

International Cellulosics Association (ICA)



Your Partner in Advancing the Global Cellulose Industry

Who We Are

The **International Cellulosics Association (ICA)** is a global trade association representing key stakeholders in the cellulose and cellulose derivatives value chain. Our members—manufacturers, users, and distributors—rely on ICA to advocate for a strong, sustainable, and innovative industry.

As the leading industry voice, ICA ensures that cellulose and its derivatives remain **safe, sustainable, and competitive** across sectors such as *food and feed, pharmaceuticals, personal care, and industrial applications*.

Contact Us

Interested in joining our association? We'd love to hear from you! Contact the Secretariat to explore how ICA can support your business, gain insights into our initiatives, and schedule a meeting with our team.

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📅 **Schedule a Meeting:** [Contact Form](#)

Join us in driving the future of cellulose-based innovation!

Exclusive Benefits for ICA Members



Regulatory & Market Intelligence

Stay up to date with expert insights on regulations and trends.



Scientific Knowledge & Innovation

Access cutting-edge research and technical expertise on cellulose.



Advocacy & Representation

Make your voice heard in regulatory and policy discussions.



Shape the regulatory landscape

Engaging with policymakers worldwide to foster innovation



Promote safety and compliance

Support science-based regulations for cellulose use



Education & Awareness

Join webinars and initiatives to stay ahead of developments.



Inform & Connect

Share insights, benefits, and sustainability impact of cellulose materials



Networking & Collaboration

Connect with key stakeholders and drive industry progress.

Case Study: Securing Regulatory Approval for Cellulose-Based Feed Additives

Challenge

The continued authorisation of cellulose-based feed additives required re-evaluation by the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) to ensure compliance with evolving safety and regulatory standards. Industry stakeholders needed a unified, science-backed submission to support the process.

ICA's Role

ICA led the submission process on behalf of its members, providing EFSA with comprehensive scientific data for the re-evaluation of key cellulose derivatives used as technological feed additives. ICA's expertise and coordination ensured a robust, evidence-based application.

Outcome

Thanks to ICA's efforts, the European Commission adopted Implementing Regulation EU 2025/157, confirming the continued authorisation of these additives. As sole submitters, ICA members reinforced their role as regulatory leaders and remain committed to ensuring future access to cellulose-based feed additives.