

**21 October 2020**

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**Administrative Assessment Report –Application A1211**

Maltogenic alpha amylase enzyme from GM Bacillus licheniformis

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| **Date received: 26 August 2020** **Date due for completion of administrative assessment:** 16 Sept 2020 **Date completed: 15 Sept 2020** |
| **Applicant:** Danisco New Zealand Ltd  | **Potentially affected standard:**Schedule 18 |
| **Brief description of Application:**To permit a new source microorganism, being a genetically modified *Bacillus licheniformis*, for the permitted enzyme, maltogenic alpha amylase. |
| **Procedure:** General Level 1 | **Estimated total variable hours:** 240 hours **Reasons why:**It will involve an assessment of relatively minor complexity, since it is assessing a new source microorganism for an already permitted enzyme | **Provisional estimated start work:** July 2021 |

***Decision [complete after Delegate has made their decision]***

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| **Application accepted****Date**: 15 September 2020 |

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| **Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?** YesAppendices B1, B3, B4, B5, B6, D1, D2, D4 and E1-E5**Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?** Yes |
| **Has the Applicant sought special consideration e.g. novel food exclusivity, two separate applications which need to be progressed together?**No |

***Charges***

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| **Does FSANZ consider that the application confers an exclusive capturable commercial benefit on the Applicant?**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 Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?**3.1.1, 3.3.2 **Is the checklist completed?**Yes**Does the Application meet the requirements of the relevant Guidelines?** Yes  |
| **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 |
| **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 |
| **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  |

***Consultation & assessment timeframe***

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| **Proposed length of public consultation period:** 6 weeks  |
| **Proposed timeframe for assessment:****‘Early Bird Notification’ due: 20 October 2020**Commence assessment (clock start) early July 2021Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure late Oct 2021Public comment early Nov 21–mid-Dec 21Board to complete approval early March 2022Notification to Forum mid-March 2022Anticipated gazettal if no review requested late May 2022 |