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Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1215

Cetylpyridinium chloride (CPC) as a washing processing aid

<p>Date received: 13 October 2020 Date due for completion of administrative assessment: 4 November 2020 Date completed: 4 November 2020</p>		
<p>Applicant: Safe Foods Corporation</p>		<p>Potentially affected standard: Standard 1.3.3 – Processing aids Schedule 18 – Processing aids</p>
<p>Brief description of Application: To request the addition of Cetylpyridinium chloride (CPC) to Schedule 18 of the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code.</p>		
<p>Procedure: General Level 3</p>	<p>Estimated total variable hours: 540 hours</p> <p>Reasons why: Seeking permission for a new processing aid.</p>	<p>Provisional estimated start work: August 2021</p>

Decision [complete after Delegate has made their decision]

<p>Application accepted</p> <p>Date: 4 November 2020</p>
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Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?

Yes

What documents are affected?

Annex B, Annex D, and Annex F.

Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?

Yes

Charges

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

No

Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?

Not known.

Application Handbook requirements

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

3.1.1, 3.3.2.

Is the checklist completed?

All required information as per the checklist was provided.

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

Indicate which Procedure:

General Level 3

Other Comments or Relevant Matters:

Nil

Consultation & assessment timeframe

Proposed length of public consultation period:

6 weeks.

Proposed timeframe for assessment:

'Early Bird Notification' due: 9 December 2020

General Procedure:

Commence assessment (clock start)	early August 2021
Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure	early November 2021
Public comment	early November 2021 – mid December 2021
Board to complete approval	late April 2022
Notification to Forum	early May 2022
Anticipated gazettal if no review requested	late June 2022

