

Consultation request for the determination of the novel food status ARTICLE 4 of Regulation (EU) 2015/2283

Consultation request to determine the novel food status of the Hemp oil with cannabidiol (CBD) isolate obtained by CO₂ supercritical extraction from Cannabis

Recipient Member State: the Czech Republic, Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic

Name and description of the novel food:

The request concerns cannabidiol (CBD) isolate (purity is 98,56 %) dissolved in hemp oil. CBD isolate is obtained by CO₂ supercritical extraction from flowers and leaves of *Cannabis*. The concentrations of CBD in the hemp oil are 5 %, 10 %, 15 %, 20 %. The product is intended to be used as a food supplement. The food in question does not contain nanomaterials.

Novel food status

Novel food

Novel food category (where applicable):

Category 3(2) (a)(iv)

Justification

Competent authorities of the EU Member States and the European Commission were consulted. A history of consumption to a significant degree prior May 1997 has not been demonstrated for the CBD isolate. Therefore, cannabidiol isolate and hemp oil with cannabidiol isolate is considered as a novel food.