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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 application submitted by Cambridge Allergy Ltd on 25 January 2016 under Article 16(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 also requesting a deferral under Article 20 of said Regulation and a waiver under Article 13 of said Regulation,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 29 April 2016, in accordance with Article 18 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006, and Article 21 of said Regulation and Article 13 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 agreement of a paediatric investigation plan and on the granting of a deferral and on the granting of a waiver.
- (2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision agreeing a paediatric investigation plan.
- (3) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision granting a deferral.
- (4) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision granting a waiver.

¹ OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1.

² OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1.

Has adopted this decision:

Article 1

A paediatric investigation plan for peanut flour, capsule, hard, oral use, the details of which are set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices, is hereby agreed.

Article 2

A deferral for peanut flour, capsule, hard, oral use, the details of which are set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices, is hereby granted.

Article 3

A waiver for peanut flour, capsule, hard, oral use, the details of which are set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices, is hereby granted.

Article 4

This decision is addressed to Cambridge Allergy Ltd, ideaSpace, 3 Laundress Lane, CB2 1SD – Cambridge, United Kingdom.

Done at London, 14 June 2016

For the European Medicines Agency
Zaïde Frias
Head of Division
Human Medicines Research and Development Support
(Signature on file)



EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY
SCIENCE MEDICINES HEALTH

EMA/PDCO/105162/2016

London, 29 April 2016

Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the agreement of a Paediatric Investigation Plan and a deferral and a waiver

EMA-001753-PIP02-15

Scope of the application

Active substance(s):

Peanut flour

Condition(s):

Treatment of peanut allergy

Pharmaceutical form(s):

Capsule, hard

Route(s) of administration:

Oral use

Name / corporate name of the PIP applicant:

Cambridge Allergy Ltd

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 16(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Cambridge Allergy Ltd submitted for agreement to the European Medicines Agency on 25 January 2016 an application for a paediatric investigation plan for the above mentioned medicinal product and a deferral under Article 20 of said Regulation and a waiver under Article 13 of said Regulation.

The procedure started on 1 March 2016.

Supplementary information was provided by the applicant on 11 April 2016. The applicant proposed modifications to the paediatric investigation plan.



Opinion

1. The Paediatric Committee, having assessed the proposed paediatric investigation plan in accordance with Article 17 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, recommends as set out in the appended summary report:

- to agree the paediatric investigation plan in accordance with Article 18 of said Regulation;
- to grant a deferral in accordance with Article 21 of said Regulation;
- to grant a waiver for one or more subsets of the paediatric population in accordance with Article 13 of said Regulation and concluded in accordance with Article 11(1)(c) of said Regulation, on the grounds that the specific medicinal product does not represent a significant therapeutic benefit over existing treatments for paediatric patients.

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

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

1.1. Condition:

Treatment of peanut allergy

The waiver applies to:

- the paediatric population from birth to less than 1 year of age;
- for capsule hard, for oral use;
- on the grounds that clinical studies with the specific medicinal product cannot be expected to be of significant therapeutic benefit to or fulfil a therapeutic need of the specified paediatric subset(s).

2. Paediatric investigation plan

2.1. Condition:

Treatment of peanut allergy

2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Peanut oral immunotherapy for reduction in clinical reactivity to accidental exposure in peanut allergic children and adults

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

From 1 to less than 18 years of age

2.1.3. Pharmaceutical form(s)

Capsule, hard

2.1.4. Measures

Area	Number of measures	Description
Quality-related studies	0	Not applicable
Non-clinical studies	0	Not applicable

Area	Number of measures	Description
Clinical studies	5	Study 1 Randomised, controlled trial to evaluate efficacy and safety of peanut flour compared to peanut avoidance in children from 7 to less than 17 years of age with peanut allergy Study 2 Double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled trial to evaluate efficacy and safety of peanut flour compared to placebo in children from 4 to less than 18 years of age (and in adults) with peanut allergy Study 3 Open-label, randomised, active-controlled trial to demonstrate that actively treated subjects from STOP3 (Study 2) trial: • maintain or increase their tolerance to peanuts and • maintain their tolerance to peanuts after 3 months of weekly dosing Study 4 Open-label, uncontrolled trial in children from 4 to less than 18 years of age (and in adults) with peanut allergy: • to evaluate the treatment interval required to develop tolerance to a cumulative double-blind placebo-controlled food challenge (DBPCFC) dose of 1000 mg peanut protein or more with no more than minor symptoms • to demonstrate by DBPCFC the amount of peanut protein subjects can tolerate directly after up-dosing and again after 3 months and after 6 months at the top daily dose of peanut flour Study 5 Double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled trial to evaluate efficacy and safety of peanut flour compared to placebo in children from 1 to less than 4 years of age with peanut allergy
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:	Yes
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	By May 2021
Deferral for one or more measures contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	Yes