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Approval of major change to the authorisation for Sharda Cropchem España S.L.– IMIDASECT ANTS – NO-2022-0238

With reference to the application dated 02 February 2024 for major change(s) to the authorisation of the biocidal product IMIDASECT ANTS, R4BP 3 case number BC-GE092924-38.

Germany is acting as the reference Member State, R4BP3 case number BC-JM079160-36.

Decision

The Norwegian Environment Agency hereby approves the application for the major change(s) to the product authorisation for IMIDASECT ANTS on the Norwegian market.

Terms and conditions for the authorisation

The revised terms and conditions as described in the final Norwegian Summary Product Characteristic (SPC) attached to the R4BP3 asset case no. NO-0029214-0000. The final SPC can also be found on the website of the European Chemicals Agency here: [Information on biocides - ECHA \(europa.eu\)](#). The terms and conditions as stated in the authorisation letter dated 5 December 2022 also apply.

Where the changes approved in this letter have any consequences to the content on or the design of the label, an electronic copy of the revised label(s) for the relevant products shall be submitted to the Norwegian Environment Agency by email (biocides@miljodir.no) within three months from the date of this letter. Please mark the email with the authorisation number.

The approval is given in accordance with Article 8(7) of Regulation (EU) No 354/2013, c.f. Article 50 of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 (the Biocidal Products Regulation, BPR).

Background

Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 and Regulation (EU) No 354/2013 are implemented in Norwegian law through the Norwegian Biocide Regulation of 18 April 2017 No 480.

The procedure for applications for major changes to authorisations are set out in Article 8(7) of Regulation (EU) No 354/2013.

The application concerns

Sharda Cropchem España S.L. has applied for major change(s) to the authorisation of IMIDASECT ANTS on the Norwegian market. The applied changes concern the addition of a target organism (black ants) and a change in the shelf-life from 24 months to 48 months and is classified as a major change, in accordance with the criteria laid down in Title 3 of the Annex to Regulation (EU) No 354/2013.

Evaluation by the Norwegian Environment Agency

The decision is based on the evaluation of the reference Member State.

Relevant information

Phase out period for existing biocidal products on the Norwegian market

In cases where an authorisation is changed, the existing stocks must be phased out in line with Article 52 of the BPR. The product shall not be made available on the market with effect from 180 days after the date of this letter. Furthermore, the use of existing stocks of the biocidal product may continue for up to 365 days after the date of this letter. During this period, all advertising material related to products that do not comply with the new conditions, should also be removed from the market.

Right to appeal

This decision may be appealed to the Ministry of Climate and Environment. An appeal shall be submitted to the Norwegian Environment Agency within three weeks after receipt of this letter.

Best regards
Norwegian Environment Agency

This document has been signed electronically

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