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European Medicines Agency decision

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of 11 June 2014

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for recombinant fusion protein linking human coagulation factor IX with human albumin (EMEA-001107-PIP01-10-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 726/2004¹,

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 Agency²,

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/251/2011 issued on 25 October 2011,

Having regard to the application submitted by CSL Behring GmbH on 31 January 2014 under Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 proposing changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 25 April 2014, in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

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 to the deferral.
- (2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan, including changes to the deferral.

¹ OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1.

² OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1.

Has adopted this decision:

Article 1

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for recombinant fusion protein linking human coagulation factor IX with human albumin, powder and solvent for solution for injection/infusion, intravenous use, including changes to the deferral, 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

This decision is addressed to CSL Behring GmbH, Emil-von-Behring Str. 76, 35041 - Marburg, Germany.

Done at London, 11 June 2014

For the European Medicines Agency
Guido Rasi
Executive Director
(Signature on file)

EMA/PDCO/69103/2014

Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan

EMA-001107-PIP01-10-M01

Scope of the application

Active substance(s):

Recombinant fusion protein linking human coagulation factor IX with human albumin

Condition(s):

Treatment of hereditary factor IX deficiency

Pharmaceutical form(s):

Powder and solvent for solution for injection/infusion

Route(s) of administration:

Intravenous use

Name / corporate name of the PIP applicant:

CSL Behring GmbH

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, CSL Behring GmbH submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 31 January 2014 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0251/2011 issued on 25 October 2011.

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

The procedure started on 26 February 2014.

Scope of the modification

Some measures and timelines of the Paediatric Investigation Plan have been modified.

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 to changes to the paediatric investigation plan and to the deferral in the scope 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.

London, 25 April 2014

On behalf of the Paediatric Committee
Dr Dirk Mentzer, Chairman
(Signature on file)

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 hereditary factor IX deficiency

2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Treatment and prophylaxis of bleeding in patients with Haemophilia B (hereditary factor IX deficiency).

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)

Powder and solvent for solution for injection/infusion.

2.1.4. Studies

Area	Number of studies	Description
Quality	1	Study 1 Development of a 250 IU/vial formulation (powder and solvent for solution for injection/infusion).
Non-clinical	0	Not applicable.
Clinical	5	Study 2 Open-label, multicentre, uncontrolled, dose-escalation study to evaluate the safety and pharmacokinetics of recombinant fusion protein linking human coagulation factor IX with human albumin (rIX-FP) in previously treated patients, 12 years of age or above, with Haemophilia B. Study 3 Open-label, multicentre, uncontrolled study to evaluate the safety, pharmacokinetics and clinical response of rIX-FP with regard to the prevention of bleeding in previously treated patients, 12 years of age or above, with Haemophilia B. Study 4 Open-label, multicentre, uncontrolled study to evaluate the clinical response, pharmacokinetics and safety of rIX-FP with regard to the prevention and treatment of bleeding in previously treated patients, 12 years of age or above, with Haemophilia B.

		Study 5 Open-label, multicentre, uncontrolled study to evaluate the safety, pharmacokinetics and clinical response of rIX-FP with regard to the prevention and treatment of bleeding in previously treated patients less than 12 years of age with Haemophilia B. Study 6 Open-label, multicentre, uncontrolled study to evaluate the safety, pharmacokinetics and clinical response of rIX-FP with regard to the prevention and treatment of bleeding in previously untreated patients (PUPs) with Haemophilia B.
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3. Follow-up, completion and deferral of PIP

Concerns on potential long-term safety and efficacy issues in relation to paediatric use:	Yes
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	By June 2017
Deferral for one or more studies contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	Yes