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European Medicines Agency decision P/0319/2024

of 13 September 2024

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for deucravacitinib (Sotyktu), (EMEA-002350-PIP02-20-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 Union procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human use and establishing a European Medicines Agency²,

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0156/2022 issued on 13 May 2022,

Having regard to the application submitted by Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharma EEIG on 29 April 2024 under Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 proposing changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 26 July 2024, 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.

¹ OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1, as amended.

² OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1, as amended.

Has adopted this decision:

Article 1

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for deucravacitinib (Sotyktu), age-appropriate oral solid dosage form, film-coated tablet, oral 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/0262/2019 issued on 19 July 2019, including subsequent modifications thereof.

Article 3

This decision is addressed to Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharma EEIG, Plaza 254, Blanchardstown Corporate Park 2, D15 T867 - Dublin 15, Ireland.



EMA/PDCO/240098/2024 Amsterdam, 26 July 2024

Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan EMEA-002350-PIP02-20-M01

Scope of the application

Active substance(s):

Deucravacitinib

Invented name and authorisation status:

See Annex II

Condition(s):

Treatment of chronic idiopathic arthritis (including rheumatoid arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis and juvenile idiopathic arthritis)

Pharmaceutical form(s):

Age-appropriate oral solid dosage form

Film-coated tablet

Route(s) of administration:

Oral use.

Name/corporate name of the PIP applicant:

Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharma EEIG

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharma EEIG submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 29 April 2024 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0156/2022 issued on 13 May 2022.

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

The procedure started on 27 May 2024.



Scope of the modification

Some measures of the Paediatric Investigation Plan have been modified.

Opinion

- 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 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 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

1.1. Condition:

Treatment of chronic idiopathic arthritis (including rheumatoid arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis and juvenile idiopathic arthritis)

The waiver applies to:

- the paediatric population from birth to less than 5 years of age;
- age-appropriate oral solid dosage form, film-coated tablet, oral use;
- on the grounds that the specific medicinal product does not represent a significant therapeutic benefit as clinical studies are not feasible.

2. Paediatric investigation plan

2.1. Condition:

Treatment of chronic idiopathic arthritis (including rheumatoid arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis and juvenile idiopathic arthritis)

2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Treatment of juvenile psoriatic arthritis

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

From 5 years to less than 18 years of age.

2.1.3. Pharmaceutical form(s)

Age-appropriate oral solid dosage form

Film-coated tablet

2.1.4. Measures

Area	Description	
Quality-related studies	Study 1	
	Development of age-appropriate formulation for paediatric use	
Non-clinical studies	Study 2	
	Definitive juvenile toxicity study in rats (DN18003)	
Clinical studies	Study 3 Double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled withdrawal study to evaluate pharmacokinetics, safety and efficacy of deucravacitinib in children from 5 years to less than 18 years of age with juvenile psoriatic arthritis (JPsA) (IM011-1071)	

Extrapolation, modelling and simulation studies	Study 4 Population pharmacokinetic (PPK) model to support dose-finding of deucravacitinib in children from 5 years to less than 18 years of age with juvenile psoriatic arthritis (JPsA)
Other studies	Not applicable
Other measures	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 August 2030
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 psoriasis

Authorised indication(s):

- Treatment of moderate to severe plaque psoriasis in adults who are candidates for systemic therapy.
 - Invented name(s): SOTYKTU
 - Authorised pharmaceutical form(s): Film-coated tablet
 - Authorised route(s) of administration: Oral use
 - Authorised via centralised procedure