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Article 1

Genetically modified organism and unique identifier

Genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON 88017 × MON 810, as specified in point (b) of the Annex to this Decision, is assigned the unique identifier MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 65/2004.

Article 2

Renewal of the authorisation

The authorisation for the placing on the market of the following products is renewed in accordance with the conditions set out in this Decision:

(a) foods and food ingredients containing, consisting of or produced from genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6;

(b) feed containing, consisting of or produced from genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6;

(c) products containing or consisting of genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6 for uses other than those provided for in points (a) and (b), with the exception of cultivation.

Article 3

Labelling

1. For the purposes of the labelling requirements laid down in Article 13(1) and Article 25(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 and in Article 4(6) of Regulation (EC) No 1830/2003, the ‘name of the organism’ shall be ‘maize’.

2. The words ‘not for cultivation’ shall appear on the label of and in the documents accompanying the products containing or consisting of genetically modified maize MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6, with the exception of products referred to in point (a) of Article 2.

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Article 4

Method for detection

The method set out in point (d) of the Annex shall apply for the detection of genetically modified maize MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6.

Article 5

Monitoring plan for environmental effects

1. The authorisation holder shall ensure that the monitoring plan for environmental effects, as set out in point (h) of the Annex, is put in place and implemented.

2. The authorisation holder shall submit to the Commission annual reports on the implementation and the results of the activities set out in the monitoring plan in accordance with the format set out in Decision 2009/770/EC.

Article 6

Community register

The information set out in the Annex shall be entered in the Community register of genetically modified food and feed, as referred to in Article 28(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003.

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Article 7

Authorisation holder

The authorisation holder shall be Bayer CropScience LLC, United States, represented in the Union by Bayer Agriculture B.V., Belgium.

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Article 8

Validity

This Decision shall apply for a period of 10 years from the date of its notification.

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Article 9

Addressee

This Decision is addressed to Bayer CropScience LLC, 800 N. Lindbergh Boulevard St. Louis, Missouri 63167, United States, represented in the Union by Bayer Agriculture B.V., Scheldelaan 460, 2040 Antwerp, Belgium.

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ANNEX

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(a) **Applicant and authorisation holder:**

Name: Bayer CropScience LLC

Address: 800 N. Lindbergh Boulevard St. Louis, Missouri 63167, United States,

represented in the Union by: Bayer Agriculture B.V., Scheldelaan 460, 2040 Antwerp, Belgium.

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(b) **Designation and specification of the products:**

(1) foods and food ingredients containing, consisting of or produced from genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6;

(2) feed containing, consisting of or produced from genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6;

(3) products containing or consisting of genetically modified maize (*Zea mays* L.) MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6 for uses other than those provided for in points (1) and (2), with the exception of cultivation.

The genetically modified maize MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6 expresses the Cry3Bb1 and Cry1Ab proteins which respectively confer protection against certain coleopteran and lepidopteran pests and the CP4 EPSPS protein which confers tolerance to glyphosate- based herbicides.

(c) **Labelling:**

(1) For the purposes of the labelling requirements laid down in Article 13(1) and Article 25(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003, and in Article 4(6) of Regulation (EC) No 1830/2003, the ‘name of the organism’ shall be ‘maize’;

(2) The words ‘not for cultivation’ shall appear on the label of and in documents accompanying the products containing or consisting of the genetically modified maize MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6, with the exception of products referred to in point (b)(1).

(d) **Method for detection:**

(1) Event-specific real-time quantitative PCR methods validated for genetically modified maize MON-88Ø17-3 and MON-ØØ81Ø-6 and verified on MON-88Ø17-3 x MON-ØØ81Ø-6 maize;

(2) Validated by the EU Reference Laboratory established under Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003, published at http://gmo-crl.jrc.ec.europa.eu/statusofdossiers.aspx;

(3) Reference material: AOCS 0406-D2 (for MON-88Ø17-3) accessible via the American Oil Chemists Society at https://www.aocs.org/crm#maize and ERM®-BF413 (for MON-ØØ81Ø-6) accessible via the Joint Research Centre JRC) of the European Commission, Institute for reference Materials and Measurements (IRMM) accessible at https://crm.jrc.ec.europa.eu/

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(e) **Unique identifier:**

MON-88Ø17-3 × MON-ØØ81Ø-6

(f) **Information required pursuant to Annex II to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity:**

[Biosafety Clearing-House, Record ID number: *published in the Community register of genetically modified food and feed when notified*].

(g) **Conditions or restrictions on the placing on the market, use or handling of the products:**

Not required.

(h) **Monitoring plan for environmental effects:**

Monitoring plan for environmental effects in accordance with Annex VII to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council [1].

[Link: *plan published in the Community register of genetically modified food and feed*]

(i) **Post-market monitoring requirements for the use of the food for human consumption**

Not required.

Note: links to relevant documents may need to be modified over time. Those modifications will be made available to the public via the updating of the Community register of genetically modified food and feed.

[1] Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 March 2001 on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/EEC (OJ L 106, 17.4.2001, p. 1).