



## ***Membership of and interaction with the International Dairy Federation by the SANCIDF 2024***

(PRJ-0377-2024)

### ***South African National Committee of the International Dairy Federation***

***Quarter 1 2024/2024*** (January 2024 till March 2024)

#### **Project goals**

**Goal 1 - To maintain membership of IDF by paying the membership fees of IDF and IMP before 31 March 2024 at the best possible exchange rates**

##### ***Achievements***

The SA National Committee of IDF has to pay the fee as determined by IDF. The full membership fee for 2024 as determined by IDF in October 2023 was €44 500 (August 2023 expected fee was €43 150) was paid on 19 January 2024 at Rand value of R 927 325. South Africa is also a full member of the International Milk Promotion (IMP) group and its separate membership fee, is €1 220 at Rand value of R 21 022

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 2 - Review SA representatives on IDF bodies (SC'S, AT'S etc.) so that the best-qualified persons can represent SA on these bodies**

##### ***Achievements***

Ms. Chané Pretorius from the Dairy Standards Agency was appointed on the Standing Committee (Standing Committee of Microbiological Hygiene and Ms. Marieke Maree, a project leader on Milk SA's R&D program was appointed on both Standing Committee Environment and Standing Committee Marketing.

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 3 - Ensure appropriate and timely (before set deadlines) inputs by SANCIDF and SA representatives on IDF bodies to IDF**

##### ***Achievements***

**New Work Items (NWI)**

IDF always proposes its New Work Items (NWI's) for the year to their members in the first quarter of each year. For 2024 they proposed eight NWI's of which SA supported 2 NWI's and nominated 2 local persons on the task forces that will handle the NWI's. IDF adopted the following 8 NWI's for 2023.:

**NWI 24/01:** Update of IDF's guidance on AMR (Dr. Mark Chimes nominated to the Action Team (AT))

**NWI 24/02:** IDF Dairy Cattle Welfare Forum (Dr. Mark Chimes nominated to the AT)

**NWI 24/03:** Determination of proteins in milk fat globule membrane in infant milk formula and other dairy products.

**NWI 24/04:** Revision of the ISO 14891 | IDF 185:2002 – Milk and milk products -Determination of nitrogen content – Routine method using combustion according to the Dumas principle.

**NWI 24/05:** Addressing the challenge of handling Liquid and Solid Waste, Reducing Food Loss and Striving for Circular Economy in Dairy: An Interactive Guide

**NWI 24/06:** Dairy as part of Food-Based Dietary Guidelines (FBDC)

**NWI 24/07:** Considerations for the use of dairy terms in the context of the GSUDT and lab grown products

**NWI 24/08:** Task Force on the Place of Dairy in the Protein Transition

### **Questionnaires**

IDF sent out 1 questionnaire during this quarter which must still be replied to. The questionnaire was:

Questionnaire 0124/SCRCC: Control of Chlorine and Hypochlorite Residues in the Dairy Chain - Bulletin of the IDF 5xx-2024

## ***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 4 - Promote the annual World Dairy Summit amongst dairy industry role-players by forwarding all promotional material to MPO/Sampro /DALRRD representatives and South African SC members as well as articles about the WDS in industry publications**

### ***Achievements***

IDF sent the following Newsbrief and Press release about WDS 2024 out this quarter:

NB: IDF World Dairy Summit 2024 - Save the date & call for posters.

PR: France will be hosting the upcoming IDF World Dairy Summit

Both these publications were circulated to industry representatives as well as to Standing Committee members and a representative of the SA Society of Dairy Technology.

## ***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 5 - To enable a delegation of two SANCIDF officials to take part in World Dairy Summit 2024**

### ***Achievements***

Provision was made in the budget of 2 SANCIDF officials to take part in World Dairy Summit 2024. Mr. Melt Loubser and Dr. Colin Ohlhoff were delegated to attend the summit.

## ***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 6 - Delegates to the WDS to give meaningful feed-back to the local**

dairy industry within one month after their return in a format prescribed in a contractual agreement with SANCIDF

### ***Achievements***

Will only apply to quarter

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 7 - Compile and distribute to levy payers a collection of all delegates' reports in electronic format**

### ***Achievements***

Not applicable to this quarter.

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 8 - Obtain annual reports from South African representatives on IDF bodies (Standing Committees, Action Teams, etc.)**

### ***Achievements***

Eight reports, covering all but Farm Management, were submitted at the Annual General Meeting. All 8 are attached to this report.

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

**Goal 9 - Make information about documents produced by the IDF (Bulletins, Standards and Newsletters) available to levy payers and the general public by publishing the titles on the Milk SA website and in The Dairy Mail and Milk Essay**

### ***Achievements***

One Standard (Revised version), 4 Fact sheets, 4 Notices about Webinars, 6 Press releases and 2 News Items were received from IDF during this quarter namely:

#### **Standard:**

- ISO 22662 | IDF 198: 2024 - Milk and milk products — Determination of lactose content by high-performance liquid chromatography (reference method)

#### **Fact Sheets**

N° 38/2024: Management of calves from birth to weaning: Rearing of calves by dam-calf contact

N° 39/2024: Management of calves from birth to weaning: Milk feeding of calves from newborn through weaning

N° 37/2024: Benefits of processing in dairy

N° 36/2024: Expression of total bacteria count in raw milk

## Notices about Webinars

IDF Webinar | Women in Dairy: Inspire Inclusion  
IDF Webinar | Use of advanced sensors and data for animal welfare applications  
The IDF Cheese Science and Technology Symposium 2024  
Watch the recording | Exploring dairy innovation centres: Case of the National Center of Technology Innovation for Dairy and Yili Innovation Center

## Press Releases

IDF announces the appointment of a new Director General, Ms Laurence Rycken  
IDF organized its 3rd annual International Women's Day Webinar and Launched the IDF Women in Dairy Knowledge Hub  
An IDF side event on Sustainable Dairy Ecosystems was held during the United Nations Environment Assembly in Nairobi  
The "IDF Professor Pavel Jelen Early Career Scientist Prize 2024" is open for submissions  
IDF launches THE 3RD annual IDF Dairy Innovation Awards, sponsored by Tetra Pak  
International Dairy Federation (IDF) announces the IDF Cheese Science & Technology Symposium 2024 to take place in Bergen, Norway

## News Items:

IDF Team Update - March 2024  
IDF Farmers Roundtables 2024: Save the dates and register for the 2024 editions of our farmers roundtables!

***No Non-achievements / underperformance has been reported***

## Income and expenditure statement

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| Income and expenditure statement   | <a href="#">finstate MSA Q1 20240331.pdf</a> |
| Unnecessary spending during period | No   |

## Popular Report

[popular report Q1 2024 SANCIDF.pdf](#)

## Additional documentation

[AGM report Anneke van Niekerk 2023 SCDST and SCFA.pdf](#)  
[AGM report Christine Leighton 2023.pdf](#)  
[AGM report Colin SCENV March 2024 Annual Report - Colin Ohlhoff.pdf](#)  
[AGM Report J Burger 2023 Mar 2024.pdf](#)  
[AGM report Maretha CSNH.pdf](#)  
[AGM Report Mark Chimes 2023.pdf](#)  
[AGM report Ndumiso SCDPE.pdf](#)  
[AGM report Riaan SCAMDMD.pdf](#)

## Statement

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| Levy funds were applied only for the purposes stated in the contract | Yes |
| Levy funds were applied in an appropriate and accountable manner     | Yes |

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| 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 |