CONSIDERING THAT

1. The current content of the OIE Manual of Diagnostic Tests for Aquatic Animals (the Aquatic Manual) is the result of modifications made by the World Assembly of Delegates at previous OIE General Sessions;

2. It is necessary to update the Aquatic Manual in accordance with recommendations in the February 2019 report of the OIE Aquatic Animal Health Standards Commission (Annexes 13 to 16 of Document 87 SG/12/CS4 B), after consultation with the World Assembly of Delegates.

THE ASSEMBLY

RESOLVES

1. To adopt the updates to the Aquatic Manual proposed in Annex 16 of Document 87 SG/12/CS4 B in English, the text being authentic.

2. To adopt the updates to the Aquatic Manual proposed in Annexes 13, 14 and 15 of Document 87 SG/12/CS4 B in English, the text being authentic, with the following modifications:

   2.1. Annex 13 (Chapter 2.2.9.)

      a) In Section 2.2.1., delete “grass shrimp (Palaemonetes pugio)”.

   2.2. Annex 14 (Chapter 2.3.4.)

      a) In Section 2.2.1., delete the word “Northern” in “Northern pike (Esox lucius)”.

   2.3. Annex 15 (Chapter 2.3.6.)

      a) In Section 2.2.2., move “Ballan wrasse (Labrus bergylta)” from the list of species in the second paragraph to the list of species in the first paragraph.

3. To ask the Director General to publish the adopted text in the online version of the Aquatic Manual with appropriate numbering and formatting.

(Adopted by the World Assembly of Delegates of the OIE on 30 May 2019 in view of an entry into force on 31 May 2019)