

Biosafety Clearing-House (BCH)

COUNTRY'S DECISION OR ANY OTHER COMMUNICATION (DEC)

BCH-DEC-CO-108006-1

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Amendment

Is this an amendment to a decision or communication already published on the BCH?

No

General information

Country

[Colombia](#)

PARTY TO THE CARTAGENA PROTOCOL ON BIOSAFETY

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 11 SEP 2003

Competent National Authority(ies) responsible for the decision or communication

- **COMPETENT NATIONAL AUTHORITY:** [BCH-CNA-CO-104388-5](#) | [BCH-CNA-CO-104388-5](#)

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Title / Reference number of the decision or communication

Resolución 646: Por la cual se autorizan Siembras Controladas con semillas de maíz con tecnología Yieldgard (MON-810) a la empresa DuPont de Colombia S.A.

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Date of the decision

03 Mar 2008

Is the decision taken prior to entry into force of the Protocol?

No

Subject of the decision, notification, communication or declaration

Decision on LMOs for intentional introduction into the environment (according to Article 10 or

domestic regulatory framework)

LMOs for intentional introduction into the environment

Was the decision triggered by a request for a transboundary movement of LMOs into your country?

No

Does the decision apply to transboundary movements of LMO(s) into the country?

Yes

Applicant's contact details

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RELATED ORGANIZATION

Does the decision involve field trials?

No

Does the decision involve commercial release?

No

Will the decision apply to subsequent introductions of the same LMO(s) into the environment?

No

Result of the decision

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Approval of the import and/or use of the LMO(s) with conditions

Conditions

Se millas para Siembras Controladas, tales como las zonas agroecológicas del Caribe húmedo, valle geográfico del alto Magdalena, valle geográfico del río Cauca y Llanos Orientales.

Las semillas de los híbridos que se importen deberán cumplir con los estándares de calidad establecidos en el país para la especie maíz y categoría de semillas, así como con los

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requisitos fitosanitarios y toda norma sobre evaluación agronómica, empaques y/o envases, rotulado, etiquetas y marbetería establecidos en las Resoluciones 716 de 1999 y 148 de 2005 del ICA.

La Empresa DuPont de Colombia S.A., queda obligada a realizar seguimiento a la tecnología cumpliendo lo estipulado en el plan de bioseguridad y manejo, enviando al ICA informes bimensuales de todas las acciones exigidas en el seguimiento a la tecnología.

Reasons

En cumplimiento de las disposiciones establecidas en la Resolución 3492 de 1998, la ley 740 de 2002, y demás normas vigentes sobre la materia.

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Information sharing with other databases

Is this decision related to an LMO for commercial use?

No

Should this decision be forwarded to the OECD Secretariat for possible inclusion in the [BioTrack Product Database](#)?

No

Is this decision related to food safety?

No

Was it conducted in accordance with the Codex Alimentarius *Guideline for the Conduct of Food Safety Assessment of Foods Derived from Recombinant-DNA Plants*?

No

Should this information be forwarded to the Secretariat of the [FAO GM Foods Platform](#)?

No

LMO identification & risk assessment

LMO identification

BCH-LMO-SCBD-14750-19 LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISM | MON-ØØ81Ø-6 - YIELDGARD™ MAIZE |
Resistance to diseases and pests - Insects - Lepidoptera (butterflies and moths)

Risk assessment

BCH-RA-CO-108005-1 RISK ASSESSMENT GENERATED BY A REGULATORY PROCESS | USO DE SEMILLAS DE MAÍZ CON TECNOLOGÍA YIELDGARD (MON-810) PARA SIEMBRAS CONTROLADAS. |
MON-ØØ81Ø-6 - YieldGard™ maize | Resistance to diseases and pests

Document on the decision, communication, notification or declaration

? [Res 646 Maíz Yieldgard \(MON-00810-6\)-Siembra.pdf](#) (*Spanish*)

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Further Information

Questions about the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety or the operation of the Biosafety Clearing-House may be directed to the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

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