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Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1094

Food derived from Herbicide-tolerant Cotton Line DAS-81910-7

Date received: 15 November		
Date due for completion of administrative assessment: 6 December 2013		
Date completed: 3 December 2013		
Applicant: Dow AgroSciences		Potentially affected Standard
Brief description of Application: To seek permission for food derived from herbicide-tolerant cotton genetically modified to provide resistance to 2,4-D and glufosinate-ammonium.		Standard 1.5.2
Procedure: General	Estimated total hours: Maximum 350 Reasons why: This kind of application involves an assessment of the potential risk to public health and safety.	Estimated start work: January 2014

Decision

Application accepted

Date: 3 December 2013

Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?

Yes No

What documents are affected?

One confidential attachment in Study ID#110752

Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?

Yes No N/A

Charges

Does FSANZ consider that the application confers an exclusive capturable commercial benefit on the Applicant?

Yes No

If yes, indicate the reason:

Since the technology behind the Application has been developed solely by the Applicant, the Applicant will gain an exclusive benefit if the Application is approved.

The Applicant indicated they believed an ECCB was appropriate.

Due date for fees: 6 January 2014 (fees received 11 December 2013)

Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?

Yes No Not known

Application Handbook requirements

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

If no, where did the application fail to meet requirements?

The electronic version was not identical to the hard copy as required by guideline 3.1.1B

Two studies that should have been supplied were omitted from the original dossier but were supplied on request (on 21 November 2013).

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

Proposed length of public consultation period:

6 weeks

Proposed timeframe for assessment:

'Early Bird Notification' due: 18 December 2013

Commence assessment (clock start)	11 December 2013
Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure	Mid-March 2014
Public comment	Late March – Mid-May 2014
Board to complete approval	Mid-August 2014
Notification to Forum	Late August 2014
Anticipated gazettal if no review requested	Early November 2014