



DECISION No DEC-17/S.ex.27-V/2016

**ADOPTING THE METHOD OF ANALYSIS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF
THE PEROXIDE VALUE**

**THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLIVE
COUNCIL,**

Having regard to the 2005 International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives prolonged in 2014, in particular article 21 concerning the designations and definitions of olive oils and olive pomace oils and article 25 concerning standards on physical, chemical and organoleptic characteristics and methods of analysis,

Having regard to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2015, currently open for signature by Members, in particular chapter VI *Standardisation provisions*,

Having regard to the fact that the chemistry experts consider it necessary, in the light of the results obtained in the pertinent tests, to have a COI-referenced method for the determination of the peroxide value,

Having regard to the method proposed for the *Determination of peroxide value* (COI/T.20/Doc. No 35),

Whereas the Technical Committee has recommended the adoption of this method,

DECIDES

The method for the *Determination of peroxide value* (COI/T.20/Doc. No 35) shall be adopted and shall be cited in the trade standard applying to olive oils and olive pomace oils referenced COI/T.15/NC No 3/Rev. 11.

Hammamet (Tunisia), 16 July 2016.