
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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The Marketing of Seed Potatoes, Plant and Propagating Material Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020

The Seed Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

- 4.—(1) The Seed Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016⁽¹⁾ are amended as follows.
- (2) In regulation 2(1)—
- (a) after the definition of “[Directive 2014/20/EU](#)” insert—
- “[Directive 2014/21/EU](#)” means Commission Implementing [Directive 2014/21/EU](#) determining minimum conditions and Union Grades for pre-basic seed potatoes as last amended by [Commission Implementing Directive \(EU\) 2020/177](#) and any reference to the Annex to [Directive 2014/21/EU](#) is a reference to that Annex as amended from time to time;”⁽²⁾;
- (b) in the definition of “Union grade”, in paragraph (b), after the word “Annex” insert “, as amended from time to time,”.
- (3) In Schedule 1—
- (a) in paragraph 3(c), for paragraphs (vii) and (viii) substitute—
- “(vii) Colorado Beetle;
- (viii) Dickeya;
- (ix) *Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum* (Liefiting et al.); and
- (x) *Candidatus Phytoplasma solani* (Quaglino et al.);”.
- (b) in paragraph 7, omit the words “prevalent in Europe”;
- (c) in paragraph 8(b), omit the words “prevalent in Europe”.
- (4) In Schedule 3, in each table, under the heading “(a) Group 1”, after the entry “Dickeya” insert—

“(ix) *Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum* nil
(Liefiting et al.)

“(x) *Candidatus Phytoplasma solani* (Quaglino et al.) nil”

(1) [S.R. 2016 No. 190](#), amended prospectively on IP completion day by [S.I. 2019/962](#); there are other amendments but none is relevant.

(2) O.J. No. L 038, 7.2.2014, p. 39, as last amended by [Directive \(EU\) 2020/177](#) (O.J. No. L 41, 13.2.2020, p. 1).