EFSA launches public consultation
followed by EFSA commenting
Standing Committee on Plants,
Animals, Food and Feed opinion

EFSA launches MS consultation

Potential applicant requests
general pre-submission advice
(optional)

Potential applicant notifies studies
commissioned or carried out as of
27 March 2021

Applicant submits
IUCLID dossier

EC performs validity check,
confirms acceptance and registers
in EU Pesticides Database

EFSA publishes non-confidential
IUCLID dossier

EFSA organises complete or focused
peer review, and delivers conclusion
on certain specific open points, if requested
by EC (optional)

EC prepares Review Report and
draft Regulation

MS or any other interested
party have possibility to
propose additional uses

Legend:

- Applicant
- European Commission (EC)
- Member State (MS)
- EFSA

Pre-submission phase

Submission and validation phase

Consultation and assessment phase

Post-approval and
decision-making phase

General overview of application procedure of basic substances

The criteria for approval of basic substances is laid down in Article 23 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009. Further guidance of the procedure is given in the Commission Working document SANCO/10363/2012 rev. 10.