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Decision Cover Letter

Decision of the licensing authority to:

grant a product specific waiver

MHRA-100136-PIP01-21

Scope of the Application

Active Substance(s)

PEMBROLIZUMAB; quavonlimab

Condition(s)

All conditions of malignant neoplasms (except haematopoietic, lymphoid tissue and melanoma).

Pharmaceutical Form(s)

Concentrate for solution for infusion

Route(s) of Administration

Intravenous use

Name / Corporate name of the PIP applicant

Merck Sharp & Dohme (UK) Ltd

Basis for the Decision

Pursuant to the Human Medicines Regulations 2012, Merck Sharp & Dohme (UK) Ltd submitted to the licensing authority on 27/05/2021 15:48 BST an application for a Waiver

The procedure started on 22/04/2022 07:45 BST

1. The licensing authority, having assessed the application in accordance with the Human Medicines Regulations 2012, decides, as set out in the appended summary report:

to grant a product specific waiver

2. The measures and timelines of the paediatric investigation plan are set out in the Annex I.

This decision is forwarded to the applicant, together with its annex and appendix.

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Final Decision Letter

MHRA-100136-PIP01-21

Of 07/07/2022 08:25 BST

On the adopted decision for PEMBROLIZUMAB; quavonlimab (MHRA-100136-PIP01-21) in accordance with the Human Medicines Regulations 2012.

The licensing authority, in accordance with the Human Medicines Regulations 2012, has adopted this decision:

Granting a waiver in all age groups for the listed condition(s)

This decision applies to a Waiver for PEMBROLIZUMAB; quavonlimab, Concentrate for solution for infusion , Intravenous use .

This decision is addressed to Merck Sharp & Dohme (UK) Ltd, 120 Moorgate, London, United Kingdom, EC2M 6UR

ANNEX I

1. Waiver

1.1 Condition:

Treatment of all conditions included in the category of malignant neoplasms (except hematopoietic and lymphoid tissue neoplasms and melanoma). The waiver applies / applied to: Paediatric Subset(s): All subsets of the paediatric population from birth to less than 18 years of age Pharmaceutical form(s): Concentrate for solution for infusion Route(s) of administration: Intravenous use Reason for granting waiver: on the grounds that the specific medicinal product does not represent a significant therapeutic benefit over existing treatments.

2. Paediatric Investigation Plan:

2.1 Condition(s):

Not Applicable

2.2 Indication(s) targeted by the PIP:

Not Applicable

2.3 Subset(s) of the paediatric population concerned by the paediatric development:

Not Applicable

2.4 Pharmaceutical Form(s):

Not Applicable

2.5 Studies:

Study Type	Number of Studies	Study Description
Quality Measures		
Non-Clinical Studies		
Clinical Studies		
Extrapolation, Modeling & Simulation Studies		
Other Studies		
Other Measures		

3. Follow-up, completion and deferral of a PIP:

Concerns on potential long term safety and efficacy issues in relation to paediatric use:	
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	
Deferral of one or more studies contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	