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Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Summary of opinion¹ (post authorisation)

Tevimbra

tislelizumab

On 17 October 2024, the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP) adopted a positive opinion, recommending a change to the terms of the marketing authorisation for the medicinal product Tevimbra. The marketing authorisation holder for this medicinal product is Beigene Ireland Limited.

The CHMP adopted a new indication to extend the use of Tevimbra to patients with previously untreated oesophageal squamous cell carcinoma (OSCC), as follows:

Tevimbra, in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy, is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with unresectable, locally advanced or metastatic OSCC whose tumours express PD-L1 with a tumour area positivity (TAP) score $\geq 5\%$ (see section 5.1).

For information, the full indications for Tevimbra will be as follows²:

Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Tevimbra in combination with pemetrexed and platinum-containing chemotherapy is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with non-squamous NSCLC whose tumours have PD-L1 expression on $\geq 50\%$ of tumour cells with no EGFR or ALK positive mutations and who have:

- locally advanced NSCLC and are not candidates for surgical resection or platinum-based chemoradiation, or
- metastatic NSCLC.

Tevimbra in combination with carboplatin and either paclitaxel or nab-paclitaxel is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with squamous NSCLC who have:

- locally advanced NSCLC and are not candidates for surgical resection or platinum-based chemoradiation, or
- metastatic NSCLC.

¹ Summaries of positive opinion are published without prejudice to the Commission decision, which will normally be issued 67 days from adoption of the opinion

² New text in bold



Tevimbra as monotherapy is indicated for the treatment of adult patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC after prior platinum-based therapy. Patients with EGFR mutant or ALK positive NSCLC should also have received targeted therapies before receiving tislelizumab.

Oesophageal squamous cell carcinoma (OSCC)

Tevimbra, in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy, is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with unresectable, locally advanced or metastatic OSCC whose tumours express PD-L1 with a tumour area positivity (TAP) score \geq 5% (see section 5.1).

Tevimbra as monotherapy is indicated for the treatment of adult patients with unresectable, locally advanced or metastatic OSCC after prior platinum-based chemotherapy.

Detailed recommendations for the use of this product will be described in the updated summary of product characteristics (SmPC), which will be published in the revised European public assessment report (EPAR) and made available in all official European Union languages after a decision on this change to the marketing authorisation has been granted by the European Commission.