The application procedure for nutrient sources added to food is set down in Regulation EC 1925/2006. The use of these substances is regulated by Directive 2002/46/EC. The currently applicable administrative and scientific guidance documents for nutrient sources are the European Commission guidance on submissions for the safety evaluation of substances added for specific nutritional purposes in the manufacture of food (2006) and the guidance on submission for safety evaluation of sources of nutrients adopted by the Scientific Committee on Food in 2001. Applications should be submitted to the European Commission which then mandates EFSA with the scientific evaluation.

* EFSA aims at providing its 1st feedback on Completeness check within 30 working days after reception of the application (Mandate + Dossier)