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PLANTS OF NOXIOUS WEEDS

REGULATIONS, DATED 5TH JANUARY 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE WEEDS AND AGRICULTURAL SEEDS ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1909 AND 1929(a) AS AMENDED BY THE AGRICULTURE (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970(b).

The Ministry of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 4A of the Weeds and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Plants of Noxious Weeds Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971 and shall come into operation on the 1st day of February 1971.

Prohibitions

2. Except under licence issued by the Ministry of Agriculture the importation or removal into Northern Ireland or the selling or the offering or exposing for sale or the purchasing of plants or parts of plants as specified in the Noxious Weeds Order (Northern Ireland) 1971 shall be prohibited. The term "parts of plants" shall be deemed not to include the seeds of such plants.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 5th day of January 1971.

(L.S.) *A. McKelvie,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 9 Edw. 7. c. 31 and 20 Geo. 5. c. 3 (N.I.).
(b) 1970. c. 20 (N.I.).