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Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1109

Glutaminase from *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* as a Processing Aid (Enzyme)

<p>Date received: 12 February 2015 Date due for completion of administrative assessment: 5 March 2015 Date completed: 27 February 2015</p>		
<p>Applicant: Amano Enzyme Inc via Intertek Scientific & Regulatory Consultancy</p>		<p>Potentially affected Standard: 1.3.3</p>
<p>Brief description of Application: To permit glutaminase derived from <i>Bacillus amyloliquefaciens</i> as a processing aid in the production of certain seasoning ingredients or foods used for seasoning as an alternative to the use of monosodium glutamate.</p>		
<p>Procedure: General</p>	<p>Estimated total hours: Up to 350 hours</p> <p>Reasons why: It is seeking permission for a new enzyme as a processing aid</p>	<p>Provisional estimated start work: Early September 2015</p>

Decision

Application accepted

Date: 27 February 2015

Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?

Yes No ✓

Has the Applicant sought special consideration e.g. novel food exclusivity, two separate applications which need to be progressed together?

Yes No ✓

Charges

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

Yes No ✓

Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?

Yes No Not known ✓

Application Handbook requirements

Which Guidelines within the Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?
3.1.1, 3.3.2

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

Proposed length of public consultation period:

6 weeks

Proposed timeframe for assessment:

'Early Bird Notification' due: 30 March 2015

Commence assessment (clock start)	Early Oct 2015
Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure	Early Feb 2016
Public comment	Mid-Feb–late March 2016
Board to complete approval	Mid-June 2016
Notification to Forum	Late June 2016
Anticipated gazettal if no review requested	Early Sept 2016