

**20 May 2020**

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**Administrative Assessment Report – Potential Application PA1202**

Food derived from insect-resistant and herbicide-tolerant corn line DP23211

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| **Date received:**  23 March 2020  **Date due for completion of administrative assessment:** 15 April 2020  **Date completed:** 30 March 2020 | | |
| **Applicant:**  Dow AgroSciences Australia Pty Ltd | | **Potentially affected standard:**  Standard 1.5.2  Schedule 26 |
| **Brief description of Application:**  To permit the use of corn (maize) line DP23211 as a new food produced using gene technology. The line has insect-resistance and herbicide-tolerance. | |
| **Procedure:**  General Level 2 | **Estimated total variable hours:**  380 hours  **Reasons why:**  This kind of application is likely to require a GM food assessment of less than average complexity | **Provisional estimated start work:**  April 2020 |

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

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

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| **Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?**  Yes  What documents are affected? There are two study reports in Attachment 2  **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?**  Yes  **Due date for fees:** 14 May 2020 |
| **Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?**  Not applicable |

***Application Handbook requirements***

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| **Which Guidelines within Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?**  3.1.1, 3.5.2  **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 – General L2 |
| **Other Comments or Relevant Matters:** |

***Consultation & assessment timeframe***

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| **Proposed length of public consultation period:**  8 weeks |
| **Proposed timeframe for assessment:**  General Procedure:  Commence assessment (clock start) mid-May 2020  Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure early-August 2020  Public comment mid-August to mid-October  Board to complete approval early-December 2020  Notification to Forum mid-December 2020  Anticipated gazettal if no review requested mid-February 2021 |