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## European Medicines Agency decision

P/0243/2023

of 16 June 2023

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for birch bark extract (Filsuvez), (EMA-001299-PIP03-17-M02) in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council

### Disclaimer

This decision does not constitute entitlement to the rewards and incentives referred to in Title V of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006.

**Only the English text is authentic.**

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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>2</sup>,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Union procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human use and establishing a European Medicines Agency<sup>3</sup>,

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0338/2019 issued on 11 September 2019 and the decision P/0425/2020 issued on 22 October 2020,

Having regard to the application submitted by Amryt Pharmaceuticals DAC on 20 March 2023 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 26 May 2023, 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.
- (2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan.

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<sup>2</sup> OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1, as amended.

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1, as amended.

Has adopted this decision:

**Article 1**

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for birch bark extract (Filsuvez), 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**

This decision covers all conditions, indications, pharmaceutical forms, routes of administration, measures, timelines, waivers and deferrals, as agreed in the decision P/0156/2013 issued on 5 July 2013, including subsequent modifications thereof.

**Article 3**

This decision is addressed to Alan Weir, Amryt Pharmaceuticals DAC, 45 Mespil Road, D04W2F1 - Dublin 4, Ireland.



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EMA/PDCO/147992/2023 Corr<sup>1</sup>  
Amsterdam, 26 May 2023

## Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan EMA-001299-PIP03-17-M02

### Scope of the application

#### Active substance(s):

Birch bark extract

#### Invented name and authorisation status:

See Annex II

#### Condition(s):

Treatment of epidermolysis bullosa

#### Pharmaceutical form(s):

Gel

#### Route(s) of administration:

Cutaneous use

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

Amryt Pharmaceuticals DAC

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Amryt Pharmaceuticals DAC submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 20 March 2023 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0338/2019 issued on 11 September 2019 and the decision P/0425/2020 issued on 22 October 2020.

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

The procedure started on 24 April 2023.

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<sup>1</sup> 22 August 2023



## Scope of the modification

Some measures 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 in the scope set out in the Annex I of this opinion.

The Paediatric Committee member of Norway 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 annexes 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                  | Study 1 (EASE study; BEB-13)<br><br>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              |

## **Annex II**

### **Information about the authorised medicinal product**

***Information provided by the applicant:***

**Condition(s) and authorised indication(s)**

1. Treatment of epidermolysis bullosa

Authorised indication(s):

- Treatment of partial thickness wounds associated with dystrophic and junctional epidermolysis bullosa (EB) in patients 6 months and older.
  - Invented name(s): Filsuvez
  - Authorised pharmaceutical form(s): gel
  - Authorised route(s) of administration: cutaneous use
  - Authorised via centralised procedure