

Council Directive 2002/53/EC of 13 June 2002 on the  
common catalogue of varieties of agricultural plant species

*Article 14*

- 1 Member States shall ensure that acceptance of a variety is revoked:
  - a if it is proved, on examination, that the variety is no longer distinct, stable or sufficiently uniform;
  - b if the person or persons responsible for the variety so request, unless there is maintenance of the variety.
- 2 Member States may revoke the acceptance of a variety:
  - a if the laws, regulations and administrative provisions adopted in pursuance of this Directive are not complied with;
  - b if, at the time of the application for acceptance or during examination, false or fraudulent particulars were supplied concerning the factors on the basis of which acceptance was granted.