

Subject: FW: Exterm-An-Ant MPI Dairy Maintenance Compound Approval

Maintenance Compound: Tasmex Ant Labs Limited, MC0001578

I refer to your renewal application dated 16 April 2026.

Your application has been renewed under Regulation 247 of the Animal Products Regulations 2021 and Regulation 43 of the Raw Milk for Sale Consumers Regulations 2015, and satisfies the requirements of Regulations 12, 13, 14, 53 of the Animal Products Regulations 2021. This approval has been effective since 18 May 2021.

This approval expires on 18 May 2031. Renewal before the end of this period is your responsibility. MPI will aim to send you a reminder email to renew your registration. Please ensure you notify MPI if your email and/or postal address changes. If you do not renew your approval, continued operation may be in breach of the Animal Products Act 1999.

Approval MPI ID number

Your unique approval MPI ID number is MC0001578.

Please always use the MPI ID number above in all your communications with MPI about this approval.

Scope and Condition(s)

Scope	
Product Name	Exterm-An-Ant
Product Material	Dairy maintenance compound
Intended Use	Farm dairies and dairy processors

Approval is subject to the following conditions.

Conditions	
DC10 Pesticide (excludes rodenticides) not for use when processing	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. This must be used in accordance with label instructions as a pesticide.2. This must be used in a way that ensures milk, food and food contact packaging are not contaminated.3. Before use, all milk, food and food contact packaging must be removed, isolated or covered (and protected from odours).4. The processing area must be out of service during use.5. After use, milk and food contact surfaces must be cleaned and thoroughly rinsed with suitable water prior the next milking or before production starts.6. For manufacturing areas, this must be used in accordance with a pest control programme that has been documented to relevant MPI legislation.

Public Register

The approval can be viewed on the MPI public register: <https://www.mpi.govt.nz/food-business/food-safety-registers-lists/register-of-approved-maintenance-compounds>.

The register is also open for public inspection at the Ministry for Primary Industries head office, or you can write to MPI Approvals to request a copy.

You must notify MPI in writing of any change to your approval.

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Regards

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