

1993 No. 197

SEEDS

**Forest Reproductive Material (Amendment) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1993**

Made 19th April 1993

Coming into operation 14th June 1993

The Department of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 1(a) and 2(1) to (3) of the Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and after consultation with representatives of such interests as appear to it to be concerned, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Forest Reproductive Material (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993, and shall come into operation on 14th June 1993.

Amendment of the Forest Reproductive Material Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977

2. In Regulation 13 of the Forest Reproductive Material Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977(c) the words from "Such official certificate" to the end shall be omitted.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture on 19th April 1993.

(L.S.)

William John Wright
Assistant Secretary

(a) As amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 351 Art. 3 and Sch. 3
(b) 1965 c. 22 (N.I.)
(c) S.R. 1977 No. 194

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations are made in consequence of the internal market provisions of the Treaty which established the European Economic Community (the Treaty of Rome dated 25th March 1957 as amended by the Single European Act 1986).

These Regulations amend the Forest Reproductive Material Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977 (S.R. 1977 No. 94), so as to remove the requirement for an importer or consignee of forest reproductive material, imported from a Member State of the European Communities, to produce to the customs authorities a certificate of provenance or clonal identity.

The Regulations also remove the requirement for an importer or consignee of seed imported from a Member State of the European Communities, to produce to the customs authorities a document giving certain particulars in relation to that seed.