



Application procedure for smoke flavourings primary products

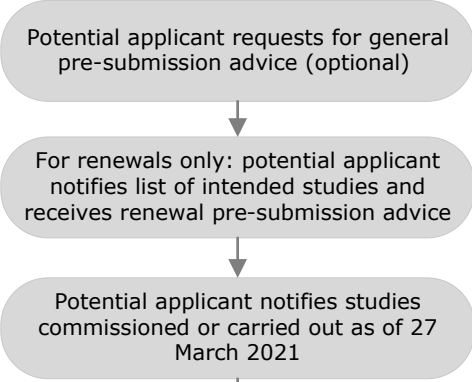
The application procedure for smoke flavourings primary products differs from other flavourings. The authorisation procedure and administrative steps are set down in Regulation EC 2065/2003. Specific quality criteria for the testing are described in Regulation EC 627/2006. Scientific data requirements are specified in EFSA's scientific guidance documents. Applications for the renewal of an existing authorisation should be submitted to the European Commission (EC).

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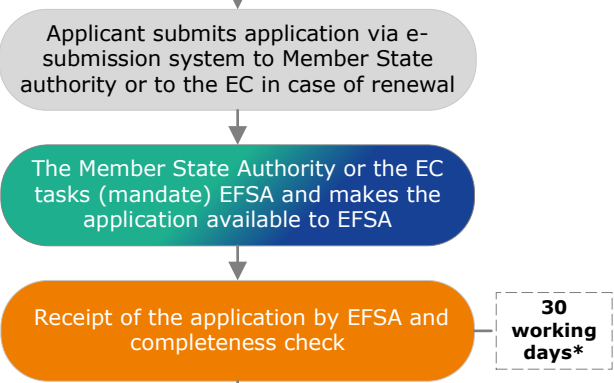
- Applicant
- Member State
- EC
- EFSA

Regulation EC 2065/2003
Regulation EC 627/2006

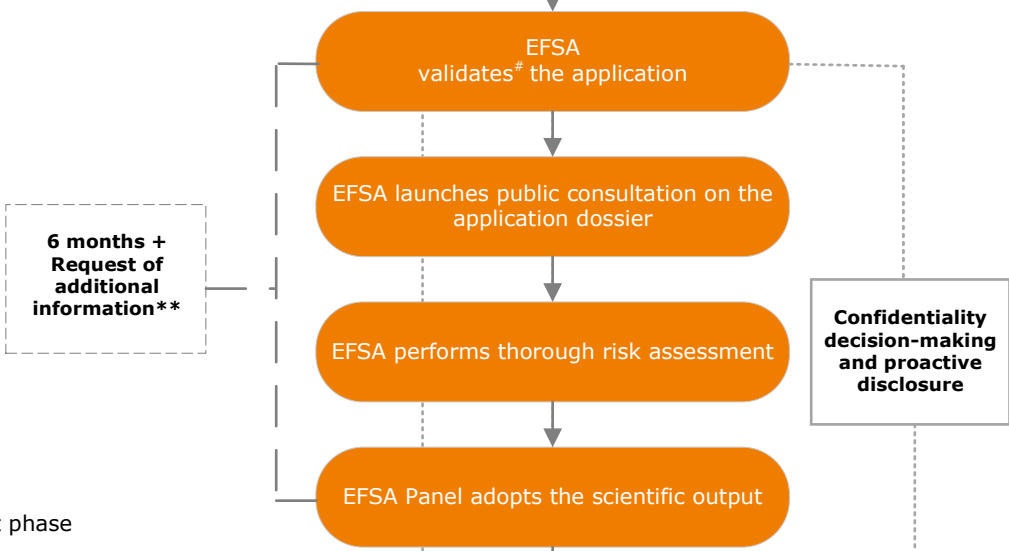
Pre-submission phase



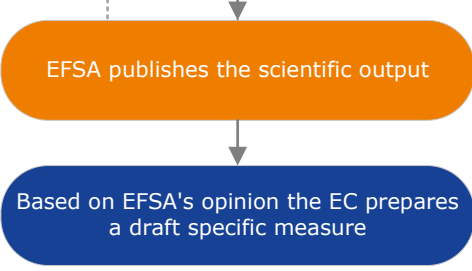
Submission phase & completeness check



Risk assessment phase



Post-adoption phase



*EFSA aims at providing its 1st feedback on Completeness check within 30 working days after receipt of the application. In case certain parts of the application need modification or completion in order to be considered valid, EFSA requests the missing information to the applicant.

#In certain cases, the application might be declared as non-valid (see EFSA administrative guidance for further information).

**In case of a request of additional information, the scientific risk assessment process is put on hold until the requested additional information is supplied by the applicant.