

SUMMARY MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE FOOD CHAIN AND ANIMAL HEALTH

ANIMAL NUTRITION SECTION

Brussels, 1st December 2006

1. Feed Additives

1.1. Application under Regulation (EC) n°1831/2003

1.1.1. l-Arginine, as feed additive

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

1.2. Setting timetable for additives (Art 25 of Regulation (EC) n° 1831/2003)

1.2.1. Sodium benzoate (E211), propionic acid (E280), sodium propionate (E281) (KOFA GRAIN pH 5) as preservative for cattle for fattening for permanent authorisation. EFSA opinion.

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

1.2.2. Microorganism

1.2.2.1 Biomin IMB 52 Microorganisms : *Enterococcus faecium* DSM 3530
animal categories: **calves** Application for **permanent** authorisation
(The expire of **temporary authorisation 28.02.2005**) **Rapp : AT**

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

1.2.2.2. Oralin: *Enterococcus faecium* DSM 10663/NCIMB 10415
animal categories: turkeys for fattening Application for **permanent** authorisation
(The expire of **temporary authorisation 18.10.2007**) **Rapp : DE**

Presentation of the dossier.

1.2.3. Enzymes

1.2.3.1. Belfeed B1100 MP/ML

Preparation of endo-1,4-beta-xylanase EC 3.2.1.8 , solid and liquid formulation, animal category: turkeys for fattening and pigs for fattening Expiration of temporary authorisation: 1.01.2007 and 1.02.2007
Request of permanent authorisation **Rapp BE**

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

1.2.3.2. “Hostazym X”. Endo 1,4-beta xylanase EC 3.2.1.8 (EC number 1617) produced by *Trichoderma longibrachiatum* (IMI SD 135). Animal category: turkeys. Application for permanent authorisation. The provisional authorisation expires on 30/06/2004. **Rapp: UK**

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

1.2.3.3. “Hostazym C” endo 1,4-beta glucanase EC 3.2.1.4 (E 1616) produced by *Trichoderma longibrachiatum* (IMI SD 142). Animal category: piglets. Application for permanent authorisation. The provisional authorisation expires on 30/06/2004. **Rapp: UK.**

Discussion took place and the current status of the authorisation procedure was updated.

2. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Regulation concerning the authorisation of L-histidine monohydrochloride monohydrate as a feed additive (Document SANCO/2138/2006)

The draft Regulation concerns authorisation for ten years of L-histidine monohydrochloride monohydrate as a feed additive for salmonids, to be classified in the additive category “nutritional additives” and the functional group “amino acids, their salts and analogues”.

A discussion took place.

The vote was taken. The draft Regulation received a favourable opinion by unanimity.

3. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of potassium diformate (Formi LHS) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/1228/2006)

This draft Regulation concerns the authorisation for ten years of the preparation of potassium diformate (Formi LHS) as a feed additive for piglets (weaned) and pigs for fattening, to be classified in the additive category “zootechnical additives” and to the functional group “other zootechnical additives”.

A discussion took place.

The vote was taken. The draft Regulation received a favourable opinion by unanimity.

4. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of a new use of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/2555/2006)

This draft Regulation concerns authorisation for ten years of a new use of the preparation *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (NCYC Sc 47) (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive for dairy goats and dairy sheep to be classified in the additive category “zootechnical additives” and to the functional group "gut flora stabilisers"

A discussion took place.

The vote was taken. The draft Regulation received a favourable opinion by unanimity.

5. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of a new use of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/3657/2006)

This draft Regulation concerns authorisation for ten years of a new use of the preparation *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (NCYC Sc 47) (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive for horses to be classified in the additive category “zootechnical additives” and to the functional group "digestibility enhancer"

A discussion took place.

The vote was taken. The draft Regulation received a favourable opinion by unanimity.

6. Discussion and possible request of opinion on a draft Commission Regulation concerning a requirement for approval in accordance with Regulation (EC) n°183/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council for feed business establishments manufacturing or placing on the market feed additives of the category “coccidiostats and histomonostats” (Document SANCO/2400/2006)

The Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health expressed a favourable opinion with all the 25 Member States that were present or represented in favour.

7. Exchange of views on the updating of the Regulation (EC) No 378/2005 regarding the Community Reference Laboratory (CRL) for feed additives authorisations

Discussion took place.

8. Feed additives

8.1. Benzoic acid. As acidity regulator for pigs for fattening. Application for permanent authorisation. The provisional authorisation expires 25 May 2007. Rapporteur : NL Annex Entry

Discussion took place.

8.2. Discussion on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of fermentation product of *Aspergillus oryzae* NRRL 458 (Amaferm) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/1580/2006) Annex entry

Discussion took place.

8.3. Discussion on a draft Regulation (EC) amending Regulation (EC) No 600/2005 concerning the conditions of authorisation of “Salinomax”, additive used for animal nutrition under additive category “coccidiostats and other medicinal substances” Annex entry

Discussion took place.

8.4. Discussion on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of an enzyme preparation of endo-1,4-beta-xylanase (Safizym X) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/3691/2006) Annex entry

Discussion took place.

8.5. Discussion on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of an enzyme preparation of 6-phytase (Phyzyme XP 5000L and 5000G) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/3692/2006) Annex entry

Discussion took place.

8.6. Discussion on a draft Regulation (EC) concerning the authorisation of a microbiological preparation of *Bacillus subtilis* (O35) as a feed additive (Document SANCO/3693/2006) Annex entry

Discussion took place.

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