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APPLICATION – ADMINISTRATIVE ASSESSMENT

A1042	Date Received: 21 January 2010 Date Due for completion of Administrative Assessment: 15 February 2010 Date Administrative Assessment Completed: 11 February 2010	
Applicant: Dow AgroSciences Australia Pty Ltd		Potentially Affected Standards in the Code: 1.5.2 1.4.2
Title: Food derived from herbicide-tolerant corn line DAS-40278-9 Brief Description of Application: To seek permission for food derived from herbicide-tolerant corn line DAS-40278-9 genetically modified to provide tolerance to Group 4 phenoxy auxin herbicides such as 2,4-D and Group 1 ACCase inhibitors such as the 'Fop' herbicides.		
Procedure: Major Reasons why: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is an Application for a GM food containing a herbicide-tolerance trait that has not previously been assessed and therefore that requires a comprehensive pre-market safety assessment. • In addition to the GM data, it will be necessary to also consider residue data. 	Estimated total hours: Up to 1050 hours Reasons why: It will be necessary to undertake both a GM safety assessment and an assessment of the residue data.	Estimated start work: Early March 2010

DECISION

Application accepted

Date: 11 February 2010

Has the Applicant claimed Confidential Commercial Information status?

Yes No

What documents are affected?

- Certain information within Dow AgroSciences internal Study 071008
- Additional information supplied February 2010

Has the Applicant provided justification for Confidential Commercial Information status?

Yes No

Is the Application for a High Level Health Claim?

Yes No

If so, has the Applicant made an election to have FSANZ give public notice calling for submissions under s.51 of the FSANZ Act?

Not applicable

Has the Applicant sought special consideration e.g. novel food exclusivity, two separate applications which need to be progressed together e.g. a novel food and a related high level health claim.

Yes No

Details: Not applicable

Charges

Does FSANZ consider that the application is subject to ECCB?

Yes No

If yes, indicate the reason:

The Applicant has indicated that approval of the Application would contribute to facilitating commercial activities of corn line DAS-40278-9 in Australia

If yes, indicate due date for fees to be paid (20 business days after notification of Admin Assess made). **Note that if fees are not received by this date, the Application is automatically rejected.**

Due date for fees: 12 March 2010

Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?

Yes No Not known

