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ESSENTIAL OILS

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BRIEF HISTORY

The ISO Recommendation R 211, *Essential Oils. Labelling and Marking Containers*, was drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 54, *Essential Oils*, the Secretariat of which is held by the Repartição de Normalização (IGPAI).

Work on this question by the Technical Committee began in 1952 and led in 1953 to the adoption of a Draft ISO Recommendation.

This first Draft ISO Recommendation (No. 55) was circulated to all the ISO Member Bodies for enquiry. As the results of this consultation were not considered satisfactory, the Technical Committee successively put forward a second and a third Draft ISO Recommendation, which were circulated in October 1957 and August 1959 respectively.

This third Draft was approved, subject to a few modifications of an editorial nature, by the following Member Bodies:

Belgium	Israel	Portugal
Burma	Italy	Romania
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Chile	Mexico	Sweden
France	Netherlands	United Kingdom
Germany	New Zealand	U.S.S.R.
Greece	Pakistan	Yugoslavia
India	Poland	

No Member Body opposed the approval of the Draft.

The Draft ISO Recommendation was then submitted by correspondence to the ISO Council, which decided, in September 1961, to accept it as an ISO RECOMMENDATION.