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This note contains proposals of the delegation of the Netherlands on the Standard for Asparagus.

Asparagus standard (Document ECE/TRADE/C/WP.7/GE.1/2010/INF.55)

To legalize the marketing of the packages shown below the text of the standard should change:



V. PROVISIONS CONCERNING PRESENTATION

A. Uniformity

However, a mixture of asparagus of distinctly different colours may be packed together in a package and/or sales unit, provided they are uniform in quality and, for each colour concerned, in origin.

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VI PROVISIONS CONCERNING MARKING

B. Name of the product

“Mixture of asparagus”, or equivalent denomination, in the case of packages and/or sales units containing a mixture of distinctly different colours. If the produce is not visible from the outside, the colours of the sales unit must be indicated.

C. origin of the product

In the case of packages and/or sales units containing a mixture of distinctly different colours of asparagus of different origins, the indication of each country of origin shall appear next to the name of the colour concerned.