

Biosafety Clearing-House (BCH)

COUNTRY'S DECISION OR ANY OTHER COMMUNICATION (DEC)

BCH-DEC-MY-115775-1

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Amendment

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

No

General information

Country

Malaysia

PARTY TO THE CARTAGENA PROTOCOL ON BIOSAFETY

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 02 DEC 2003

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

- **COMPETENT NATIONAL AUTHORITY:** BCH-CNA-MY-48230-11 | [BCH-CNA-MY-48230-11](#)**COMPETENT NATIONAL AUTHORITY**

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Title / Reference number of the decision or communication

JBK (S) 600-2/1/10

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Date of the decision

10 Nov 2020

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 direct use as food or feed, or for processing (Article 11, LMOs-FFP)

LMOs for direct use as food or feed, or for processing (LMOs-FFP)

Use(s) of LMO

LMOs for direct use as food
LMOs for direct use as feed
LMOs for processing

Has the decision been taken in the absence of a domestic regulatory framework and in accordance with Article 11.6?

No

Result of the decision

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

Conditions

- 1) There shall be clear documentation by the exporter describing the product which shall be declared to the Royal Malaysian Customs.
- 2) There shall be clear labeling of the product from importation to all levels of marketing stating that it is only for the purpose of food, feed and processing, and is not to be used as planting material.
- 3) Should the approved person receive any credible and/or scientifically proven information that indicates any adverse effect of X17 potato, the National Biosafety Board authority shall be informed immediately.
- 4) Any spillage (during loading/unloading) shall be collected and cleaned up immediately.
- 5) Transportation of the consignment from the port of entry to any destination within the country shall be in secured and closed containers.

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Reasons

The conditions are imposed so that the product will not be intentionally introduced into the environment (planting).

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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-112929-1](#) LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISM | SPS-ØØX17-5 - INNATE® ACCLIMATE RANGER
RUSSET POTATO |

SPS International Changes in quality and/or metabolite content - Carbohydrates, Pigmentation / Coloration, Protein
and amino acids Resistance to diseases and pests - Fungi

Risk assessment

[BCH-RA-MY-115774-1](#) RISK ASSESSMENT GENERATED BY A REGULATORY PROCESS | RISK ASSESSMENT
REPORT OF THE GENETIC MODIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (GMAC) FOR AN APPLICATION FOR
APPROVAL FOR RELEASE OF PRODUCTS OF X17 POTATO FOR SUPPLY OR OFFER TO SUPPLY |

SPS-ØØX17-5 - Innate® Acclimate Ranger Russet Potato SPS International Changes in quality and/or metabolite
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Document on the decision, communication, notification or declaration

? [Department of Biosafety Malaysia](#) (*English*)

? [NBB Decision Statement for X17 potato FFP](#) (*English*)

Additional Information

Other relevant website addresses and/or attached documents

? [Department of Biosafety Malaysia](#) (*English*)

? [FAO GM Foods Platform - Malaysia](#) (*English*)

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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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