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AI-2016-00045 / JH

Mr. Santanu Mitra
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Dear Mr. Mitra:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your informal *Access to Information Act* (ATIA) request dated October 31, 2016 for information that was provided under the following request number:

A-2015-00043 (AI-2016-00045)

"Copies of results of any and all tests ordered by the Canadian Government from beginning of 2010 till date (September 8, 2015) to Canadian and/or foreign laboratories, for detecting presence and concentration of the chemical Glyphosate in foods."

Enclosed you will find the documents relevant to your request.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact H  l  ne Joannis at 613-773-1226 or by email at H  l  ne.joannis@agr.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

Vincent Beaulieu
Director,
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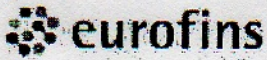
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AI-2016-00045

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A-2015-00043



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TEST REPORT:

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YOUR ORDER:

SAMPLE RECEIPT:

PACKAGING:

Plastic sachet

COUNT: 1

MARKING:

Sample Marking: Organic Green split peas,

LABORATORY SAMPLE:

Pea, dried, organic

Description:

about 560 g dried peeled peas

Analysis:

APPLIED METHODS

F-SOF-000*

for Details see scope of analysis

* performed by subcontractor

Die Prüfergebnisse beziehen sich ausschließlich auf den Prüfgegenstand und den Umfang der durchgeführten Untersuchungen. Eine - auch auszugsweise - Veröffentlichung des Berichtes bedarf einer schriftlichen Genehmigung.
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SCOPE OF ANALYSIS:	Method	Analytical Unit
Glyphosate	Extraction, derivatization (SF00B)	LC-MS/MS

<u>TEST RESULTS:</u>			
Pesticide / Parameter	Dimension	Result	Limit of Quantification
Glyphosate	mg/kg	0.24	0.01

This electronically generated test report has been checked and approved. It meets the requirements of the DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2005 on simplified test reports and is valid without signature.

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YOUR ORDER: [REDACTED]

SAMPLE RECEIPT: [REDACTED]

PACKAGING:

Plastic sachet

COUNT: 1

MARKING:

Sample Marking: Organic Green split peas, [REDACTED]

LABORATORY SAMPLE:

Pea, dried, organic

Description:

about 460 g dried peeled peas

Analysis: [REDACTED]

APPLIED METHODS

F-SOF-000*

for Details see scope of analysis

* performed by subcontractor

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SCOPE OF ANALYSIS:

Glyphosate

Method

 Extraction, derivatization
(SF00B)

Analytical Unit

LC-MS/MS

TEST RESULTS:
Pesticide / Parameter
Dimension
Result
**Limit of
Quantification**

Glyphosate

mg/kg

0.18

0.01

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(Dr. Linkerhägner/ S. Pelz / Dr. Anspach/ J. Riehle/ J. Jaschik/ S. Kosfeld/ K. Prausa/ Dr. Hartwig)

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YOUR ORDER: [REDACTED]

SAMPLE RECEIPT: [REDACTED]

PACKAGING:

Plastic sachet

COUNT: 1

MARKING:

Organic green split peas, [REDACTED]

LABORATORY SAMPLE: Pea, dried, organic

Description: about 980 g dried peas

Analysis: [REDACTED]

APPLIED METHODS

DFG-S19 Modular multi method for the determination of pesticide residues in foods according to § 64 LFGB L 00.00-34 (extended revision of DFG Method S 19)

DFG-405 Determination of Glyphosate according to DFG Method S 405

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Test Report from 21.06.2012

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SCOPE OF ANALYSIS:	Method	Analytical Unit
OC-61-01-DHY (OC)	DFG-S19	GC-ECD
OP-61-01-DHY (OP)	DFG-S19	GC-PPD
Glyphosate	DFG-405	HPLC/Fluoreszenz

TEST RESULTS:

Pesticide / Parameter	Dimension	Result	Limit of Quantification
Glyphosate	mg/kg	0.12	0.04

From the following groups no further pesticides/parameters were detectable

OC, OP

CONCLUSION:

The analysed sample contains a residue of Glyphosat with a concentration of 0.12 mg/kg.

Glyphosat is not listed in annex II of Council Regulation (EC) No. 889/2008 and therefore its use for organic food is not allowed.

In respect to this, it is to clarify, whether samples of the same quality comply with the requirements of EU Regulation 889/2008/EC (and its amendments).

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