

Biocides in UK/Resubmission for ongoing applications

With regard to Brexit the United Kingdom has implemented its own system to regulate biocides. As a consequence, as of 1 January 2021 UK has no longer access to EU IT systems such as R4BP3, thus, it is no longer possible for UK authorities to access ongoing applications in the EU and the respective data sets. Herewith we would like to inform you about some recent request that HSE stressed in its latest newsletter issued [March 8th](#).

Please note that ongoing applications for approval of active substances or biocidal products need to be resubmitted to HSE

By 31 March 2021:

- Resubmission of any application where the UK was, at any time prior to 1 January 2021:

- evaluating the Union or National (with or without mutual recognition in EU Member States) product authorisation application (including renewal) as the reference Member State (rMS); or
- the evaluating Competent Authority (eCA) for an active substance approval/renewal application.

By 29 June 2021:

- Resubmission of any application where, prior to 1 January 2021, the UK:

- was a concerned Member State (cMS) for the National/Union product authorisation application (including renewal, mutual recognition);
- was the rMS or cMS for the Same Biocidal Products application (National/Union) or any application to change an authorisation; or
- was not the evaluating eCA for an active substance approval/renewal application.

To this, the complete original application including all additional data must be submitted to HSE.

Having questions/need support?

We would be happy to support you in compiling your data, preparing and submitting your dossiers/applications to HSE.

Please do not hesitate to contact our Biocides experts Kerstin Schrade (Kerstin.schrade@vali-consulting.com) or Christian Bieler (Christian.bieler@vali-consulting.com)

Best regards,
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