**Subject:** ESC Response to WG2 Comments on Draft Emoji Candidates (L2/19-273)

**Source:** Unicode Emoji Subcommittee (ESC)

**References:** L2/19-273, WG2 N5100

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The ESC discussed L2/19-273 in its entirety on 2019-07-18, and responds as follows:

- 1. **HEART** will be changed to **ANATOMICAL HEART**. The ESC agrees that there is name-confusability with various characters that include **HEART** as part of their name. There is no such confusability with **LUNGS**, so its name will remain unchanged.
- 2. The orientation of the color and Black&White glyphs for **TEAPOT** will be changed so that the handle is on the right side.
- 3. The Black&White glyphs for **WORM**, **WOOD**, **TAMALE**, **NESTING DOLLS**, **COIN**, **SAW**, **SCREWDRIVER**, and **LADDER** as reflected in WG2 N5100 (see page 148) resolve the feedback.
- 4. The Black&White glyph for **POTTED PLANT** will be adjusted to make it less cluttered.
- 5. The Black&White glyph for **FLATBREAD** will be adjusted to make it look flatter, and to have the same number of parallel lines as the color glyph.
- 6. With regard to the general comment about Black&White and color glyphs matching—in terms of actual shape, orientation, number of objects, and other visual characteristics—this is not always possible due to constraints, the need for visual distinction, and possibly other factors. The ESC shall endeavor to be more sensitive about this issue in the future.
- 7. **PEOPLE HUGGING** is intentionally designed in a "shadow" style, and is therefore never intended to depict realistic human form. This is clearly reflected in the color and Black&White glyphs.

That is all.