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I, MICHAEL CREED, Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972), for the purpose of giving effect to Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/317 of 3 March 2016¹ and Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/2109 of 1 December 2016² and further effect to 2004/842/EC: Commission Decision of 1 December 2004³ (as amended by Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/320 of 3 March 2016⁴), hereby make the following regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Communities (Seed of Fodder Plants) (Amendment) Regulations 2017.

2. The European Communities (Seed of Fodder Plants) Regulations 2002 (S.I. No. 198 of 2002) are amended in Regulation 2(1) by substituting for the definition of “Directive” (as amended by the European Communities (Seed of Fodder Plants) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (S.I. No. 372 of 2013)) the following:

“‘Directive’ means Council Directive 66/401/EEC of 14 June 1966 on the marketing of fodder plant seed⁵ (as amended by Council Directive 69/63/EEC of 18 February 1969⁶, Council Directive 71/162/EEC of 30 March 1971⁷, Council Directive 72/274/EEC of 20 July 1972⁸, Council Directive 72/418/EEC of 6 December 1972⁹, Council Directive 73/438/EEC of 11 December 1973¹⁰, Council Directive 75/444/EEC of 26 June 1975¹¹, Council Directive 78/55/EEC of 19 December 1977¹², First Commission Directive 78/386/EEC of 18 April 1978¹³, Council Directive 78/692/EEC of 25 July 1978¹⁴, Council Directive 78/1020/EEC of 5 December 1978¹⁵, Commission Directive 79/641/EEC of 27 June 1979¹⁶, Council Directive 79/692/EEC of 24 July 1979¹⁷, Commission Directive 80/754/EEC of 17 July 1980¹⁸,

¹OJ L 60, 5.03.2016, p. 72

²OJ L 327, 2.12.2016, p. 59

³OJ L 362, 9.12.2004, p. 21

⁴OJ L 60, 5.3.2016, p. 88

⁵OJ 125, 11.7.1966, p. 2298

⁶OJ L 48, 26.2.1969, p. 8

⁷OJ L 87, 17.4.1971, p. 24

⁸OJ L 171, 29.7.1972, p. 37

⁹OJ L 287, 26.12.1972, p. 22

¹⁰OJ L 356, 27.12.1973, p. 79

¹¹OJ L 196, 26.7.1975, p. 6

¹²OJ L 16, 20.1.1978, p. 23

¹³OJ L 113, 25.4.1978, p. 1

¹⁴OJ L 236, 26.8.1978, p. 13

¹⁵OJ L 350, 14.12.1978, p. 27

¹⁶OJ L 183, 19.7.1979, p. 13

¹⁷OJ L 205, 13.8.1979, p. 1

¹⁸OJ L 207, 9.8.1980, p. 36

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Commission Directive 81/126/EEC of 16 February 1981¹⁹, Commission Directive 82/287/EEC of 13 April 1982²⁰, Commission Directive 85/38/EEC of 14 December 1984²¹, Council Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85 of 20 December 1985²², Council Directive 86/155/EEC of 22 April 1986²³, Commission Directive 87/120/EEC of 14 January 1987²⁴, Commission Directive 87/480/EEC of 9 September 1987²⁵, Council Directive 88/332/EEC of 13 June 1988²⁶, Council Directive 88/380/EEC of 13 June 1988²⁷, Commission Directive 89/100/EEC of 20 January 1989²⁸, Council Directive 90/654/EEC of 4 December 1990²⁹, Commission Directive 92/19/EEC of 23 March 1992³⁰, Commission Directive 96/18/EC of 19 March 1996³¹, Council Directive 96/72/EC of 18 November 1996³², Council Directive 98/95/EC of 14 December 1998³³, Council Directive 98/96/EC of 14 December 1998³⁴, Council Directive 2001/64/EC of 31 August 2001³⁵, Council Directive 2003/61/EC of 18 June 2003³⁶, Commission Directive 2004/55/EC of 20 April 2004³⁷, Council Directive 2004/117/EC of 22 December 2004³⁸, Commission Directive 2007/72/EC of 13 December 2007³⁹, Commission Directive 2009/74/EC of 26 June 2009⁴⁰, Commission Implementing Directive 2012/37/EU of 22 November 2012⁴¹, Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/317 of 3 March 2016 and Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/2109 of 1 December 2016) and 2004/842/EC: Commission Decision of 1 December 2004 (as amended by Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/320 of 3 March 2016);”.



GIVEN under my Official Seal,
31 March 2017.

MICHAEL CREED,
Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine.

¹⁹OJ L 67, 12.3.1981, p. 36

²⁰OJ L 131, 13.5.1982, p. 24

²¹OJ L 16, 19.1.1985, p. 41

²²OJ L 362, 31.12.1985, p. 8

²³OJ L 118, 7.5.1986, p. 23

²⁴OJ L 49, 18.2.1987, p. 39

²⁵OJ L 273, 26.9.1987, p. 43

²⁶OJ L 151, 17.6.1988, p.82

²⁷OJ L 187, 16.7.1988, p. 31

²⁸OJ L 38, 10.2.1989, p. 36

²⁹OJ L 353, 17.12.1990, p. 48

³⁰OJ L 104, 22.4.1992, p. 61

³¹OJ L 76, 26.3.1996, p.21

³²OJ L 304, 27.11.1996, p. 10

³³OJ L 25, 1.2.1999, p. 1

³⁴OJ L 25, 1.2.1999, p. 27

³⁵OJ L 234, 1.9.2001, p. 60

³⁶OJ L 165, 3.7.2003, p. 23

³⁷OJ L 114 21.4.2004, p.18

³⁸OJ L 14 18.1.2005, p. 18

³⁹OJ L 329 14.12.2007, p. 37

⁴⁰OJ L 166 27.6.2009, p. 40

⁴¹OJ L 325, 23.11.2012, p. 13

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation)

These Regulations give effect to the provisions of Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/317 of 3 March 2016 and Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/2109 of 1 December 2016 which amends Council Directive 66/401 as regards the official label of seed packages and as regards the inclusion of new species and the botanical name of the species *Lolium x boucheanum* Kunth

These Regulations also give effect to Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/320 of 3 March 2016 amending Decision 2004/842/EC concerning implementing rules whereby Member States may grant an authorization to place on the market seed belonging to varieties for which an application for entry in the national catalogues of varieties of agricultural plant species or vegetable species has been submitted

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