STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2022 No. 1367

The Plant Health and Trade in Animals and Related Products (Amendment) Regulations 2022

PART 2

Amendment of legislation relating to plant health

Amendment of the Plant Health (Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2019

- **4.**—(1) The Plant Health (Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2019(1) are amended as follows.
 - (2) In regulation 17—
 - (a) in paragraph (1), for "This regulation" substitute "Paragraph (2)";
 - (b) after paragraph (2) insert—
 - "(2A) Paragraph (2B) applies where the competent authority in relation to another territory of Great Britain—
 - (a) has officially confirmed the presence in its territory of a plant pest to which Article 18 of the Plant Health Regulation applies; and
 - (b) has notified the competent authority in relation to Scotland, in accordance with Article 18(4A) of the Plant Health Regulation, that a demarcated area should extend to or be established in Scotland.
 - (2B) The competent authority may by notice—
 - (a) demarcate an area for the purpose of eradicating or containing the plant pest, or for the purpose of preventing the establishment of the pest in Scotland; or
 - (b) confirm the proposed demarcation of an area in Scotland previously notified to the competent authority by another competent authority in accordance with Article 18(4A) of the Plant Health Regulation.
 - (2C) A notice under paragraph (2B) may specify the prohibitions or restrictions which are to apply to the demarcated area for any of the purposes specified in that paragraph.";
 - (c) in paragraph (3), after "paragraph (2)" insert "or (2B)";
 - (d) at the end insert—
 - "(4) In this regulation, "competent authority" has the meaning given by Article 2(6) of the Plant Health Regulation.".