



DP 1

A National Focal Point in Thailand receives a request from a local non-government organization to provide information on what transgenic potato varieties are currently being cultivated in the United States. How can she use the BCH to assist the caller?



DP 2

The Competent National Authority in Brazil receives a request for a list of all companies in neighbouring Paraguay that use cornstarch derived from transgenic maize in their processed food products. What relevant information can the BCH provide?



DP 3

The BCH Focal Point for Cameroon is called with a request for the contact details of laboratories that do eco-toxicity studies for LMOs. What assistance can they provide through the BCH?



DP 4

The Competent National Authority of Slovenia receives a request from its customs office indicating that a shipment of cloned pigs has arrived from Belgium. The customs officer wants to know if they can accept the shipment under the requirements of the Biosafety Protocol.



DP 5

A German biotechnology corporation plans to ship genetically modified bacteria to a colleague in India for use in a certified laboratory. The company wants to obtain from the BCH a copy of a previous Advanced Informed Agreement (AIA) assessment that was applied to such a shipment.



DP 6

A Swiss pharmaceutical company wants to ship a genetically modified live vaccine for hepatitis B to its sister company in Ethiopia. A representative from the Ethiopian company asks its BCH Focal Point if the shipment can be accepted or if further procedures apply.



DP 7

A French company is shipping, by rail, LMOs to Belarus intended for direct release into the environment. The train will pass through Poland en route to Belarus. The Polish government wants to apply the AIA procedure for assessment purposes.



DP 8

A researcher in Malta advises their Competent National Authority that a genetically modified vaccine for pigs they have been testing at in field trials may have infected some birds that have flown to Italy. What should the Competent National Authority do?