

# CIPAC

COLLABORATIVE INTERNATIONAL PESTICIDES ANALYTICAL COUNCIL LIMITED

Commission Internationale des Méthodes d'Analyse des Pesticides (CIMAP)

## Secretary's report

2019 – 2020

### 1. Previous meeting

The 63<sup>rd</sup> CIPAC meeting was held on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at the TI-Forum located at the Thünen-BVL-Campus, Braunschweig, Germany. The meeting was attended by 50 members, correspondents and observers. 100 representatives of the industry were present.

Reports of eight full scale collaborative trials, four small scale trials, one applicability of a method, a validation study for relevant impurity were presented. Validation studies were presented as possible preliminary experiments for proposing draft MT methods.

The status of eight provisional methods was changed to full CIPAC method, three of them concern MT methods. Nine methods were accepted as provisional CIPAC methods.

16 national reports were presented at the Meeting.

### 2. Elections

Mrs Florentina Ciotea (Romania) was elected as full CIPAC member, Ms Osvanna Tshakatyán (Republic of Armenia), Mr Alain Dubois (Belgium), Mrs Dagmar Julinkova (Czech Republic), Mrs Christina Pedersen (Denmark), Mr Leonardo Sabatino (Italy), Mrs Niki Maragou (Greece), Ms Estela Bonilha (Brasil) and Mrs Junhua Song (China) were elected as correspondent CIPAC members.

### 3. CIPAC publications

There wasn't any new handbook published this year.

### 4. Collaborative studies

In the time period covered by the report four full scale collaborative studies and one small scale studies were initiated, and a peer validation for the determination of a relevant impurity was carried out. The results will be presented on the virtual technical meeting. It worth also noted that activities started to update the CIPAC method validation guideline.

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