



# Plant Varieties Act 1997

## 1997 CHAPTER 66

### PART III

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

##### *General*

#### **54 Short title and commencement.**

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Plant Varieties Act 1997.
- (2) This section and sections 49 and 53 above shall come into force on the day on which this Act is passed.
- (3) The remaining provisions of this Act shall come into force on such day as the Ministers may by order made by statutory instrument appoint; and different days may be so appointed for different purposes.
- (4) An order under subsection (3) above may contain such transitional provisions and savings as appear to the Ministers to be expedient.

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#### **Subordinate Legislation Made**

**P1** S. 54(3) power fully exercised (8.4.1998): 8.5.1998 appointed day by [S.I. 1998/1028, art. 2](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Plant Varieties Act 1997, Section 54.