

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations are made in exercise of the powers in section 8(1) of, and paragraph 21 of Schedule 7 to, the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (c. 16) in order to address failures of retained EU law to operate effectively (in particular under section 8(2)(a), (b), (d), (e) and (g)) as a result of the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union. They also correct minor errors in respect of amendments already made to retained EU law.

Part 2 contains amendments to statutory instruments relating to the marketing of fruit planting materials and seeds in England.

Part 3 contains amendments to retained direct EU legislation relating to the regulation and import of animals and related products, food, plants and plant products.

Part 4 contains revocations of retained direct EU legislation.

A full impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as no, or no significant, impact on the private, voluntary or public sectors is foreseen.