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Republic of Latvia

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### **Regulations on State Fees for the Protection of Plant Breeders' Rights**

Issued in accordance with Section 10 of the Law  
On Taxes and Fees  
and Section 25 of the Law  
On the Protection of Plant Varieties

1. These Regulations determine the rates of the State fees (in lati) for the protection of plant breeders' rights and related activities.

No. in Sequence	Types of activities for which State fees are to be collected	Groups of cultured species		
		Cereals, leguminous plants, oil plants, potatoes, sugar beets, perennial grasses (A)	field and greenhouse vegetable cultures, greenhouse flowers (B)	fruit trees and bushes, berry bushes, ornamental trees and bushes, garden flowers, genetic material of wild trees and bushes (C, D, E)
1	2	3	4	5
1.1.	submission of an application	10	10	5
1.2.	inspection of a variety	5	5	5
1.3.	Appeal	7	7	7
1.4.	licence registration	5	5	5
1.5.	annual fee during the period of protection of a variety:			
1.5.1.	for the first year	7	6	4
1.5.2.	for the second year	10	7	5
1.5.3.	for the third year	15	9	6
1.5.4.	for the fourth year	20	10	7
1.5.5.	for the fifth and subsequent years	25	11	7

2. State fees shall be paid in accordance with the procedures prescribed by the Law On the Protection of Plant Varieties.

3. State fees shall be included in the State base budget in accordance with the Law on the State Budget for the current year.

4. The following are repealed:

4.1. Cabinet Regulation No. 80 of 31 March 1995, Regulations on State Fees for the Protection of Plant Breeders' Rights (*Latvijas Vēstnesis*, 1995, No. 51);

4.2. Cabinet Regulation No. 392 of 15 October 1996, Amendments to the Cabinet Regulations No. 80 of 31 March 1995, Regulations on State Fees for the Protection of Plant Breeders' Rights (*Latvijas Vēstnesis*, 1996, No. 177).

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