

Approval Letter from the French authorities (18 JUL 2013) Courtesy Translation

Reference : Opinion on the application for authorization to use a lysophospholipase (EC 3.1.15) from a genetically modified *Trichoderma reesei* in glucose syrup production.

Dear Sir,

In response to your request, ANSES (French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety), has issued, after consulting the Committee of Experts on Biotechnology, a favorable opinion dated 5 July 2013.

This opinion, of which you will find a copy attached, should be published on the ANSES website, within one month. In the meantime, I would be grateful if you would advise me, in an argumentative manner, whether you consider that some of the elements contained in this opinion could undermine trade and industrial secrecy so that I may inform ANSES.

Please note that the national authorization procedure can be initiated to include this enzyme in the decree of 19 October 2006 on the basis of the ANSES favorable opinion.

Chief Officer, Claude DUCHEMIN

Signature