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Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1188

Gibberellic acid as a processing aid

Date received: 16 August 2019		
Date due for completion of administrative assessment: 6 September 2019		
Date completed:		
Applicant: Cargill Malt Asia Pacific Pty Ltd (Cargill)		Potentially affected standard: Standard 1.3.3, Schedule 18
Brief description of Application: To approve the extension of use of gibberellic acid as a processing aid for all cereal grain germination (rather than just barley), retaining the limit of GMP ¹ .		
Procedure: General	Estimated total variable hours: Maximum 240 variable hours (Level 1) Reasons why: Seeking extension of use of already permitted processing aid.	Provisional estimated start work: May 2020

Decision

Application accepted

Date: 6 September 2019

¹ As originally proposed by the applicant. This has been varied to include barley, wheat, rye and triticale only.

Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?

(tick) Yes No

Charges

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

(tick) Yes No

Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?

(tick) Yes No Not known

Application Handbook requirements

Which Guidelines within the Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?

3.1.1, 3.3.2

Is the checklist completed?

(tick) Yes No

Does the Application meet the requirements of the relevant Guidelines?

(tick) 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?

(tick) 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?

(tick) Yes No

Did the Applicant identify the Procedure that, in their view, applies to the consideration of this Application?

(tick) Yes No

General

Other Comments or Relevant Matters:

Nil

Consultation & assessment timeframe

Proposed length of public consultation period:

6 weeks

Proposed timeframe for assessment

General Procedure

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