

Regulation (EC) No 1610/96 of the European Parliament and  
of the Council of 23 July 1996 concerning the creation of a  
supplementary protection certificate for plant protection products

*Article 8*

**Content of the application for a certificate**

- 1 The application for a certificate shall contain:
  - a a request for the grant of a certificate, stating in particular:
    - (i) the name and address of the applicant;
    - (ii) the name and address of the representative, if any;
    - (iii) the number of the basic patent and the title of the invention;
    - (iv) the number and date of the first authorization to place the product on the market, as referred to in Article 3 (1) (b) and, if this authorization is not the first authorization to place the product on the market in the Community, the number and date of that authorization;
  - b a copy of the authorization to place the product on the market, as referred to in Article 3 (1) (b), in which the product is identified, containing in particular the number and date of the authorization and the summary of the product characteristics listed in Part A.I (points 1-7) or B.I (points 1-7) of Annex II to Directive 91/414/EEC or in equivalent national laws of the Member State in which the application was lodged;
  - c if the authorization referred to in (b) is not the first authorization to place the product on the market as a plant protection product in the Community, information regarding the identity of the product thus authorized and the legal provision under which the authorization procedure took place, together with a copy of the notice publishing the authorization in the appropriate official publication or, failing such a notice, any other document proving that the authorization has been issued, the date on which it was issued and the identity of the product authorized.
- 2 Member States may require a fee to be payable upon application for a certificate.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Regulation (EC) No 1610/96 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

View outstanding changes

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Art. 8(2) omitted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 24\(4\)](#)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions**

- Signature words omitted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 36](#)
- Art. 1(1)(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 20\(2\)](#)
- Art. 1(11)-(15) inserted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 20\(3\)](#)
- Art. 1(12) substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 20(3) by [S.I. 2020/1050 reg. 31](#)
- Art. 1(15)-(17) inserted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 2](#)
- Art. 1(15) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 20(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(3\)](#)
- Art. 1A inserted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 21](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 21 omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue S.I. 2020/1050, regs. 1(2), 32)
- Art. 2(b) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 22 by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(4\)](#)
- Art. 3(1)(b) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 23 by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(5\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 3(1)(d) word omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 23 by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(5\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 3(1)(d) words inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 23 by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(5\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 5(1) Art. 5 renumbered as Art. 5(1) by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 4\(a\)](#)
- Art. 5(1) words inserted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 4\(b\)](#)
- Art. 5(2)(3) inserted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 4\(c\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(a)(v) words inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(2) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(6\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(a)(v) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(2) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(6\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(a)(iv)(v) substituted for Art. 8(1)(a)(iv) by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 24\(2\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(a)(iv) words inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(2) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(6\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(a)(iv) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(2) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(6\)\(a\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(b)(c) substituted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 24\(3\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(b) words inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(7\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(b) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(3) by [S.I. 2020/1050 reg. 33](#)
- Art. 8(1)(b) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(7\)\(a\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(c) words inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(7\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(c) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 24(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(7\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 9(2)(d)(e) substituted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 25\(4\)](#)

- Art. 9(2)(d) substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 25(4) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(8\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 9(2)(e) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 25(4) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(8\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 10(6) inserted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 26\(6\)](#)
- Art. 10(6) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 26(6) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(9\)](#)
- Art. 11(d) substituted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 6](#)
- Art. 11(1)(d) word inserted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 27\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 11(1)(e) substituted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 27\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 11(1)(e) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 27(3)(b) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(11\)](#)
- Art. 13A inserted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 7](#)
- Art. 14(1) Art. 14 renumbered as Art. 14(1) by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 30\(2\)](#)
- Art. 14(1)(c)(d) substituted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 30\(3\)](#)
- Art. 14(1)(c) word inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 30(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(12\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 14(1)(d) word substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/801, reg. 30(3) by [S.I. 2020/1471 reg. 2\(12\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 14(2) inserted by [S.I. 2019/801 reg. 30\(4\)](#)
- Art. 14(2)-(4) inserted by [S.I. 2020/1471 Sch. para. 8](#)