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Dear Dr Renckens

REF APPLICATION EFSA-GMO-UK-2006-29 FOR AUTHORISATION OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED 59122xNK603 MAIZE FOR CULTIVATION

We hereby notify you the withdrawal of Pioneer application EFSA-GMO-UK-2006-29 submitted on 16 December 2005 for placing on the market of genetically modified 59122xNK603 maize for food and feed including cultivation under Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003. For your information, this application is being withdrawn because of change in business priorities and that there are no safety or performance problems with the product.

Thank you for your assistance and please do not hesitate to contact me should you require further information.

Yours sincerely

cc. Dr C Baynton – UK Competent Authority
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