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**SEMINARY TO EXPLAIN THE RESULTS OF THE MEETING OF
ALCALA' DE HENARES - SAFFIC PROJECT**

**Methodologies for Implementing International Standards for Saffron
Purity and Quality**



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On 29th of June 2009 by “Su Zafferanu” office in S. Gavino Monreale street Umberto I, n° 46 the Sardinian saffron producer, Vito Ennas with the help of experts of Laore Mr. Francesco Sanna and Mr. Roberto Peddis, and saffron producers of S. Gavino Monreale, Mr. Franco Sanna, Mrs. Ennas Maria Carmine.

In the “ Su Zafferanu “ office in S. Gavino Monreale we received the following certified laboratories “Dr. Massimo Tinti Laboratorio Analisi agro alimentari “ and “ Dr. Pitzalis Paolo Laboratorio Merceologico della Camera di Commercio di Cagliari “, also some customers of the territory .

In this meeting we have discussed about the current ISO norm – the future of saffron market in Europe – and about the proposals for the improvement of quality and purity criteria.

In the end of the meeting the majority of customers agreed in the necessity of an European label for the European saffron that is necessary to reduce the import of saffron from the foreign countries.

At the end of the meeting with the laboratories we decided to have a new meeting when we come back from the next meeting in Kozani (Greece) .

Best Regards

(Zu Zafferanu)