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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**SEEDS**

**The Beet Seeds Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2009 (revoked)<sup>F1</sup>**

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**THE BEET SEEDS REGULATIONS  
(NORTHERN IRELAND) 2009 (REVOKED)**

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4. Third country officially certified pre-basic seed of a listed variety
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11. EC officially certified basic seed of a listed variety
12. Third country officially certified basic seed of a listed variety
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14. UK officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed variety
15. EC officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed variety
16. UK officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
17. EC officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
18. Third country officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
19. Overseas tested officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
20. UK officially certified early movement basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
21. EC officially certified early movement basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety

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  6. Basic seed of a listed variety
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  8. Third country officially certified basic seed of a listed variety....
  9. Overseas tested officially certified basic seed of a listed variety....
  10. CS seed of a listed variety
  11. EC officially certified CS seed of a listed variety.
  12. Third country officially certified CS seed of a listed variety....
  13. Overseas tested officially certified CS seed of a listed variety....
  14. Early movement pre-basic seed of a listed variety
  15. EC officially certified early movement pre-basic seed of a listed...
  16. Early movement basic seed of a listed variety
  17. EC officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed...
  18. Early movement CS seed of a listed variety
  19. EC officially certified early movement CS seed of a listed...
  20. Basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
  21. EC officially certified basic seed of a component of a...
  22. Third country officially certified basic seed of a component of...
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Explanatory Note

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