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SAVE THE DATES!

Come Celebrate Our 10th years Anniversary With Us!

FAMI-QS will celebrate its 10 Years Anniversary with a public event on <u>5th of May 2014</u>. **Invitation and Registration form are available online!** <u>Don't forget to register!</u> FAMI-QS event is also announced in the <u>media</u>.

Launch of "FAMI-QS awareness in Feed Safety" in Europe!

'FAMI-QS: Awareness in Feed Safety' is the official FAMI-QS training for the **Industry** of Specialty Feed Ingredients and their Mixtures. A 2 day session will be organized in Brussels, Belgium on <u>June 3rd & 4th 2014</u> with limited seats! Please click here at <u>FAMI-QS invitation!</u>

Launch of "FAMI-QS awareness in Feed Safety" for South East Asia!

'FAMI-QS: Awareness in Feed Safety' is the official FAMI-QS training for the Industry of Specialty Feed Ingredients and their Mixtures. A 2 day session will be organized in Mumbai, India on December 4th & 5th 2014 with limited places! Please contact Mrs Jasmine Puoti jasmine@fami-qs.org to register!

On Focus

FAMI-QS Approval letter is not a FAMI-QS certificate.

FAMI-QS approval is issued after the receipt of application form by FAMI-QS. FAMI-QS certificate is issued by the Certification Body after the audit. FAMI-QS described the key points to obtain the FAMI-QS approval letter in Newsletter 03 of 2013.

FAMI-QS logo cannot be used on packaging.

FAMI-QS logo use is described in the FAMI-QS Rules for Operators section 15 and Rules for Certification Bodies section 4.3.1. FAMI-QS reminded the obligations of certified companies to follow the correct use of FAMI-QS logo in Newsletter 03 of 2013. A certification instruction will be issued soon. Stay tuned!

FAMI-QS Notifications 2014

Summary of withdrawn certificates

2014		
2014-01-07	FAM-0093	Fano Group Limited - CHINA
2014-01-10	FAM-0252	Nutri Service - FRANCE



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2014-01-10	FAM-0624	KEA Bvba - BELGIUM
2014-01-20	FAM-0041	Caldic Link Silica (Shandong) Co., Ltd CHINA
2014-01-20	FAM-0574	Shandong Hongfang Fine Chemical Co., Ltd CHINA
2014-01-20	FAM-0643	Hebei Donghua Jiheng Fine Chemical Co., Ltd - CHINA
2014-01-20	FAM-0758	Shandong Lukang Biomanufacturing Co., Ltd CHINA
2014-03-12	FAM-0352	Veto Pharma - FRANCE
2014-03-12	FAM-0767	Qufu Shengren Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd CHINA
2014-03-13	FAM-0330	Star Lake Bioscience Co., Inc. Zhaoqing Guangdong - CHINA
2014-03-14	FAM-0335	Synergie Prod - FRANCE
2014-03-25	FAM-0363	Western Drugs Ltd INDIA

N.B. Please always check our website for the valid certified FAMI-QS companies!

EUROPEAN COMMISSION CORNER

Here is the link to the latest version of the Community Register of Feed Additives pursuant to Reg. (EC) 1831/2003 and released on 2014-03-10 (Appendixes 3 and 4, Annex: List of additives - Rev. 183)

Community Register of Feed Additives [Rev. 183]

<u>Important information</u> --- Due to the increasing number of pages, the Annex II is now in a separate file on page as indicated:

http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/animalnutrition/feedadditives/registeradditives en.htm Annex 2 available on:

http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/animalnutrition/feedadditives/Register%201831-03%20Annex%20II.pdf

Feed additives

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 107/2014 of 5 February 2014 on the withdrawal from the market of the feed additives cobaltous chloride hexahydrate, cobaltous nitrate hexahydrate and cobaltous sulphate monohydrate and amending Regulation (EC) No 1334/2003 (OJ L 36, 2014-02-06)

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 121/2014 of 7 February 2014 concerning the authorisation of L-selenomethionine as a feed additive for all animal species (OJ L 39, 2014-02-08)

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 131/2014 of 11 February 2014 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 601/2013 concerning the authorisation of cobalt(II) acetate tetrahydrate, cobalt(II) carbonate, cobalt(II) carbonate hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate, cobalt(II) sulphate heptahydrate and coated granulated cobalt(II) carbonate hydroxide (2:3) monohydrate as feed additives (OJ L 41, 2014-02-12)

European Commission regulation EU n°5/2014

<u>Commission regulation (EU) No 5/2014</u> of 6 January 2014 amending Directive 2008/38/EC establishing a list of intended uses of animal feedingstuffs for particular nutritional purposes.

Other European news

DG SANCO --- video clip, please click here.



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FVO --- FVO reports made available <u>here.</u>

<u>Ireland 2013-6859:</u> Final report of an audit carried out in Ireland from 07 to 11 October 2013 in order to evaluate the systems put in place to give effect to the provision of Art. 8(3) of regulation 882/2004 of the European Parliament and of the council.

RASFF --- RASFF alerts made available here.

European Feed Materials Register --- We are glad to inform you that the European Feed Materials Register since recently refers to the <u>FEFANA Classification Tool</u>. Applicants are invited to check carefully the feed materials status of their products before notifying them to the present register.

Other International news

USA - FDA Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) --- Important Dates

FDA has extended the comment period on several proposed rules. See the summary of dates below.

Proposed Rule or Notice	Comments Due By
Foreign Supplier Verification Programs (FSVPs)	January 27, 2014
Accreditation of Third-Party Auditors/Certification Bodies	January 27, 2014
Notice to Determine Scope for the Environmental Impact Statement on the Proposed Produce Safety Rule	March 15, 2014
Focused Mitigation Strategies to Protect Food Against Intentional Adulteration	March 31, 2014
Preventive Controls for Animal Food	March 31, 2014
Sanitary Transportation of Human and Animal Food	May 31, 2014

About FAMI-QS

FAMI-QS Asbl is the management and coordination center for the FAMI-QS code of practice. It is the only certifiable code specifically aimed at Specialty Feed Ingredients and Their Mixtures (feed additives, functional feed ingredients, premixtures, specialty complementary feed, specialty complementary dietetic feed) for animal nutrition. The code addresses safety, quality and regulatory compliance in order to minimize the risk that unsafe specialty feed ingredients enter the food and feed chain. It offers independent certification for all operators placing these products on the market. Based on partnership with international certification bodies and third countries institutional partners, it includes more than 800 certified sites spread across more than 52 countries. The current FAMI-QS President is Dr. Dieter Greissinger of *Evonik Industries AG*.

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