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## European Medicines Agency decision P/0425/2020

of 22 October 2020

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for birch bark extract (EMA-001299-PIP03-17-M01) in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council

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The European Medicines Agency,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2006 on medicinal products for paediatric use and amending Regulation (EEC) No. 1768/92, Directive 2001/20/EC, Directive 2001/83/EC and Regulation (EC) No 726/2004<sup>1</sup>,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Community procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human and veterinary use and establishing a European Medicines Agency<sup>2</sup>,

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0338/2019 issued on 11 September 2019,

Having regard to the application submitted by Amryt Research Limited on 4 June 2020 under Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 proposing changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan and proposing a deferral,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 4 September 2020, in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 and Article 21 of said Regulation,

Having regard to Article 25 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

Whereas:

- (1) The Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency has given an opinion on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan and on the granting of a deferral.
- (2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan.
- (3) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision granting a deferral.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1.

Has adopted this decision:

**Article 1**

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for birch bark extract, gel, cutaneous use, are hereby accepted in the scope set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices.

**Article 2**

A deferral for birch bark extract, gel, cutaneous use, the details of which are set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices, is hereby granted.

**Article 3**

This decision is addressed to Amryt Research Limited, 90 Harcourt Street, D02 CR98 - Dublin 2, Ireland.



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EMA/PDCO/321960/2020  
Amsterdam, 4 September 2020

## Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan EMA-001299-PIP03-17-M01

### Scope of the application

#### Active substance(s):

Birch bark extract

#### Condition(s):

Treatment of epidermolysis bullosa

#### Pharmaceutical form(s):

Gel

#### Route(s) of administration:

Cutaneous use

#### Name/corporate name of the PIP applicant:

Amryt Research Limited

### Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Amryt Research Limited submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 4 June 2020 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0338/2019 issued on 11 September 2019.

The application for modification proposed changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan and proposed a deferral.

The procedure started on 6 July 2020.

### Scope of the modification

Some measures of the Paediatric Investigation Plan have been modified. A deferral has been added.



## Opinion

1. The Paediatric Committee, having assessed the application in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, recommends as set out in the appended summary report:

- to agree the changes to the paediatric investigation plan in the scope set out in the Annex I of this opinion;
- to grant a deferral, the details of which are set out in the Annex I of this opinion.

The Norwegian Paediatric Committee member agrees with the above-mentioned recommendation of the Paediatric Committee.

2. The measures and timelines of the paediatric investigation plan are set out in the Annex I.

This opinion is forwarded to the applicant and the Executive Director of the European Medicines Agency, together with its annex and appendix.

## **Annex I**

**The subset(s) of the paediatric population and condition(s) covered by the waiver and the measures and timelines of the agreed paediatric investigation plan (PIP)**

## 1. Waiver

Not applicable.

## 2. Paediatric investigation plan

### 2.1. Condition:

Treatment of epidermolysis bullosa

#### 2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Treatment of epidermolysis bullosa

#### 2.1.2. Subset(s) of the paediatric population concerned by the paediatric development

From birth to less than 18 years of age

#### 2.1.3. Pharmaceutical form(s)

Gel

#### 2.1.4. Measures

Area	Number of measures	Description
Quality-related studies	0	Not applicable
Non-clinical studies	0	Not applicable
Clinical studies	1	<b>Study 1</b> (EASE study; BEB-13) Double-blind, randomised, placebo (vehicle) controlled trial to evaluate efficacy and safety of birch bark extract on top of standard of care in children from birth to less than 18 years of age (and adults) with epidermolysis bullosa
Extrapolation, modelling and simulation studies	0	Not applicable
Other studies	0	Not applicable
Other measures	0	Not applicable

### 3. Follow-up, completion and deferral of PIP

Concerns on potential long term safety/efficacy issues in relation to paediatric use:	No
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	By December 2022
Deferral for one or more measures contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	Yes