

3 December 2020

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Administrative Assessment Report –Application A1216

Food derived from herbicide-tolerant canola line MON94100

1. Application details

<p>Date received: 13 October 2020 Date due for completion of administrative assessment: 4 November 2020 Date completed: 2 November 2020</p>		
<p>Applicant: Bayer CropScience Proprietary Limited</p>		<p>Potentially affected standard: Standard 1.5.2 Schedule 26</p>
<p>Brief description of Application: To seek approval for the sale and use of food derived from herbicide-tolerant canola line MON94100, genetically modified to provide tolerance to dicamba.</p>		
<p>Procedure: General Level 1</p>	<p>Estimated total variable hours: 240 hours</p> <p>Reasons why: This kind of application involves an assessment of the potential risks to public health and safety of minimal complexity.</p>	<p>Estimated start date: Early Dec 2020</p>

2. Decision

<p>Application accepted</p> <p>Date: 2 November 2020</p> <p>If fees for ECCB are not received, date of rejection: 1 December 2020</p>
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3. Charges

<p>Does FSANZ consider that the application confers an exclusive capturable commercial benefit (ECCB) on the Applicant? Yes</p> <p>Due date for fees: 30 November 2020</p>
<p>Does the Applicant want to expedite assessment (i.e. pay) for this Application? Yes</p>

4. Assessment against FSANZ Act 1991 requirements

Subsection 26(2)
(b) Does the Application relate to a matter that may be developed as a food regulatory measure, or that warrants a variation of a food regulatory measure? Yes
(c) Is the Application so similar to a previous application or proposal for the development or variation of a food regulatory measure that it should not be accepted? No
(d) Are there any other matters relevant to the decision whether to accept or reject the application? No

Does the application meet each of the following criteria required by subsection 22(2)?
(a) The application is in writing Yes
(b) The application is in the form specified in guideline 3.1.1 of the Application Handbook Yes
(c) The application includes all information and each thing that the section 23 guidelines of the Act state must be included in such an application. Yes – Guidelines 3.1.1 & 3.5.1
Did the Applicant identify the Procedure that, in their view, applies to the consideration of this Application? Yes Indicate which Procedure: General
Other Comments or Relevant Matters: Nil

5. Consultation & assessment timeframe

Proposed length of public consultation periods: 6 weeks

Proposed timeframe for assessment

'Early Bird Notification' due: 7 December 2020

General Claims Procedure:

Commence assessment (clock start)	early December 2020
Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure	mid-December 2020
Public comment	early January to mid-February 2021
Board to complete approval	Late April 2021
Notification to Forum	mid-May 2021
Anticipated gazettal if no review requested	mid-July 2021

