



## APPLICATION FOR PLACING ON THE MARKET OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED FOOD OR FEED

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Please answer all relevant sections of the form CLEARLY in accordance with the requirements of the Biosafety Act, 2006 and Biosafety Regulations published under Government Notice No. 210

Please return your completed application to the: *The Registrar: Biosafety Council, National Commission on Research Science and Technology ERF 490, Platinum Street, Prosperita, Windhoek or Private Bag 13253 Windhoek*

Your application must consist of the following components -

1. Proof of payment of the correct fee (see Annexure 2);
2. Advertisement of permit application to place on the market of genetically modified food and/or feed (see Biosafety Regulations, Regulation 7)
3. Emergency response plan (see Annexure 1)
4. One original and 2 copies of the application with confidential information for use by the regulatory bodies appointed in terms of the Biosafety Act. This copy must be clearly marked: CONFIDENTIAL. Note that under Section 43 of the Biosafety Act, information may only be designated as commercially confidential if it is declared as such by the Council as a result of a written application;
5. Please provide 10 hard copies and a digital format of the application containing no confidential information. This copy must be clearly marked: NON-CONFIDENTIAL.

NEW	AMMENDMENT	RENEWAL	CANCELLATION
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**1. GENERAL INFORMATION:**

Name of Applicant:	
Name of Company/ Organization:	
Physical Address:	
Postal Address:	
Telephone Number:	
Email Address:	

**2. DETAILS OF PROPOSED PRODUCT TO BE PLACED ON THE MARKET:**

The product is a:	Genetically modified food		Genetically modified feed		
Trade name of genetically modified product:			Common name (e.g. maize):		
Commercial name/event (e.g. MON810)			Scientific name (e.g. Zea mays):		
Provide a complete list of the varieties/hybrids of the event					
Description of the genetically modified trait:					
Country of origin:					
Type of market activity requested:	Import	Produce	Process	Transport	



Date(s) of Activity					
Estimated quantity or volume of product that will be imported/ produced/ processed/ transported as per this application					
Estimated value of product that will be imported/ produced/ processed/ transported as per this application					
Provide details on the storage and handling of the product					
Proposed labelling of the product for marketing					
State whether the benefits of the product are available in any other non-genetically modified form. If so, state why the genetically modified form should be approved					

**3. IMPORTATION DETAILS:**

Name, address and contact details of the importer	
Port of entry in Namibia	
Name, address and contact details of the exporter	
The regulatory status of the GMO within the country of export	
Name and contact details of the Competent National Authority in the country of export	
Current use of product in the country of export	
Intended use of product in Namibia	

**4. SOCIO-ECONOMIC IMPACT:**

Specify what, if any, positive or negative socio-economic impacts are anticipated as a result of this commodity clearance. The information may include but is not limited to information on the impact on the following (a) Cultural traditions, knowledge and practices (b) Income, competitiveness or economic markets and (c) Food security	
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**5. DETAILS OF PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY:**

Title:		Surname:		Full name(s):	
Position:					
Contact Details:	Telephone Number:		Email Address:		

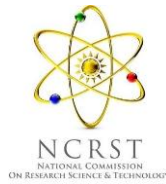


**6. ADVERTISEMENT OF PERMIT APPLICATION FOR PLACING ON THE MARKET:**

Advertisement details	Newspaper 1:		Date:	
	Newspaper 2:		Date:	

**7. DECLARATION:**

<p>I declare that the particulars given in this application and accompanying supporting documentation are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that I have not withheld any required information.</p> <p>Name: .....</p> <p>Signature: .....</p> <p>Date: .....</p>
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## ANNEXURE 1

### Details to be included in emergency response plan:

- (a) The name and postal and physical address of the applicant;
- (b) The telephone number, including the area code and, if applicable, the electronic mailing address and facsimile number of the applicant;
- (c) The type and size and means of containment use with regard to the GMO or GMO product to which the emergency response plan relates;
- (d) The geographical area covered by the emergency response plan;
- (e) The contact number, including the area code, to call to have the emergency response plan activated immediately;
- (f) A description of the emergency response capabilities available to the person in possession of the GMO or GMO product including the contact number of persons qualified to telephonically give technical advice about the GMO or GMO product involved;
- (g) The contact number of the person or persons qualified and available to give advice and assistance at the site of an emergency;
- (h) A list of the equipment which can be transported to and used at the site of an emergency;
- (i) A general description of the response actions capable of being taken at the site of an emergency;
- (j) A description of the transportation arrangements to bring specialised emergency response personnel and equipment to the site of an emergency;
- (k) A description of the communication systems which can be made available at the site of an emergency;
- (l) A potential accident assessment, including -
  - i. a general analysis of how an unintentional or accidental release could occur;
  - ii. a general description of the potential consequences of an unintentional or accidental release; and
  - iii. a description of the action expected to be taken in the event of an unintentional or accidental release;
- (m) A copy of any formal agreement with a third party for the provision of assistance, where applicable; and
- (n) Such additional information as the Council may require.



## ANNEXURE 2

Fees

Regulation	Nature of Fee	Fee
6(4)	Application fee for a permit to place on the market genetically modified food or feed	N\$ 1000.00
26(4)	Application fee for a contained use permit	N\$ 1000.00
21(2)	Application fee for registration of facility	N\$ 1000.00
44(2)	Application fee for an environmental release permit	N\$ 1000.00
35(2)	Application fee for field trial permit	N\$ 1000.00
8(1)	Issue fee for placing on the market permit	N\$ 5000.00
28(1)	Issue fee for contained use permit	N\$ 5000.00
23(2)	Issue fee for registration of facility certificate	N\$ 10,000.00
47(1)	Issue fee for environmental release or field trial permit	N\$ 5000.00
37(1)	Issue fee for field trial permit	N\$ 5000.00
9(2)	Annual renewal fee for placing on the market permit	N\$ 1000.00
29(2)	Annual renewal fee for contained use permit	N\$ 500.00
24(2)	Annual renewal fee for certificate	N\$ 500.00
48(2)	Annual renewal fee for environmental release permit	N\$ 500.00
38(2)	Annual renewal fee for field trial permit	N\$ 500.00
14(2)	Fee for inspection of genetically modified food or feed arriving in Namibia	N\$ 5000.00