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PLANT QUARANTINE ACT (CAP. 433)

Examination of Varieties of Agricultural Plant Species (Amendment) Regulations, 2017

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 32 of the Plant Quarantine Act, the Minister for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change has made the following regulations:-

Citation and scope.

1. (1) The title of these regulations is the Examination of Varieties of Agricultural Plant Species (Amendment) Regulations, 2017, and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Examination of Varieties of Agricultural Plant Species Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations". S.L. 433.22

(2) The scope of these regulations is to transpose Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/1914 amending Commission Directive 2003/90/EC setting out implementing measures for the purposes Article 7 of Council Directive 2002/53/EC as regards the minimum characteristics to be examined and the minimum conditions for examining certain varieties of agricultural plant species.

Substitutes Schedule I to the principal regulations.

2. Schedule I to the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new Schedule:

"SCHEDULE I

CPVO guidelines

The following tables list the genera and species for which CPVO guidelines apply. These technical protocols can be found on the CPVO website www.cpvo.europa.eu.

I. Cereals

Table 1.1:

Scientific name	Common name	CPVO protocol
Avena nuda L.	Small naked oat, Hulless oat	TP 20/2 of 1.10.2015
Avena sativa L. (includes *A. byzantina* K. Koch)	Oats and Red oat	TP 20/2 of 1.10.2015
Hordeum vulgare L.	Barley	TP 19/4 of 1.10.2015

Secale cereale L.	Rye	TP 58/1 of 31.10.2002
xTriticosecale Wittm. ex A. Camus	Hybrids resulting from the crossing of a species of the genus *Triticum* and a species of the genus *Secale*	TP 121/2 rev. 1 of 16.2.2011
Triticum aestivum L.	Wheat	TP 3/4 rev. 2 of 16.2.2011
Triticum durum Desf.	Durum wheat	TP 120/3 of 19.3.2014
Zea mays L.	Maize	TP 2/3 of 11.3.2010

II. Fodder Plants

Table 1.2:

Scientific name	Common name	CPVO protocol
Poaceae (Gramineae)		
Festuca filiformis Pourr.	Fine-leaved sheep's fescue	TP 67/1 of 23.6.2011
Festuca ovina L.	Sheep's fescue	TP 67/1 of 23.6.2011
Festuca pratensis Huds.	Meadow fescue	TP 39/1 of 1.10.2015
Festuca rubra L.	Red fescue	TP 67/1 of 23.6.2011
Festuca trachyphylla (Hack.) Krajina	Hard fescue	TP 67/1 of 23.6.2011
Lolium multiflorum Lam.	Italian ryegrass	TP 4/1 of 23.6.2011
Lolium perenne L.	Perennial ryegrass	TP 4/1 of 23.6.2011
Fabaceae (Leguminosae)		
Pisum sativum L.	Field pea	TP 7/2 of 11.03.2015
Vicia sativa L.	Common vetch	TP 32/1 of 19.04.2016

III. Potatoes

Table 1.3:

Scientific name	Common name	CPVO protocol
Solanum tuberosum L.	Potato	TP 23/2 of 1.12.2005

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Substitutes Schedule II to the principal regulations.

3. Schedule II to the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new Schedule:

"SCHEDULE II

UPOV guidelines

The following tables list the genera and species for which UPOV guidelines apply. These technical protocols can be found on the UPOV website www.upov.int.

I. Cereals

Table 2.1:

Scientific name	Common name	UPOV protocol
Sorghum bicolor (L.) Moench	Sorghum	TG/122/4 of 25.3.2015

II. Fodder Plants

Table 2.2:

Scientific name	Common name	UPOV protocol
Poaceae (Gramineae)		
Agrostis canina L.	Velvet bent	TG/30/6 of 12.10.1990
Agrostis capillaris L.	Brown top	TG/30/6 of 12.10.1990
Agrostis gigantea Roth.	Red top	TG/30/6 of 12.10.1990
Agrostis stolonifera L.	Creeping bent	TG/30/6 of 12.10.1990
Poa pratensis L.	Smooth-stalked meadow grass	TG/33/7 of 9.4.2014
Fabaceae (Leguminosae)		
Medicago sativa L.	Lucerne	TG/6/5 of 6.4.2005
Trifolium pratense L.	Red clover	TG/5/7 of 4.4.2001
Vicia faba L.	Field Bean	TG/8/6/ of 17.4.2002

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