DECISION No DEC-III.4/107-VI/2018

ADOPTING THE BEST PRACTICE GUIDELINES FOR THE STORAGE OF OLIVE OILS AND OLIVE-POMACE OILS FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLIVE COUNCIL,

<u>Having regard</u> to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2015, in particular article 1, "Objectives of the Agreement", concerning standardisation and research, as regards achieving uniformity in national and international legislation and in the area of organoleptic assessment;

<u>Having regard</u> to the recommendation made by the Chemistry and Standardisation Committee at its 3rd meeting, at the 106th session of the Council;

<u>Having regard</u> to the need for guidelines for the storage of olive oils and olive-pomace oils for human consumption;

Having regard to point 10 of the trade standard of the IOC;

Whereas the Advisory Committee submitted a request in this regard;

Whereas the chemistry experts made an unanimous recommendations in this regard;

<u>Whereas</u> the Chemistry and Standardisation Committee presented a proposal in this regard;

DECIDES

The Best practice guidelines for the storage of olive oils and olive-pomace oils for human consumption, appended hereto, shall be adopted.

Buenos Aires (Argentina), 21June 2018