STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2021 No. 1229

The Animal Health, Plant Health, Seeds and Seed Potatoes (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2021

PART 2

Amendment of retained EU law

Amendment of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/2072

- **8.**—(1) Annex 5 is amended as follows.
- (2) In Part A, in paragraph 2(1), renumber the second point (c) as point (d).
- (3) In Part C—
 - (a) in the first table (bacteria), at the end insert—

In the case of seeds:

- (a) the seeds originate in areas known to be free from *Xanthomonas* vesicatoria (ex Doidge) Vauterin et al,
- (b) no symptoms of disease caused by *Xanthomonas vesicatoria* (ex Doidge) Vauterin et al have been observed on visual inspections at the site of production at appropriate times during the complete cycle of vegetation of the plants, or
- (c) the seeds have been subjected to official testing for *Xanthomonas vesicatoria* (ex Doidge) Vauterin et al on a representative sample using appropriate methods (whether or not following an appropriate treatment) and have been found in those tests to be free from that pest.

[&]quot;Xanthomonas vesicatoria (ex Capsicum annuum L Doidge) Vauterin et al

In the case of plants other than seeds:

- (a) the seedlings have been grown from seeds that meet the above requirements, and
- (b) the plants have been maintained in appropriate hygiene conditions to prevent infection.";
- (b) in the final table (viruses, viroids, virus-like diseases and phytoplasmas)—
 - (i) in the entry for "Impatiens necrotic spot tospovirus [INSV00]", for the text in the third column substitute—

"The plants have been grown in a site of production that has been subjected to monitoring for the relevant thrips vectors (*Frankliniella occidentalis* Pergande) and, upon their detection, to appropriate treatments to ensure effective suppression of their populations, and:

- (a) no symptoms of *Impatiens* necrotic spot tospovirus have been observed on plants at the site of production during the current growing period, or
- (b) any plants at the production site showing symptoms of *Impatiens* necrotic spot tospovirus during the current growing period have been rogued out and a representative sample of the plants to be moved has been tested and found free from *Impatiens* necrotic spot tospovirus.";
- (ii) in the second entry for "Tomato ringspot virus [TORSV0]", in the third column, in point (b)—
 - (aa) omit "at least the pest";
 - (bb) for "pests tested" substitute "pest";
 - (cc) omit "item".
- (4) In Part E, in the first table (bacteria), in the second entry for "*Xanthomonas vesicatoria* (ex Doidge) Vauterin et al. [XANTVE]", in the third column omit point (c).
 - (5) In Part G, in paragraph 2(1), renumber the second point (c) as point (d).
 - (6) In Part H—
 - (a) in the first table (bacteria), in the second entry for "Xanthomonas euvesicatoria Jones et al. [XANTEU]", in the first column, for "Xanthomonas euvesicatoria Jones et al. [XANTEU]" substitute "Xanthomonas vesicatoria (ex Doidge) Vauterin et al. [XANTVE]";
 - (b) in the second table (fungi and oomycetes), in the second entry for "Stromatinia cepivora Berk. [SCLOCE]", in the third column, in point (b), after "plants" insert "or sets".