DECISION DEC-III. 3/120-VI/2024

ADOPTING THE METHOD FOR DETERMINING DIGLYCERIDES AND TRIGLYCERIDES

THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLIVE COUNCIL,

Having regard to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2015, and in particular Article 1 "Objectives of the Agreement" on standardization and research, concerning the standardization of national and international legislation relating to the physico-chemical and organoleptic characteristics of olive oils, olive-pomace oils and table olives in order to avoid any barriers to trade, and Chapter VI "Standardization provisions";

Having regard to the recommendation made by the Chemistry and Standardization Committee at its 15th meeting, within the framework of the 120th session of the Council of Members;

Considering the unanimous position formulated by the chemist experts appointed by the Members at their meeting on October 8 and 9, 2024;

Considering the urgent need for a useful method for detecting certain types of adulteration,

DECIDES

To definitively adopt method COI/T.20/Doc No. 32 - Determination of diglyceride and triglyceride content.

Madrid (Spain), November 20, 2024

Javad Mir Arabrazi Chair of the International Olive Council