1975 No. 225

SEEDS

Seeds (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975

Made . . . . . *8th August* 1975

Coming into operation . . . *1st September* 1975

The Department(a) of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 1 of the Seeds Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(b) as amended by Schedule 3 to the European Communities (Agriculture) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, and after consultation with representatives of such interests as appear to it to be concerned, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Seeds (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1975.

Revocation

2. The Seeds (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974(d) are hereby revoked.

Fees

3. There shall be paid in respect of matters arising under the regulations respectively referred to in Schedules 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, being the matters specified in the first column of each of the said Schedules, the fees specified in the second column of each of the said Schedules opposite their respective references to such matters.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 8th August 1975 in the presence of:

(L.S.) *J. C. Chalmers*
Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8
(b) 1965 c. 22 (N.I.)
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 351 (p. 1740)
(d) S.R. 1974 No. 229

SCHEDULE 1

Matters arising under the Cereal Seeds Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974(e)

Matter	*Fee*
Certification of cereal seeds	
A. Basic seeds and pre-basic seeds:	£
(*a*) Initial fee, per acre or part of an acre	3.80
(*b*) final fee, per label	0.08
B. Certified seeds of the first generation:	
(*a*) Initial fee (excluding the cost of inspecting the crop), per acre or part of an acre	0.60
(*b*) final fee (excluding the cost of sampling and testing the seeds), per label	0.06
C. Additional tests:	
(*a*) Test of barley for loose smut, for the Higher Voluntary Standard	10.25
(*b*) test of seeds for other varieties of the same species, for the Higher Voluntary Standards	3.50

Provided that if an application for certification of seeds is withdrawn prior to inspection of the crop one half of the initial fee will be repaid to the applicant.

(e) S.R. 1974 No. 148

SCHEDULE 2

Matters arising under the Fodder Plant Seeds Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974(f)

Matter	*Fee*
Certification of fodder plant seeds	
A. Basic seeds and pre-basic seeds:	£
(*a*) Initial fee, per acre or part of an acre	1.40
(*b*) final fee, per label	0.25
B. Certified seeds of field peas and field beans:	
(*a*) Initial fee (excluding the cost of inspecting the crop), per acre or part of an acre	0.60
(*b*) final fee, per label	0.20
C. Additional tests:	
(*a*) Test of field beans for *Ascochyta fabae*: On pre-basic and basic seeds	25.75
(*b*) test of lupin seeds of one colour for seeds of another colour	3.50
(*c*) test of sweet lupin seeds for bitter seeds	4.25

Provided that if an application for certification of seeds is withdrawn prior to inspection of the crop one half of the initial fee will be repaid to the applicant.

(f) S.R. 1974 No. 147