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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**PESTICIDES**

**Plant Protection Products (Amendment No  
2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008**

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The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development is a Department designated for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972<sup>(1)</sup> as read with paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 to that Act, in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Community<sup>(2)</sup>, and to measures in the veterinary and phytosanitary fields for the protection of public health<sup>(3)</sup>.

These Regulations make provision for a purpose mentioned in that section and it appears to the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development that it is expedient for the reference to Council Directive [91/414/EEC](#) concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market<sup>(4)</sup>, to be construed as a reference to that Directive as amended from time to time.

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by that section.

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(1) [1972 c.68](#)

(2) [S.I. 2000/2812](#)

(3) [S.I. 1999/2027](#)

(4) [OJ L 230, 19.8.1991, p. 1.](#)