#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2020 No. 1463

The Aquatic Animal Health and Alien Species in Aquaculture, Animals, and Marketing of Seed, Plant and Propagating Material (Legislative Functions and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

### PART 4

# Functions relating to the marketing of seed, plant and plant propagating material CHAPTER 4

Retention of functions in Directive 2008/90/EC

#### Power to set conditions with which fruit plant material must comply

**20.**—(1) The appropriate authority may, by regulations, amend—

- (a) in relation to England and Wales, Schedules 1 and 5 to the Fruit Plant Marketing Regulations;
- (b) in relation to Scotland, Schedules 2 and 3 to the Fruit Plant Marketing Regulations.

(2) But the appropriate authority may exercise the power in paragraph (1) only to the extent that the appropriate authority considers it is necessary or appropriate—

- (a) in the light of developments in scientific or technical knowledge, production techniques or agronomic practices;
- (b) to address concerns relating to the quality of fruit plant material;
- (c) due to the economic importance of the fruit plant material; or
- (d) for consistency with international standards for pests and diseases affecting the quality of fruit plant material.