RESOLUTION OENO 9/97

HOT BOTTLING

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

AFTER HEARING the works of the expert group « International Code of Oenological Practices »,

DECIDES :

ON THE PROPOSAL of Commission II « Oenology », to replace in the « International Code », the fiche 3.8 by the following definition:

PART II

Chapter 3: Wines

Hot bottling

Definition:

Bottling of wine heated prior to the immediate corking of the bottle.

Objectives:

a. Biological stabilisation of the wine;

b. Elimination of oxygen;

c. Physico-chemical stabilisation.

Prescription:

The wine should not be heated above 45°C.

Recommendation of the O.I.V.:

Accepted.

Certified in conformity Buenos Aires, 5th December 1997
The Director General of the OIV
Secretary of the General Assembly
Georges DUTRUC-ROSSET

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