STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2007 No. 252

PLANT HEALTH

Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) (Amendment No.2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2007

Made - - - -	*19th April 2007*
Coming into operation	*21st May 2007*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development(**1**), makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**2**) and section 56 (1), (2) and (5) of the Finance Act 1973(**3**) and with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel.

The Department is designated(**4**) for the purposes of the said section 2(2) in relation to the Common Agricultural Policy of the European Community.

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) (Amendment No.2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2007 and shall come into operation on 21st May 2007.

(2) In these Regulations—

"the principal Regulations" means the Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005.

(3) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**5**) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment of the Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005

2. The principal Regulations shall be amended in accordance with regulations 3 and 4.

(**1**) Formerly the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland; *see* S.I. 1999/283 (N.I.1), Art. 3(4).
(**2**) 1972 c. 68.
(**3**) 1973 c. 51.
(**4**) S.I. 2000/2812.
(**5**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)

3. In Schedule 1, insert ", or part thereof" after the following words each time they appear: "for each additional 100 units", "for each additional 1,000 units", "for each additional 10kg", "for each additional 100kg", "for each additional 1,000kg" and "for each additional 25,000kg".

4. For Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development on 18th April 2007.

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John Speers
A senior officer of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development

The Department of Finance and Personnel consents to the foregoing Regulations.
Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 19th April 2007.

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M. McIvor
A senior officer of the Department of Finance and Personnel

SCHEDULE Regulation 4

New Schedule 2 to be inserted in the Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005

"SCHEDULE 2 Regulation 4(3)

IMPORT INSPECTION FEES (REDUCED RATES)

Column 1	*Column 2*	*Column 3*	*Column 4*	*Column 5*
Genus	*Quantity*	*Country of origin*	*Fee*	*Fee (non-daytime working hours)*
Cut flowers				
Aster	Per consignment			
	— up to 20,000 in number	Zimbabwe	£6.62	£9.93
	— for each additional 1,000 units or part thereof	Zimbabwe	£0.05	£0.07
	— maximum price	Zimbabwe	£52.96	£79.44
Dianthus	Per consignment			
	— up to 20,000 in number	Colombia	£0.40	£0.60
		Ecuador	£1.98	£2.97
		Israel, Turkey	£3.31	£4.96
		Morocco	£6.62	£9.93
	— for each additional 1,000 units or part thereof	Colombia	£0.003	£0.004
		Ecuador	£0.01	£0.02
		Israel, Turkey	£0.02	£0.03
		Morocco	£0.05	£0.07
	— maximum price	Colombia	£3.17	£4.75
		Ecuador	£15.88	£23.83
		Israel, Turkey	£26.48	£39.72
		Morocco	£52.96	£79.44
Rosa	Per consignment			
	— up to 20,000 in number	Kenya	£0.13	£0.19
		Colombia, Ecuador, Uganda	£0.66	£0.99

Where the total amount of any fee comprises an amount of less than £0.01, that amount shall be excluded.