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Project Officer Application A1121
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Dear Sir/Madam

Application A1121 – *Oryzin (Protease)* from *Aspergillus melleus* as a processing aid (Enzyme) – Call for Submissions

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this application. The Ministry for Primary Industries (MPI) has the following comments to make.

MPI supports Option 1 to amend the table to subsection S18- 4(5) in Schedule 18 to insert a new entry to permit the use of Oryzin (EC number 3.4.21.63) sourced from *Aspergillus melleus* as a processing aid in food.

Yours sincerely

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