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Subject: RE: Information on mutagenesis techniques

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Dear [redacted]

In addition to the information already provided to you, the Irish CA under Directive 2009/41/EC received 5 notifications to carry out contained use activities with organisms modified by gene editing techniques, during 2018.

- 4 notifications with cells; and,
- 1 notification with a yeast.

Kind regards
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Subject: FW: Information on mutagenesis techniques

Dear [redacted]

Further to your request to Member States for information on the new mutagenesis techniques, please see response from Ireland to the questions that were raised.


Kind regards
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- Field trials being carried out on new varieties developed by New Breeding Techniques (NBTs) – None to date

- Existing varieties developed through NBTs – **None to date**
- Information on intellectual property rights with regard to likely products that might be developed and marketed through NBTs – **No applications for authorisation of NBTs has been received by the Irish Competent Authority**
- Information relating to detection and quantification techniques - **We will await the outcome of the work currently being undertaken by the EURL and the discussion taking place with the European Network of GMO Laboratories (ENGL) at its bi-annual meeting in October.**
- Information on the intended control of imports of such products – **It is proposed to carry out similar controls and checks on products produced from NBTs as those currently in place for GMOs. Until such time that official identification and quantification methods are established, the controls will be based on documentary checks**
- Formal position adopted in relation to the court ruling if any– **No formal position has been adopted.**

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Subject: Follow-up PAFF meeting 11/09/2018 on new mutagenesis techniques

Dear Member States Competent Authorities for Regulation (EC) 1829/2003,

Following our request to Member States at the PAFF meeting of 11/09/2018 to provide information and data on new mutagenesis techniques, we have received feedback from four Competent Authorities so far.

We would like to thank these Member States for their valuable contribution and kindly remind the other Authorities to send their feedback by 11 October, in order to allow an informed discussion at the next PAFF and Regulatory Committee 2001/18/EC meetings. To this end, we also invite you to consult the relevant national authorities for Directive 2001/18/EC and Directive 2009/41/EC.

We intend to share Member States' contribution through CIRCA BC.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Best regards,

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