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The Windsor Framework (Plant Health) Regulations 2023

PART 2

Registration of professional operators

Official register of professional operators

4.—(1) The competent authorities must keep and update an official register containing details of professional operators operating in Great Britain who—

- (a) dispatch plants and other objects from Great Britain to Northern Ireland, with a Northern Ireland plant health label;
- (b) are authorised to issue Northern Ireland plant health labels in accordance with regulation 10 (authorisation);
- (c) are authorised to receive and use Northern Ireland plant health labels in accordance with regulation 10.

(2) The official register must contain—

- (a) the information and statements set out in regulation 5(2)(a), (b) and (d) and, where applicable, the information set out in regulation 10(3); and
- (b) the official registration number for the professional operator.

(3) The competent authorities must ensure that a professional operator is registered only once.

(4) Where applicable, the official register must specify each of the different premises referred to in regulation 5(2)(d) (procedure of registration).

(5) Where a professional operator is authorised under regulation 10(4) (authorisation), the official register must also contain—

- (a) an indication of the activity referred to regulation 5(2)(c) for which the professional operator is authorised;
- (b) details of the specific plants for planting or other objects concerned by that activity.