
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1982 No. 897

SEEDS

The Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1982

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	1st July 1982
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		9th July 1982
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		1st August 1982

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Secretary of State for Wales, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 16(1), (1A)(e), (5)(a) and (8) of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964(a) and now vested in them (b), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, after consultation with representatives of such interests as appear to them to be concerned, hereby make the following regulations:—

Title and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1982 and shall come into operation on 1st August 1982.

Amendment of principal regulations

2. The Seeds (Fees) Regulations 1980(c) are hereby amended by substituting for Schedules 1 to 6 thereto Schedules 1 to 6 to these regulations.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 25th June 1982.

(L.S.)

Peter Walker,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries
and Food.

(a) 1964 c.14; section 16 was amended by the European Communities Act 1972 (c.68), section 4(1) and paragraph 5(1), (2) and (3) of Schedule 4.
(b) By the Transfer of Functions (Wales) (No. 1) Order 1978 (S.I. 1978/272).
(c) S.I. 1980/901, amended by S.I. 1981/939.

George Younger,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

30th June 1982.

Wyn Roberts,
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Wales.

1st July 1982.

SCHEDULE 1

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE CEREAL SEEDS REGULATIONS 1980(a)

MATTER		FEE	
		£	£(b)
A. Initial fees			
Initial fee per half-hectare or part thereof, payable on application for crops entered to produce:—			
(i) pre-basic or basic seed		7.90	(7.50)
(ii) certified seed of the first generation of wheat, barley and oats and certified seed of rye and maize		2.10	(2.00)
(iii) certified seed of the second generation of wheat, barley and oats		1.65	(1.55)
B. Crop inspection fees			
Fee on application for inspection or re-inspection of a crop entered to produce A(i), (ii) or (iii) above, per half-hectare or part thereof inspected		2.90	(2.75)
C. Seed lot fees			
Fee payable (excluding sampling and testing of seed) per application for each seed lot entered as:—			
(i) breeder's seed		10.50	(10.00)
(ii) pre-basic and basic seed		31.50	(30.00)
(iii) certified seed of the first generation of wheat, barley and oats and certified seed of rye and maize		24.70	(23.50)
(iv) certified seed of the second generation of wheat, barley and oats		12.20	(11.60)
D. Sampling fees			
Fee for sampling or re-sampling of seed lots entered as at C(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) above and for sampling of lots of imported seed intended to be sown to produce C(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) above, per sample		14.70	(14.00)
E. Additional charges			
(i) Fee for a test of seeds for purity, germination and other seed content to:—			
(a) Minimum standard		23.00	(19.85)
(b) Higher Voluntary Standard		28.80	(24.85)
(ii) Fee for a special test of seeds to verify varietal identity		70.70	(61.00)
(iii) Fee for embryo test for loose smut, per thousand embryos tested		16.00	(13.90)
(iv) Fee for tear-resistant labels other than for mixtures per thousand		8.40	(8.00)
(v) Fee for official mixture labels, per thousand:—			
(a) adhesive labels		11.00	(10.45)
(b) card labels		18.00	(17.00)
(c) tear resistant labels		26.25	(25.00)

(a) S.I. 1980/900, amended by S.I. 1981/938.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 2

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE FODDER PLANT SEEDS REGULATIONS 1980(a)

MATTER		FEE	
		£	£(b)
A. Initial fees			
Initial fee per half-hectare or part thereof, payable on application for crops entered to produce:—			
(i) pre-basic or basic seed of cruciferous varieties		4.00	(3.40)
(ii) pre-basic or basic seed of herbage varieties		3.55	(3.40)
(iii) pre-basic or basic seed of field peas and field beans		5.30	(5.00)
(iv) certified seed of herbage varieties		1.50	(1.45)
(v) certified seed of cruciferous varieties		3.55	(3.80)
(vi) certified seed of the first, second and third generation of field peas and field beans		2.20	(2.10)
B. Crop inspection fees			
Fee on application for inspection or re-inspection of a crop entered to produce A(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi) above, per half-hectare or part thereof inspected		2.90	(2.75)
C. Seed lot fees			
Fee payable (excluding sampling and testing of seed) per application for each seed lot entered as:—			
(i) breeder's seed of herbage and cruciferous varieties		10.50	(10.00)
(ii) breeder's seed of field peas and field beans		10.50	(10.00)
(iii) pre-basic and basic seed of herbage and cruciferous varieties		23.90	(22.75)
(iv) pre-basic and basic seed of field peas and field beans		35.70	(34.00)
(v) certified seed of herbage and cruciferous varieties		23.20	(22.10)
(vi) certified seed of the first, second and third generation of field peas and field beans		32.90	(31.25)
(vii) commercial seeds		21.60	(20.50)

(a) S.I. 1980/899.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 2 (*continued*)
MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE FODDER PLANT SEEDS REGULATIONS 1980(a)

MATTER	FEE	
	£	£(b)
D. Sampling fees		
(i) Fee for sampling or re-sampling of seed lots entered as at C(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi) above and for sampling of lots of imported seed intended to be sown to produce C(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi) above, per sample	14.70	(14.00)
(ii) Fee for sampling or re-sampling of commercial seed of herbage, cruciferous and field bean varieties and for sampling of imported seed of herbage, cruciferous and field bean varieties intended to be sown to produce commercial seed, per sample	14.70	(14.00)
E. Additional charges		
(i) Fee for a test of seeds of field beans for <i>Ascochyta fabae</i> :—		
(a) pre-basic or basic seed	90.00	(83.25)
(b) certified seed of the first generation	45.00	(41.65)
(ii) Fee for a test of seeds of lupins of one colour for seeds of another colour	11.70	(10.10)
(iii) Fee for a test of seeds of sweet lupin for bitter seeds	11.70	(10.10)
(iv) Fee for a test of seeds of grasses (except Timothy) for purity, germination and other seed content ...	40.00	(31.10)
		<i>or</i>
		(42.20)
(v) Fee for a test of seeds of Timothy grass for purity, germination and other seed content	30.00	(31.10)
(vi) Fee for a test of seeds of clover for purity, germination and other seed content	28.40	(24.45)
(vii) Fee for a test of seeds of pulses for purity, germination and other seed content	23.00	(18.35)
(viii) Fee for a test of seeds of crucifers for purity, germination and other seed content	32.00	(30.00)
(ix) Fee for a special test of seeds to verify varietal identity	70.70	(61.00)
(x) Fee for examination of documents submitted with applications for imported seeds to be verified as being of Higher Voluntary Standard	4.75	(4.50)
(xi) Fee for tear-resistant labels other than for mixtures per thousand	8.40	(8.00)
(xii) Fee for official mixture labels, per thousand:—		
(a) adhesive labels	11.00	(10.45)
(b) card labels	18.00	(17.00)
(c) tear-resistant labels	26.25	(25.00)

(a) *ibid.*

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 3

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE BEET SEEDS REGULATIONS 1976(a)

MATTER		FEE	
		£	£(b)
A. Initial fees			
Initial fee per half-hectare or part thereof payable on application for crops entered to produce:—			
(i) pre-basic or basic seed		9.50	(9.00)
(ii) certified seed		4.00	(3.75)
B. Crop inspection fees			
Fee on application for inspection or re-inspection of a crop entered to produce A(i) or (ii) above, per half-hectare or part thereof inspected		2.90	(2.75)
C. Seed lot fees			
Fee payable (excluding sampling and testing of seed) per application for each seed lot entered as:—			
(i) pre-basic and basic seed		32.30	(30.70)
(ii) certified seed		30.40	(28.90)
D. Sampling fees			
Fee for sampling or re-sampling of seed lots entered as at C(i) or (ii) above and for sampling of lots of imported seed intended to be sown to produce C(i) or (ii) above, per sample		14.70	(14.00)
E. Additional charges			
(i) Fee for a test of monogerm seed or precision seeds for the number of seedlings germinating from a cluster		17.00	(14.80)
(ii) Fee for a test of seeds for moisture content		2.90	(2.45)
(iii) Fee for a test of seeds for purity, germination and other seed content		26.80	(22.35)
(iv) Fee for a special test of seeds to verify varietal identity		70.70	(61.00)

(a) S.I. 1976/1068, amended by S.I. 1979/1004.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 4

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE OIL AND FIBRE PLANT SEEDS REGULATIONS 1979(a)

MATTER		FEE	
		£	£(b)
A.	Initial fees		
	Initial fee per half-hectare or part thereof payable on application for crops entered to produce:—		
	(i) pre-basic or basic seed	9.50	(9.00)
	(ii) certified seed	4.00	(3.75)
B.	Crop inspection fees		
	Fee on application for inspection or re-inspection of a crop entered to produce A(i) or (ii) above, per half-hectare or part thereof inspected	2.90	(2.75)
C.	Seed lot fees		
	Fee payable (excluding sampling and testing of seed) per application for each seed lot entered as:—		
	(i) pre-basic and basic seed	32.30	(30.70)
	(ii) certified seed	30.40	(28.90)
	(iii) commercial seed	30.40	(28.90)
D.	Sampling fees		
	Fee for sampling or re-sampling of seed lots entered as at C(i), (ii) or (iii) above and for sampling of lots of imported seed intended to be sown to produce C(i), (ii) or (iii) above, per sample	14.70	(14.00)
E.	Additional charges		
	(i) Fee for a test of seeds for purity, germination and other seed content (including a test for sunflower or swede rape for <i>Sclerotinia sclerotiorum</i>)	25.00	(22.55)
	(ii) Fee for a test of seeds of flax, linseed or sunflower for <i>Botrytis</i>	18.00	(16.65)
	(iii) Fee for a test of seeds of flax or linseed for other diseases	18.00	(16.65)
	(iv) Fee for a special test of seeds to verify varietal identity	70.70	(61.00)

(a) S.I. 1979/1005.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 5

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE VEGETABLE SEEDS REGULATIONS 1979(a)

MATTER		FEE	
		£	£(b)
A.	Initial fees		
	Initial fee payable on application for crops entered to produce:—		
	(i) pre-basic and basic seed, other than that of peas, broad beans, cucumber, gherkin and tomato, per half-hectare or part thereof entered	9.50	(9.00)
	(ii) pre-basic and basic seed of peas, broad beans, per half-hectare or part thereof entered	5.30	(5.00)
	(iii) pre-basic and basic seed of cucumber, gherkin and tomato, per crop entered	99.80	(95.00)
	(iv) certified seed, other than that of peas, broad beans, cucumber, gherkin and tomato, per half-hectare or part thereof entered	4.00	(3.75)
	(v) certified seed of peas, broad beans, per half-hectare or part thereof entered	2.20	(2.10)
	(vi) certified seed of cucumber, gherkin and tomato, per crop entered	99.80	(95.00)
B.	Crop inspection fees		
	Fee on application for inspection or re-inspection of a crop entered to produce:—		
	(i) A(i), (ii), (iv) or (v) above, per half-hectare or part thereof entered	2.90	(2.75)
	(ii) A(iii) or (vi) above, per crop	2.90	(2.75)
C.	Seed lot fees		
	Fee (excluding sampling and testing of seed) payable per application for each seed lot entered as:—		
	(i) pre-basic and basic seed, other than that of peas, broad beans, cucumber, gherkin and tomato	32.30	(30.70)
	(ii) pre-basic and basic seed of peas or broad beans	35.70	(34.00)
	(iii) certified seed, other than that of peas, broad beans, cucumber, gherkin and tomato	30.40	(28.90)
	(iv) certified seed of peas or broad beans	32.90	(31.25)

(a) S.I. 1979/774.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 5 (*continued*)
MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE VEGETABLE SEEDS REGULATIONS 1979(a)

	MATTER	FEE	
		£	£(b)
D. Sampling fees			
Fee for sampling or re-sampling of seed lots entered as at C(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) above and for sampling of lots of imported seed intended to be sown to produce C(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) above		14.70	(14.00)
E. Additional charges			
Fee for a test for:—			
(i) Purity, germination and other seed content		23.00	(20.00) or (18.35)
(ii) Varietal identity		70.70	(61.00)
(iii) <i>Phoma lingam</i> (Canker) in pre-basic or basic seeds of brassicas		18.00	(16.65)
(iv) <i>Phoma betae</i> (Blackleg) in pre-basic or basic seeds of beet		21.00	(18.35)
(v) Lettuce mosaic virus in pre-basic, basic and certified seeds of lettuce		32.00	(30.55)
(vi) <i>Septoria apicola</i> (Leaf blight) and <i>Phoma apicola</i> (Root rot) in pre-basic, basic and certified seeds of celery		18.00	(16.65)
(vii) <i>Ascochyta pisi mycosphaerella pinodes</i> and <i>Ascochyta pinodella</i> (Leaf and pod spot) in pre-basic, basic and certified seeds of peas		18.00	(16.65)
(viii) <i>Colletotrichum lindemuthianum</i> (Anthracnose) in pre-basic and basic seed of French beans		54.00	(49.95)
(ix) <i>Pseudomonas phaseolicola</i> (Halo blight) in pre-basic and basic seed of French beans		34.00	(33.30)
(x) <i>Ascochyta fabae</i> (Leaf and pod spot) in pre-basic and basic seed of broad beans		54.00	(49.95)

(a) *ibid.*

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

SCHEDULE 6

MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE SEEDS (REGISTRATION AND LICENSING) REGULATIONS 1974(a)

MATTER	FEE	
	£	£(b)
Seed Testing Stations		
A. Annual fee payable during the continuance of the licence	1150.00	(1050.00)
	(or a proportion thereof in respect of a fraction of a year)	
B. Fee for each statutory test of a sample of:—		
(i) cereal seeds	2.40	(2.10)
(ii) fodder plant seeds	2.60	(2.20)
(iii) beet seeds	2.70	(2.40)
(iv) oil and fibre plant seeds	2.50	(2.20)
(v) vegetable seeds	2.30	(1.75)

(a) S.I. 1974/760.

(b) The figures in italics are the fees which were charged by virtue of the Seeds (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 (S.I. 1981/939).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Seeds (Fees) Regulations 1980 by prescribing revised fees in respect of matters arising under the Vegetable Seeds Regulations 1979, the Cereal Seeds Regulations 1980, the Fodder Plant Seeds Regulations 1980, the Beet Seeds Regulations 1976, the Oil and Fibre Plant Seeds Regulations 1979 and the Seeds (Registration and Licensing) Regulations 1974.

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