<u>Salmovac 440 Product defect recall</u> alert

News story

Product defect recall alert for Salmovac 440 (Vm 15052/4160) by Ceva Animal Health Ltd.



We wish to make veterinary surgeons aware that Ceva Animal Health Ltd has initiated a Class II recall to veterinary level for the product Salmovac 440.

Following testing Ceva Animal Health Ltd have confirmed that Batch No. 3000520B with an Expiry date of 11 December 2021 has live bacterial count values (potency) below the authorised specification and there is potential for a lack of efficacy.

Ceva Animal Health Ltd is contacting veterinary surgeons to examine inventory immediately and quarantine products subject to this recall.

For further information regarding the recall please contact Ms Helen Houghton, Poultry Business Unit Manager Tel: 01494 781510.

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Reminder: CAP Conversion Conditions

News story

Marketing Authorisation holders who converted centralised products into GB MAs from 1 January 2021 are reminded to complete the actions necessary to retain continued authorisation.



By 30th June 2021

Submit the following minimal information for each product:

- A completed memorandum document using the template provided within the <u>application and authorisation explainer</u> on our information hub.
- For pharmaceutical products only; finished product specification and active substance specification
- Flowchart of the final manufacturing process

By 1st January 2023

- Submit full baseline dossier. A copy of the full data dossier for each product which is current at the time you send it. This must include the open part of the Active Substance Master File (ASMF). There is no need to remove any EU references.
- MAHs must ensure the ASMF holders send the latest version of the restricted part of the ASMF to VMD via our <u>Veterinary Medicines Digital</u> <u>Service</u> (VMDS). ASMF holders must clearly identify which GB MA number and product name the ASMF relates to.
- Submit a variation application to update your packaging, to include your new Vm number and any other related changes. See <u>application and</u> <u>authorisation explainer</u>.

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Dagenham man found guilty of fraud and

providing unqualified immigration advice

Press release

Sentencing to take place on 29 July



A 62-year-old man has been found guilty at Snaresbrook Crown Court of fraud and providing unqualified immigration advice, contrary to section 1 of the Fraud Act 2006 and section 91 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 respectively.

Winston Leachman of Farmway, Dagenham, Essex, gave immigration advice concerning a leave to remain application when not qualified to do so. He charged £800 which he failed to refund when the application was refused.

Mr Leachman will be sentenced at a hearing at Snaresbrook Crown Court on 29 July.

Notes to Editors

The OISC is an independent public body, established under the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999, to regulate the provision of immigration advice and services in the UK.

Media queries to Cornelius Alexander, Corporate Communications Business Partner at the OISC via communications@oisc.gov.uk.

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Natural England says nature recovery must be central to offshore wind plans

Press release

Natural England publishes new approach to offshore wind development.



A offshore wind farm near the Suffolk coast.

Natural England has called for new offshore wind farms to leave nature in a better state than before and avoid any irreparable damage to the environment, in a new document published today (16th June) setting out its Approach to Offshore Wind.

The approach sets out how offshore wind energy can play a vital role in nature recovery as well as tackling climate change. Natural England will seek to ensure new projects 'build in' plans to enhance nature and protect the natural environment from the pressures presented by each new offshore wind development. The approach will be used with partners, stakeholders, government and other marine users to ensure that a thriving marine and coastal environment is a cornerstone of future developments.

Offshore wind expansion is a cornerstone of the UK's Net Zero targets and represents a central aim of the Government plans to produce 40GW of energy from offshore wind by 2030. To meet this target, it's estimated the UK will need to install the equivalent of one turbine at sea every weekday for the rest of the decade.

As the sector plans for this massive growth it is timely for Natural England to review its approach. Natural England are the statutory advisor for nature conservation and landscape for development planning cases, and have many years of experience advising the offshore wind sector on nature conservation.

Marian Spain, Chief Executive of Natural England, said:

Offshore wind energy provides much needed clean energy to millions

of homes and businesses. Natural England is committed to playing its part in enabling it to happen but we are also committed to making sure that nature is not forgotten.

Plans for further expansion over the next decade must allow our marine environment to recover and thrive. Our evidence-based approach is the start of a conversation with government, developers and other marine users on how we will all work together to achieve this.

As the UK sets out to increase its offshore wind output, marine planning must be at the heart of future developments. This will balance the needs of the marine environment, other marine users and net zero targets in order to tackle climate change and address the decline of biodiversity.

To achieve this, <u>the approach</u> outlines a series of objectives and actions that Natural England will focus on in partnership with others, including Defra's Offshore Wind Enabling Actions Programme:

- Setting an aim for each development to leave nature in a better state with infrastructure designed to enhance biodiversity.
- Measures to compensate for environmental harm should be introduced in advance of any impact on wildlife and the environment — and be strategic, to scale, and evidence-based.
- Strategic monitoring to inform stronger, evidence-based impact assessments of offshore wind developments and promoting the use of environmentally sensitive design, construction and operation of offshore wind developments to mitigate predicted impacts.
- Development of an easy-to-use environmental sensitivities map so that planners and developers can ensure offshore wind farms and cables avoid irreparable damage to the environment.

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Countdown for returning students to

reapply for student finance in England

Press release

SLC is urging returning full-time undergraduate students in England to submit their student finance applications by the deadline on 25 June.



SLC is urging returning full-time undergraduate students in England to submit their student finance applications by the deadline on 25 June.

Students must apply for student finance for each year of study and should do so before the deadline to ensure their finances are in place at the start of the new academic year. To apply, students simply sign into their online account to confirm their details on the online application and submit their application.

Chris Larmer, SLC Executive Director, Operations, said:

As expected, we have seen a very strong demand for our full-time undergraduate service this year with application levels reaching record highs. Our advice to returning students is to apply now so they can be confident that they will have their student finance in place when their studies continue in the Autumn.

The deadline for new full-time undergraduate students in England to apply for their student finance was in May. Applicants who missed the deadline should apply online now and if they are eligible, they will receive a basic funding package when their studies begin. A top up payment will be made as soon as their full application is processed.

To support all students with their applications, SLC has made information available to help answer some of the most common questions about applying for student finance. Students can also keep themselves up-to-date on the latest information by following Student Finance England on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

Returning students should apply online at

https://studentfinance.campaign.gov.uk/ and remember:

- Applications can take six to eight weeks to process. Students do not need to contact SLC during this time to check on the status of their application. They will be contacted if any additional information is needed.
- Once a student has applied their application will be processed and they will be notified of their funding entitlement. They will be contacted again closer to term start to let them know that their payment is on track
- Students can also check their application's progress in their online account and view a 'to do list' of any action they need to take.
- Parents and partners (sponsors) who are supporting a student's applications are also reminded to provide their financial information as soon they're asked. Sponsors will receive an email once the student has submitted their part of the application to let them know when and how to provide their financial information, sponsors can also access this information on a dedicated page at

https://www.gov.uk/support-child-or-partners-student-finance-application

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