

**20 November 2018**

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**Administrative Assessment Report – Application A1173**

Minimum protein in follow-on formula

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| **Date received:** 23 October 2018 **Date due for completion of administrative assessment:** 13 November 2018**Date completed:** 12 November 2018 |
| **Applicant:** Nestle Nutrition Oceania  | **Potentially affected standards:**Standard 2.9.1 and Schedule 29  |
| **Brief description of Application:**To vary the minimum protein requirement in follow-on formula. |
| **Procedure:** General (Level 3)   | **Estimated total hours:** Maximum 1000 hoursReasons why**:**This Application will involve a nutritional assessment of greater than average complexity to consider the risk to public health and safety of a reduction of the minimum protein amount in follow-on formula. | **Provisional estimated start work:** June 2019  |

***Decision***

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| **Application accepted****Date: 12 November 2018** |

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| **Has the Applicant requested confidential commercial information status?** Yes ✔ **What documents are affected?** Section 1.1.1 - Costs and benefits of the ApplicationAmino acid profiles of test formulas of 2 submitted studies **Has the Applicant provided justification for confidential commercial information request?** Yes ✔ |
| **Has the Applicant sought special consideration e.g. novel food exclusivity, two separate applications which need to be progressed together?**No ✔ |

***Charges***

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| **Does FSANZ consider that the application confers an exclusive capturable commercial benefit on the Applicant?**No ✔ |
| **Does the Applicant want to expedite consideration of this Application?**Yes ✔  |

***Application Handbook requirements***

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| **Which Guidelines within the Part 3 of the *Application Handbook* apply to this Application?**3.1.1, 3.3.3 and 3.6.2**Is the checklist completed?**Yes ✔**Does the Application meet the requirements of the relevant Guidelines?** Yes ✔ **If no, where did the application fail to meet requirements?** |
| **Does the Application relate to a matter that may be developed as a food regulatory measure, or that warrants a variation of a food regulatory measure?**Yes ✔ |
| **Is the Application so similar to a previous application or proposal for the development or variation of a food regulatory measure that it ought not to be accepted?**No ✔ |
| **Did the Applicant identify the Procedure that, in their view, applies to the consideration of this Application?**Yes ✔**If yes, indicate which Procedure:** General  |
| **Other Comments or Relevant Matters:** |

***Consultation & assessment timeframe***

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| **Proposed length of public consultation period:** 6 weeks  |
| **Proposed timeframe for assessment:**Commence assessment (clock start) mid June 2019 Completion of assessment & preparation of draft food reg measure end Oct 2019 Public comment early Nov – mid Dec 2019 Board to complete approval early March 2020Notification to Forum mid March 2020 Anticipated gazettal if no review requested June 2020  |