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General information

The APVMA Gazette is published fortnightly and contains details of the registration of agricultural and veterinary chemicals products and other approvals granted by the APVMA, notices as required by the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code (the Agvet Code) and related legislation and a range of regulatory material issued by the APVMA.

Pursuant to section 8J(1) of the Agvet Code, the APVMA has decided that it is unnecessary to publish details of applications made for the purpose of notifying minor variations to registration details. The APVMA will however report notifications activity in quarterly statistical reports.

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Agvet chemical voluntary recall: Semintra 4 mg/mL Oral Solution for Cats

**Product name:** Semintra 4 mg/mL Oral Solution for Cats

**APVMA registration number:** 68908

**APVMA approved label number:** 107416

**Batch number:** F54620

**Sold by:** Sold by Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health Australia nationally between 10 December 2023 and 17 January 2024.

On 23 January 2024, Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health Australia Pty Ltd (ABN 53 071 187 285) initiated a voluntary recall under section 106 of the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code scheduled to the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994* (Cth) in relation to the chemical product described above.

Reason for voluntary recall

The voluntary recall for the product has been initiated due to an out-of-specification result during the shelf-life period. The recall is limited to the batch number F54620.

Hazard

There is low hazard associated with this recall. The out-of-specification may impact product efficacy.

What to do if in possession of this chemical product

Veterinary clinics will be contacted to return their remaining inventory of the affected batch to their veterinary wholesaler.

Veterinary wholesalers have ceased distribution of the affected batch and will return their inventory to Boehringer along with product returned from veterinary clinics.

More information

Visit the APVMA website to [view the notice of voluntary recall](https://www.apvma.gov.au/regulation/recalls/agvet-chemical-recalls/semintra-4-mg-mL-oral-solution-for-cats) for the chemical product described above.

The APVMA publishes a list of [agvet chemical recall notices](https://apvma.gov.au/node/27171) on its website and provides a [subscription option](https://apvma.us2.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=f09f7f9ed2a2867a19b99e2e4&id=a025640240) to be notified by email when a new recall notice is published.

Contact

Questions about this voluntary recall should be directed to:

Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health Customer Service Team

**Phone:** 1800 808 691 (option 3 for recall questions; option 2 for animal welfare questions)  
**Email:** [customercare.australia@boehringer-ingelheim.com](mailto:customercare.australia@boehringer-ingelheim.com)

Agvet chemical voluntary recall: CaniPRBC – Canine Packed Red Blood Cells

**Product name:** CaniPRBC – Canine Packed Red Blood Cells

**APVMA registration number:** 81359

**APVMA approved label number:** 102893

**Batch number:** USA 13426 PRBC

**Sold by:** Sold by Plasvacc in Queensland on 8 January 2024.

On 23 January 2024, Plasvacc Pty Ltd (ABN: 099 547 841) initiated a voluntary recall under section 106 of the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code scheduled to the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994* (Cth) in relation to the chemical product described above.

Reason for voluntary recall

This product recall has been initiated as a precaution due to possible bacterial contamination of the product.

Hazard

Potential to cause bacterial infection of the recipient.

What to do if in possession of this chemical product

No action required as all the product from the affected batch has been located and destroyed.

More information

Visit the APVMA website to [view the notice of voluntary recall](https://www.apvma.gov.au/regulation/recalls/agvet-chemical-recalls/caniprbc-canine-packed-red-blood-cells) for the chemical product described above.

The APVMA publishes a list of [agvet chemical recall notices](https://apvma.gov.au/node/27171) on its website and provides a [subscription option](https://apvma.us2.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=f09f7f9ed2a2867a19b99e2e4&id=a025640240) to be notified by email when a new recall notice is published.

Contact

Questions about this voluntary recall should be directed to:

Plasvacc Pty Ltd

**Phone:** (07) 54 637 600  
**Email:** [AUS.Office@plasvacc.com](mailto:AUS.Office@plasvacc.com)