

**22 July 2015**

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**Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1114**

Food derived from High Yield Corn Line MON87403

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| **Date received: 5 June 2015**  **Date due for completion of administrative assessment:** 29 June 2015  **Date completed: 29 June 2016** | | |
| **Applicant:** Monsanto Australia Ltd | | **Potentially affected Standard:**  Standard 1.5.2 |
| **Brief description of Application:**  To seek approval for food derived from a genetically modified corn line MON87403 modified for increased yield. | |
| **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. | **Provisional estimated start work:**  Mid - July 2015 |

***Decision***

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| **Application accepted**  **Date: 29 June 2015** |

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| **Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?**  Yes No ✔  What documents are affected?  **Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?**  Yes No N/A ✔ |

***Charges***

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| **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 that an ECCB was appropriate.  **Due date for fees: 27 July 2015 (fees received 15 July 2015)** |
| **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: 22 July 2015**  Commence assessment (clock start) Mid-July 2015  Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure Early October 2015  Public comment Mid-October – Late November 2015  Board to complete approval Early March 2016  Notification to Forum Mid-March 2016  Anticipated gazettal if no review requested Late May 2016 |