The application procedure for renewal of approval of pesticide active substances is set down in Regulations (EC) No 1107/2009 and Commission Implementing Regulation EU 2020/1740. Data requirements for active substances are set in Regulation EU 283/2013 and for plant protection products in Regulation EU 284/2013. Further instructions are provided in EFSA administrative guidance and other EFSA scientific Guidance documents and EC guidelines.

Legend:
- Applicant
- European Commission (EC)
- Rapporteur Member State (RMS)
- EFSA

Potential applicant requests general pre-submission advice (optional)

Potential applicant notifies list of intended studies and receives renewal pre-submission advice

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

Applicant submits IUCLID dossier

RMS performs admissibility check and verifies notified studies

EFSA publishes non-confidential IUCLID dossier and launches public consultation

RMS drafts Renewal Assessment Report (RAR)

EFSA examines RAR and launches public consultation

EFSA performs peer review in consultation with MS experts**

EFSA drafts and finalises conclusion taking into account comments received and outcome of expert meetings

RMS submits CLH proposal to ECHA*

RAC opinion on CLH proposal

EFSA publishes final conclusion

EC prepares draft Review Report and Regulation

Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed opinion

* To comply with the Regulation (EU) No 2020/1740, at the latest at the time of submission of the RAR, the RMS shall submit a proposal to ECHA to obtain an opinion on a harmonised classification of the active substance at least for the hazard classes defined in Article 11(9) of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/1740, or to confirm the existing classification, where applicable, or for re-classification of the active substance in accordance with the criteria of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008. This is to facilitate that the ECHA Risk Assessment Committee (RAC) Opinion could be available in time for consideration in the EFSA peer review.

** EFSA organises a consultation of experts, including experts from the RMS, co-RMS and other MSs.