

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL UNDER THE GMO ACT, 1997 HELD ON 20
MAY 2014, DAFF, HARVEST HOUSE, ROOM 332, PRETORIA**

NO.	SUBJECT	RESOLUTION	FOR ATTENTION
4.	APPROVAL OF THE RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS OF 18 MARCH 2014	The record of proceedings of the meeting held on 18 March 2014 was approved with amendments.	All
5.	MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PROCEEDINGS		
5.1	Feedback on appeals lodged under the GMO Act (DAFF)	The EC was reminded that the potato appeal is still outstanding.	DAFF
5.8	Syngenta 12/121: Commodity Clearance application of maize 3272 x BT11 x MIR604 x GA21	The EC did not approve Syngenta's application for commodity clearance application of maize 3272 x BT11 x MIR604 x GA21.	DAFF
6.	APPLICATIONS TO BE CONSIDERED BY EC (REGISTRAR)		Registrar
	Time extensions, amendments to (existing) permits, import and exports	None	
	New applications Trial release and import and /or export		
6.1	Syngenta 13/135: Import and Trial Release of Maize Bt11 x 1507 x GA21	The EC approved Syngenta's application for import and trial release of maize Bt11 x 1507 x GA21.	All
6.2	Syngenta 13/136: Import and Trial Release of Maize Bt11 x MIR162 x GA21	The EC approved Syngenta's application for import and trial release of maize Bt11 x MIR162 x GA21.	All
6.3	Syngenta 13/137: Import	The EC approved Syngenta's application for import and trial release of maize Bt11 x	All

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6.4(a)	and Trial Release of Maize Bt11 x MIR162 x1507 x GA21 Bayer 14/050: Export for trial release of GM cotton event GlyTol x Twinklink	MIR162 x1507 x GA21. The EC approved Bayer's application for export of cotton GlyTol x Twinklink.	All
6.4(b)	Bayer 14/051: Export for trial release of GM cotton event GlyTol x Twinklink to Contained use and import and/or export	The EC approved Bayer's application for export of cotton GlyTol x Twinklink.	All
	General release	None	
	Commodity clearance		
6.5	Dow AgroSciences 13/014: Commodity Clearance of GM soybean event DAS81419-2	The EC decision on DowAgroSciences application for commodity clearance of soybean DAS81419-2 is pending.	All
7.	General Standing matters		All
7.1	Regulatory and policy developments (All)	The EC was informed that DST is in the process of developing implementation plans for the three thematic areas of the Bioeconomy strategy, namely, agriculture, environment and health Industries.	DST
7.2	Cartagena Protocol (DEA)	The EC was reminded that the COP/MOP 7 will be held in Korea from 29 September - 03 October 2014 and that the regional preparatory meeting will take place on 27-28 September 2014.	DEA

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7.3	Non-compliance Other	None	DAFF
12	Date of the next meeting	The date for the next meeting is scheduled for 22 July 2014.	All
13	Closure	The meeting was concluded at 12H20.	All

Approved by Chairperson

Dr J Jaftha

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Approved by Registrar

Ms NL Mkhonza

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