STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1997 No. 402

SEEDS

Seed Potatoes (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997

Made - - - -	*5th September 1997*
Coming into operation	*13th October 1997*

The Department of Agriculture, being a Department designated(**1**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**2**) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Community, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said section 2(2) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Seed Potatoes (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997 and shall come into operation on 13th October 1997.

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

Amendment of the Seed Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981

2. In the Seed Potatoes Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981(**4**) in Schedule 4, Part I (Requirements for an official label)—

(a) for paragraph 1(*c*) there shall be substituted—

"(c) set out:

EC Rules and Standards

Certification authority

Member State

Country of production

Basic Seed Potatoes

(**1**) *See* S.I.1972/1811
(**2**) 1972 c. 68: section 2 is subject to Schedule 2 to that Act and is to be read with S.I. 1984/703 (N.I. 3) and S.I. 1994/2795 (N.I. 15)
(**3**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)
(**4**) S.R. 1981 No. 243; Schedule 4 Part I was amended by S.R. 1994 No. 459 regulation 12(*a*)