

**13 January 2017**

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**Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1138**

Food derived from Provitamin A Rice Line GR2E

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| **Date received: 16 November 2016**  **Date due for completion of administrative assessment:** 7 December 2016  **Date completed: 7 December 2016** | | |
| **Applicant:** International Rice Research Institute | | **Potentially affected standard:**  Schedule 26 |
| **Brief description of Application:**  To seek approval for food derived from rice line GR2E genetically modified to contain increased levels of provitamin A in the grain. | |
| **Procedure:**  General | **Estimated total hours:**  Maximum 650 hours  Reasons why**:**  This kind of application involves an assessment of the potential risk to public health and safety | **Provisional estimated start work:**  Early February 2017 |

***Decision***

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| **Application accepted**  **Date: 7 December 2016** |

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| **Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?**  Yes No ✔  What documents are affected?  N/A  **Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?**  Yes No N/A ✔ |
| **Has the Applicant sought special consideration e.g. novel food exclusivity, two separate applications which need to be progressed together?**  Yes No ✔ |

***Charges***

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| **Does FSANZ consider that the application confers an exclusive capturable commercial benefit on the Applicant?**  Yes No ✔ |
| **Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?**  Yes No ✔ Not known |

***Application Handbook requirements***

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| **Which Guidelines within the Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?**  3.1.1, 3.5.1  **Is the checklist completed?**  Yes ✔ No  **Does the Application meet the requirements of the relevant Guidelines?**  Yes ✔ No |
| **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 ✔ No |
| **Is the Application so similar to a previous application or proposal for the development or variation of a food regulatory measure that it ought not to be accepted?**  Yes No ✔ |
| **Did the Applicant identify the Procedure that, in their view, applies to the consideration of this Application?**  Yes ✔ No  **If yes, indicate which Procedure:**  General |
| **Other Comments or Relevant Matters:**  Nil |

***Consultation & assessment timeframe***

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| **Proposed length of public consultation period**  6 weeks |
| **Proposed timeframe for assessment:**  **‘Early Bird Notification’ due: 10 January 2017**  Commence assessment (clock start) Early March 2017  Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure Early July 2017  Public comment Mid-July– late Sept 2017  Board to complete approval Early Dec 2017  Notification to Forum Mid-Dec 2017  Anticipated gazettal if no review requested Late Feb 2018 |