



November 27, 2024

DSM Nutritional Products, LLC
Attention: William D. Lewis, M.S
250 Plainsboro Road
Plainsboro, NJ 08536

Re: GRAS Notice AGRN 66 – Condensed Algal Residue Solubles

Dear Mr. Lewis:

The Food and Drug Administration's (FDA) Center for Veterinary Medicine (CVM) refers to a generally recognized as safe (GRAS) notice, dated March 11, 2024, submitted on behalf of DSM Nutritional Products, LLC (the notifier). The subject of the notice is condensed algal residue solubles derived from fermentation of microalgae *Schizochytrium* sp. as a source of protein, carbohydrates, minerals, and fat in beef cattle diets at 5% of dry matter intake in the diet. The submission informs us of the notifier's conclusion that the subject of the submission is GRAS through scientific procedures. The notice was filed on April 15, 2024, and designated as animal GRAS notice number (AGRN) 66. In an October 23, 2024 email to you, CVM informed the notifier of questions regarding their conclusion. Specifically, CVM has questions related to the adequacy of the human food safety assessment that was presented to reach a conclusion of safety.

CVM is granting your request dated November 5, 2024 to cease evaluation of the AGRN 66. In accordance with 21 CFR 570.275(b)(2), the text of this letter responding to AGRN 66 is accessible to the public on our website for the Current Animal Food GRAS Notices Inventory at <https://www.fda.gov/animal-veterinary/generally-recognized-safe-gras-notificationprogram/current-animal-food-gras-notices-inventory>.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Ms. Wasima Wahid at 240-402-5857 or at wasima.wahid@fda.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

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