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SEEDS, WALES

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THE BEET SEED (WALES) REGULATIONS 2005

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- 4. Overseas tested officially certified pre-basic seed of a listed variety
- 5. UK officially certified early movement pre-basic seed of a listed variety
- 6. EC officially certified early movement pre-basic seed of a listed variety
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- 10. EC officially certified basic seed of a listed variety
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- 13. UK officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed variety
- 14. EC officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed variety
- 15. UK officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
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- 18. Overseas tested officially certified basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
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- 2. The crop shall have sufficient varietal identity and varietal purity....
- 3. The seed from which the crop has been produced and...
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- 5. The distances specified in paragraph 4 can be disregarded if...
- 6. Paragraph 4 shall not apply in the case of seed...
- 7. Subject to paragraph 8, for the purpose of paragraph 4...
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- The maximum moisture content of the seed shall be 15%...
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- It shall be determined, by way of a germination test—...
- In the case of monogerm seed— (a) at least 90%...
- In the case of monogerin seed (a) at least 90
 In the case of precision seed of sugar beet—
- In the case of precision seed of sugar beet—...
 (1) In the case of precision seed of fodder beet—...
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- 4. Overseas tested officially certified pre-basic seed of a listed variety....
- 5. Basic seed of a listed variety
- 6. EC officially certified basic seed of a listed variety.
- 7. Third country officially certified basic seed of a listed variety....
- 8. Overseas tested officially certified basic seed of a listed variety....
- 9. CS seed of a listed variety
- 10. EC officially certified CS seed of a listed variety.
- 11. Third country officially certified CS seed of a listed variety....
- 12. Overseas tested officially certified CS seed of a listed variety....
- 13. Early movement pre-basic seed of a listed variety
- 14. EC officially certified early movement pre-basic seed of a listed...
- 15. Early movement basic seed of a listed variety
- 16. EC officially certified early movement basic seed of a listed...
- 17. Early movement CS seed of a listed variety
- 18. EC officially certified early movement CS seed of a listed...
- 19. Basic seed of a component of a listed hybrid variety
- 20. EC officially certified basic seed of a component of a...
- 21. Third country officially certified basic seed of a component of...
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