

BISMUTH SUBSALICYLATE

Motion: Bismuth Subsalicylate should be added to 205.603 allowed for use in organic livestock production (a) As disinfectants, sanitizer and medical treatments as applicable.

Vote tallies

Yea	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Michael, , Dave, Jim , Nancy, Becky			George

- All three reviewers and all committee members agree that it is SYNTHETIC

Background:

- Bismuth Subsalicylate a.k.a. Pepto-Bismol is used as an alternative to antibiotics to treat diarrhea particularly for calf scours.
- Functions by controlling fluids in the intestines and by binding to bacterial toxins.

Summary of Opinion:

- Manufacture and use pose no serious issues and are within the spirit of organics.

