Body website but would not be intended for discussion, unless the tripartite screening group decides otherwise at the request of a member of the Governing Body.³
2. Further to that decision, a document containing a list of all papers “**for information only**” to be presented at a given session would be prepared for the Governing Body to take note of, and that list would be appended to, the Governing Body agenda. The list is appended to the present document.
3. This list also includes documents communicated to the Governing Body “**for information only**” after approval of its Officers by virtue of a delegation of authority by the Governing Body.⁴
4. *The Governing Body may wish accordingly to take note of the information contained in the documents listed in the appendix.*

Point for decision: Paragraph 4.

¹ GB.310/9/1.

² GB.310/PV, para. 129(a).

³ See ILO: *Compendium of rules applicable to the Governing Body of the International Labour Office* (Geneva, 2011), Introductory note, para. 44.

⁴ *ibid.*, section 2.3.

Appendix

Documents submitted to the Governing Body for information only – 315th Session (June 2012)

Document number	Title
Documents approved by the Officers of the Governing Body and submitted to the Governing Body for information only	
GB.315/INF/1	Programme of meetings as approved by the Officers of the Governing Body
GB.315/INF/2	Approved symposia, seminars, workshops and similar meetings
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GB.315/INS/INF/1	Dissolution of the International Federation of Agricultural Producers