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Growers Information Day

D' Olyfboom Estate

27th October 2017.

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Annual General meeting

1. **OPENING AND WELCOME**
 2. **APOLOGIES**
 3. **FINALISING THE AGENDA**
 4. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**
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POMASA Chairman's report

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Board Members

Hannes Beukman

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Carnel Geddes

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Christo Nortje

Donald Spence

Willem van der Merwe

Niel Vos

Jack Wittles (Chair)

POMASA 2017 season

Volumes up by 10%

- Generally smaller sizes
 - Increased demand in our export markets
 - Harvesting started same week as 2016.
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- Dispensations 2017.
 - 4 year dispensation was granted.
 - Dispensation withdrawn on 6th Feb 2017.
 - Meeting with Mr Nepfumbada and Agrochemical Companies on 1st March 2017 in Paarl.
 - Dispensation for the “Wish List” reinstated until the end of the season.
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- Dispensations 2018.
 - Agreed at 2017 meeting that all products on the “Critical Needs” list will be registered within 3 Yrs.
 - 3 of these products already registered.
 - Break down trials will be sprayed on a further 5 products this season.
 - Dispensation has been applied for the above list.
 - No response to date.
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Chemical Registrations

ICA International

Tutor - Pyrimethanil and Fludioxonil

Tebucure - Tebuconazole

Du Pont

Coragen

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Registration Applications

ICA International

Azoxystrobin

Methoxyfenocide

Difenconazole

Boscalid

Adama

Emamectin

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Research.

1. Post harvest chemical treatments and packaging,
University Stellenbosch – Prof. Fawole.

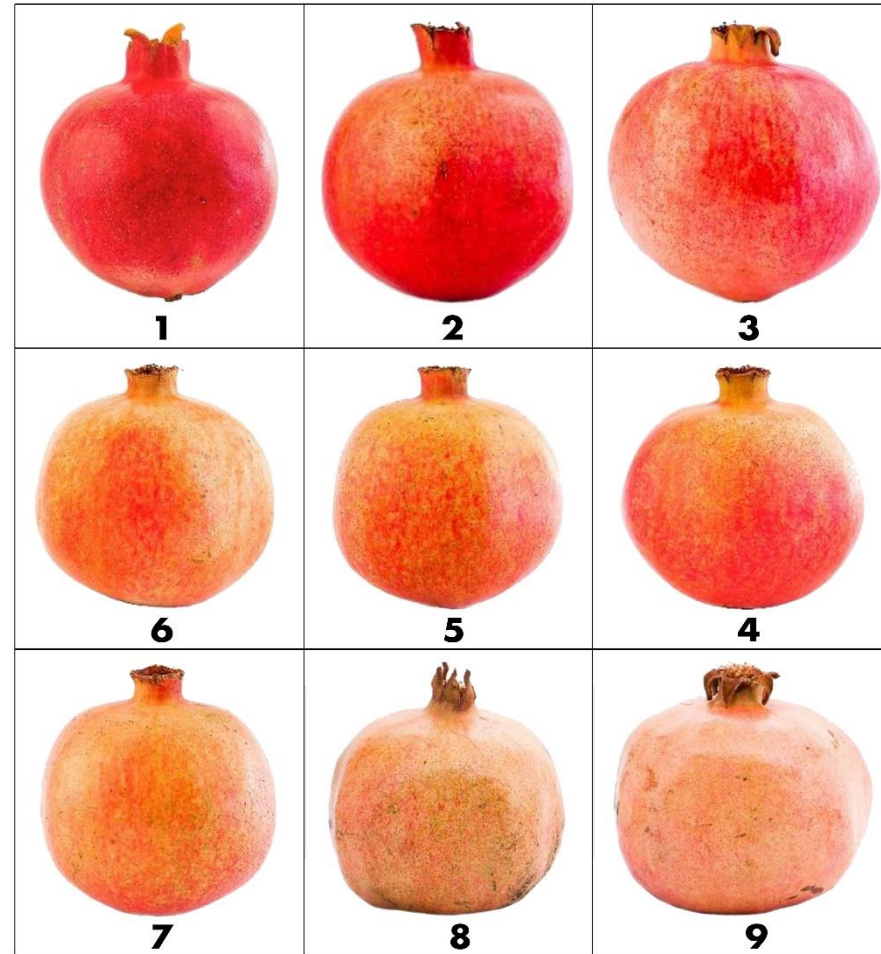
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▪ 2. Post harvest fungal products and solutions,
University Stellenbosch – Dr Lennox / Elrita Venter.

▪ 3. Irrigation and Pom tree performance, ARC
Theresa Volschenk.

- 1 and 2 funded by Post Harvest Innovation Fund. DTI.
 - 3 funded by “Alternative Crops Fund”. WP DOA.
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Pomegranate Colour Chart



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False Codding Moth

FCM is now a regulated pest in the EU.

The EU now becomes a special market.

All growers wishing to export to the EU must:

1. Register with DAFF using the Phytclean system.
2. Comply with the “Pomegranate FCM Management System”.

The new regulations will come into effect from 1st Jan 2018.

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Thanks

Hortgro

PPECB

Dept of Agriculture National and Provincial

Dept of Science and Technology

Members of the board

Members of the association

Associate Members

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Financial statements

7.CONFIRMATION OF DIRECTORS

8.CONFIRMATION of AUDITORS

9.GENERAL

10.CLOSURE
