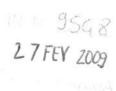
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European Safety Authority To the attention of: Dr. Per Bergman Largo N. Palli 5/A 4310 Parma Italy



EFSA-GMO-NL-2006-35: Withdrawal application

Dear Mr Bergman,

I refer to the EFSA letter sent to BayerCropScience on 11.02.2009 on our application NL-2006-35 on genetically modified cotton LLcotton25 x MON15985.

The 31st of January Bayer CropScience informed EFSA that in the near future we intend to submit a triple stack new submission that will include all the additional information required for the EFSA-GMO-NL-2006-35 and therefore we asked EFSA to maintain the application EFSA-GMO-NL-2006-35 on hold.

EFSA advised Bayer CropScience to withdraw the current application, considering the history of the file and the future submission.

Bayer CropScience would like to informe EFSA that we intend to accept the EFSA advice to withdraw the file and to submit in the near future the new application that will cover the EFSA-GMO-NL-2006-35 parental lines and that will include the issues raised during the completeness check of the current application.

Yours sincerely,

Registration Manager

c.c. Ms Karine Lheureux - EFSA Secretariat

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