European Union comments on
Codex Circular Letter CL 2017/52-MMP:
Request for Comments at Step 8 on the Draft Standard for
Dairy Permeate Powders

Mixed Competence
Member States Vote

The European Union and its Member States can support the adoption of the Draft Standard for Dairy Permeate Powders at Step 8 with the amendment proposed to section 2 (a):

"2. DESCRIPTION

Dairy permeate powders are dried milk products characterized by a high content of lactose:

a) manufactured from permeates which are obtained by removing, through the use of membrane filtration, and to the extent practical, milk fat and milk protein, but not lactose, from milk, whey (excluding acid whey), cream and/or sweet buttermilk, and/or from similar raw materials, and/or …"