



**Advisory group on the food chain  
and animal and plant health**

**Preparation for the UK withdrawal**

# **Genetically Modified Organisms**

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# Applicable EU legislation

- Reg. 1829/2003 on GM food & feed
- Dir. 2001/18/EC on the deliberate release of GMOs into the environment
- Reg. 1946/2003 on transboundary movements of GMOs
- Dir. 2009/41/EC on contained use of GMMs
- Reg. 1830/2003 on traceability and labelling of GMOs



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# Implications for stakeholders (1)

## Establishment in the EU

### Submission of applications to EU MS

Regulation  
1829/2003

- **Authorisation holders** or their representatives must be established in the EU.
- No new application to the UK authorities.

Directive  
2001/18/EC

- The **person responsible** for the placing on the market of the GMO **designated** by the applicants must be established in the EU/EEA.
- No new application to the UK authorities.

# Implications for stakeholders (2)

## Exports/imports

Regulation 1946/2003	<b>EU exporters</b> will have to comply with the rules of the Regulation for their <b>exports to the UK</b> .
Regulation 1829/2003	EU <b>GM food and feed rules</b> apply to <b>all food placed on the EU market</b> independently of the place of production of the food.
Regulations 1829/2003 and 1830/2003	EU <b>GM labelling rules</b> apply to <b>all food placed on the EU market</b> independently of the place of production of the food.
Directive 2009/41/EC	<b>No implications</b> as notifications/approvals are granted for specific premises at national level.