

## 1966 No. 276 (C. 3)

## SEEDS

**The Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964 (Commencement No. 1)  
Order 1966**

*Made* - - - *7th March 1966*

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers vested in them by section 41 of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964(a) as extended to Northern Ireland by the Plant Varieties and Seeds (Northern Ireland) Order 1964(b) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1966.

2. Sections 20 to 23 of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964 shall come into force on 8th March 1966.

In Witness whereof the official seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 7th March 1966.

(L.S.)

*Frederick Peart,*

Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 7th March 1966.

*William Ross,*

(L.S.)

Secretary of State for Scotland.

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order brings into force on the 8th March 1966 sections 20 to 23 of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964, which relate to the Index of Plant Varieties and performance trials of new plant varieties.

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(a) 1964 c. 14.

(b) S.I. 1964/1574 (1964 III, p. 3543).