



Participation of the SA dairy industry and its projects via SANCIDF

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South African National Committee of IDF

Quarter 4 2017 (October 2017 till December 2017)

Project goals

Goal 1 - Review SA Representatives on IDF bodies (SC's, AT's etc)

Achievements

No resignations or new appointments of SA representatives on IDF bodies took place this quarter.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 2 - Ensure appropriate and timely inputs by SANCIDF and SA representatives on IDF bodies to IDF

Achievements

Four questionnaires were received during this quarter but only due for reply in the next quarter. They were:

IDF Quest 0317/ SC AMC ISO DIS 15151|IDF 229 C17 - Milk, milk products, infant formula and adult nutritionals — Determination of minerals and trace elements — Inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectrometry (ICP-AES) method.

IDF Quest 0417/SC AMC ISO DIS 21422 | IDF 242 - Milk, milk products, infant formula and adult nutritionals - Determination of chloride - Potentiometric titration method

IDF Quest Q 0517 SC AMC ISO DIS 21424 IDF 243 - Milk, milk products, infant formula and adult nutritionals - Determination of minerals and trace elements - Inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (ICP-MS) method.

IDF Quest 0617 SC AMC ISO DIS 17678 | IDF 202 - Milk and milk products — Determination of milk fat purity by gas chromatographic analysis of triglycerides (Reference method).

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 3 - Inform dairy industry role-players of IDF publications in The Dairy Mail and Milk Essay

Achievements

Bulletin 488/2017, "The IDF Guide on Biodiversity for the Dairy Sector", was mentioned in the October issue of the Dairy Mail. Bulletins 489/2017 and 490/2017 received during this quarter, will be mentioned in the February or March 2018 issues.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 4 - Make information produced by the IDF (Bulletins, Standards and Newsletters) available to levy payers and the general public

Achievements

Bulletins 489/2017: "The World Dairy Situation 2017" and 490/2017: "Quality Assurance Tools for Mid Infrared Spectrometry in Dairy Laboratories - Part 1" were published this quarter. As part of their strategy to improve their PR, IDF changed the names structure and frequency of some of their publications. Under this new strategy, two News Briefs, sixteen e-mail Newsletters about WDS 2017 and nine general News Alerts were received during this quarter. They were the following:

Newsbrief:

NB 117:

IDF welcomes Paraguay in the membership of the Federation. Five new countries have signed the Dairy Declaration of Rotterdam. Find an update of the annual meetings of LEAP and AOAC International.

While a final countdown has started for the IDF World Dairy Summit 2017 in Belfast, registrations are now open for the 1st IDF Symposium The Role of Dairy in Sustainable Diets, 1-2 February 2018 in Seville, Spain. Prepare your abstract to the 3rd IDF Symposium on Microstructure of Dairy Products, 3-6 June 2018 in Montreal, Canada, and learn more about the IDF/ISO Analytical Week, 23-27 April 2018, in Dublin, Ireland.

We invite you to consult the latest IDF Animal Health Report

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IDF participated on behalf of the dairy sector at 44th Codex Committee on Food Labeling and at the 49th Codex Committee on Food Hygiene. Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) guidance from the dairy sector was showcased at the United Nations meeting at the OIE and during the Codex Antibiotic Awareness Week. Commitment of the Dairy Sector with Climate Change was showcased during the COP23.

This issue also contains highlights of the progress made in the IDF Standing Committees and other working groups during the IDF World Dairy Summit in Belfast.

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Our flagship publication, the World Dairy Situation Report 2017, and the IDF Annual Report 2016-2017 are now available.

WDS 2017 e-mail newsletters

The sixteen Newsletters about WDS 2017 included four "The Daily Summits" and twelve "WDS News Alerts" covering various aspects of the Summit.

News Alerts

Dairy committed to its global nutrition and environmental goals.

Dairy must confront the risk of protein becoming next frontier in nutrition debate.

Global dairy leaders call for united approach on consumer confidence.

European and US sectors lead milk production recovery .

Brexit challenges highlighted at IDF World Dairy Summit.

Dairy highlighted as key food for sports nutrition.

The Role of Dairy on Sustainable Diets - Creating New Approaches.

Dairy sector continues to grow emerging market footprint.
Dairy industry pushing forward to commercialise science and drive.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 5 - Publish titles of the IDF Bulletins, Standards and News Releases on the Milk SA Website

Achievements

The Bulletins and News Briefs under Goal 4 were published on the Milk SA website.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 6 - Ensure that general issues are brought to the attention of the IDF

Achievements

At the General Assembly of IDF in Belfast, a short video was showed to the meeting indicating the suitability of Cape Town and South Africa to host WDS 2020. This video contributed to the meeting's resolution to award the hosting of WDS 2020 to South Africa.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 7 - Promote the forthcoming World Dairy Summit (Belfast, Ireland) amongst dairy industry role-players

Achievements

Since the summit took place early in this quarter, it was too late to promote the event and no articles about WDS 2017 were published in the Dairy Mail and Milk Essay.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 8 - Give meaningful feed-back of the latest WDS to the local dairy industry

Achievements

Reports as prescribed in their agreements with SANCIDF were received from all delegates to WDS 2017. These reports will be published shortly in abbreviated, printed format as well as electronic format on industry websites. An overview of the Summit, to which all delegates contributed, was presented to the Milk SA general meeting in December 2017

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 9 - Obtain annual reports from South African representatives on IDF bodies (Standing Committees, Action Teams, etc)

Achievements

Not applicable to this quarter as the AGM took place in the first quarter and appropriate reports were submitted then,

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 10 - To maintain membership of IDF to the benefit of the South African dairy industry

Achievements

The 2017 IDF membership fee for South Africa was paid in November 2016.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Goal 11 - To liaise with IDF re sustainability and environment by providing input from SA and communicating information from IDF to the SA industry.

Achievements

During this quarter, liaison with IDF was limited due to the World Dairy Summit taking place in Belfast. There were however, two requests from IDF. They were:

A request for input into a proposed New Work Item concerning a Dairy Sustainability Report.

This report would require local information that could link up with the Dairy Sustainability Forum's recently launched Global Indicators. These indicators are:

Water – Availability and Quality: a) Effluent management plan adopted to minimize impacts to water quality, and

b) Water Use Efficiency for production and processing is measured.

Biodiversity: A biodiversity plan is implemented to preserve, restore and improve biodiversity on-farm and across the supply chain.

Working Conditions: Farm/Facility Safety Plan is in place to ensure worker safety

Soil – Quality and Retention: Soil quality is maintained or improved by good management practices.

Soil Nutrients: Implementation of a Nutrient Management Plan to Enhance Production and reduce pollution.

The next stage will be to develop reporting guidelines for these but in the meantime they want to know if we have plans in place already and what they include. This is to ensure that what is already being done, is captured. This ties in well with the Milk SA Dairy Research Project where virtually every individual project is in fact aimed at improving sustainability and minimizing the impact on the environment.

2. Comments on a document titled "The Dairy Sector Safeguards Environmental Resources" This 7 page document still has to be finally approved by the Standing Committee for Environment and should be available soon for general consumption.

No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported

Income and expenditure statement

Income and expenditure statement	finstate MSA 20171231.pdf
Unnecessary spending during period	No

Popular Report

[msa q4 popular report.pdf](#)

Additional documentation

No file has been uploaded

Statement

Levy funds were applied only for the purposes stated in the contract	Yes
Levy funds were applied in an appropriate and accountable manner	Yes
Sufficient management and internal control systems were in place to adequately control the project and accurately account for the project expenditure	Yes
The information provided in the report is correct	Yes