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**PLANT QUARANTINE ACT
(CAP. 433)**

**Examination of Varieties of Vegetable Species
(Amendment) Regulations, 2017**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 32 of the Plant Quarantine Act, the Minister for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change has made the following regulations:-

1. (1) The title of these regulations is the Examination of Varieties of Vegetable Species (Amendment) Regulations, 2017, and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Examination of Varieties of Vegetable Species Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

Citation and scope.

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(2) The scope of these regulations is to transpose Commission Implementing Directive (EU) 2016/1914 amending Commission Directive 2003/91/EC setting out implementing measures for the purposes of Article 7 of Council Directive 2002/55/EC, as regards the minimum characteristics to be examined and the minimum conditions for examining certain varieties of vegetable species.

2. Schedule I to the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new Schedule:

Substitutes Schedule I to the principal regulations.

"SCHEDULE I

CPVO guidelines

The following tables list the genera and species for which CPVO guidelines apply. These technical protocols can be found on the CPVO website www.cpvo.europa.eu

Table 1.1:

Scientific name	Common name	CPVO protocol
<i>Allium cepa</i> L. (Cepa group)	Onion and Echalion	TP 46/2 of 1.4.2009
<i>Allium cepa</i> L. (Aggregatum group)	Shallot	TP 46/2 of 1.4.2009
<i>Allium fistulosum</i> L.	Japanese bunching onion or Welsh onion	TP 161/1 of 11.3.2010
<i>Allium porrum</i> L.	Leek	TP 85/2 of 1.4.2009
<i>Allium sativum</i> L.	Garlic	TP 162/1 of 25.3.2004

<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> L.	Chives	TP 198/2 of 11.3.2015
<i>Apium graveolens</i> L.	Celery	TP 82/1 of 13.3.2008
<i>Apium graveolens</i> L.	Celeriac	TP 74/1 of 13.3.2008
<i>Asparagus officinalis</i> L.	Asparagus	TP 130/2 of 16.2.2011
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L.	Beetroot including Cheltenham beet	TP 60/1 of 1.4.2009
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L.	Spinach beet or Chard	TP 106/1 of 11.3.2015
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Curly kale	TP 90/1 of 16.2.2011
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Cauliflower	TP 45/2 of 11.3.2010
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Sprouting broccoli or Calabrese	TP 151/2 of 21.3.2007
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Brussels sprouts	TP 54/2 of 1.12.2005
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Kohlrabi	TP 65/1 of 25.3.2004
<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L.	Savoy cabbage, White cabbage and Red cabbage	TP 48/3 of 16.2.2011
<i>Brassica rapa</i> L.	Chinese cabbage	TP 105/1 of 13.3.2008
<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L.	Chilli or Pepper	TP 76/2 of 21.3.2007
<i>Cichorium endivia</i> L.	Curled-leaved endive and Plain-leaved endive	TP 118/3 of 19.3.2014
<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L.	Industrial chicory	TP 172/2 of 1.12.2005
<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L.	Witloof chicory	TP 173/1 of 25.3.2004
<i>Citrullus lanatus</i> (Thunb.) Matsum. & Nakai	Watermelon	TP 142/2 of 19.3.2014
<i>Cucumis melo</i> L.	Melon	TP 104/2 of 21.3.2007
<i>Cucumis sativus</i> L.	Cucumber and Gherkin	TP 61/2 of 13.3.2008
<i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duchesne	Gourd	TP 155/1 of 11.3.2015
<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.	Marrow or Courgette	TP 119/1 rev. of 19.3.2014
<i>Cynara cardunculus</i> L.	Globe artichoke and Cardoon	TP 184/2 of 27.2.2013
<i>Daucus carota</i> L.	Carrot and Fodder carrot	TP 49/3 of 13.3.2008
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> Mill.	Fennel	TP 183/1 of 25.3.2004
<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L.	Lettuce	TP 13/5 of 19.4.2016
<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L.	Tomato	TP 44/4 rev.2 of 19.4.2016
<i>Petroselinum crispum</i> (Mill.) Nyman ex A.W. Hill	Parsley	TP 136/1 of 21.3.2007

<i>Phaseolus coccineus</i> L.	Runner bean	TP 9/1 of 21.3.2007
<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.	Dwarf French bean and Climbing French bean	TP 12/4 of 27.2.2013
<i>Pisum sativum</i> L. (partim)	Wrinkled pea, Round pea and Sugar pea	TP 7/2 Rev. of 11.3.2015
<i>Raphanus sativus</i> L.	Radish, Black radish	TP 64/2 Rev. of 11.3.2015
<i>Rheum rhabarbarum</i> L.	Rhubarb	TP 62/1 of 19.4.2016
<i>Scorzonera hispanica</i> L.	Scorzonera or Black salsify	TP 116/1 of 11.3.2015
<i>Solanum melongena</i> L.	Aubergine or Egg plant	TP 117/1 of 13.3.2008
<i>Spinacia oleracea</i> L.	Spinach	TP 55/5 rev. of 19.4.2016
<i>Valerianella locusta</i> (L.) Laterr.	Corn salad or Lamb's lettuce	TP 75/2 of 21.3.2007
<i>Vicia faba</i> L. (partim)	Broad bean	TP Broadbean/1 of 25.3.2004
<i>Zea mays</i> L. (partim)	Sweet corn and Pop corn	TP 2/3 of 11.3.2010
<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L. x <i>Solanum habrochaites</i> S. Knapp & D.M. Spooner; <i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L. x <i>Solanum peruvianum</i> (L.) Mill.; <i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L. x <i>Solanum cheesmaniae</i> (L. Ridley) Fosberg	Tomato rootstocks	TP 294/1 rev. of 19.4.2016

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3. Schedule II to the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new Schedule:

Substitutes Schedule II to the principal regulations.

"SCHEDULE II

UPOV guidelines

The following tables list the genera and species for which UPOV guidelines apply. These technical protocols can be found on the UPOV website www.upov.int

Table 2.1:

Scientific name	Common name	UPOV protocol
<i>Brassica rapa</i> L.	Turnip	TG/37/10 of 4.4.2001
<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L.	Large-leaved chicory or Italian chicory	TG/154/3 of 18.10.1996
<i>Cucurbita maxima</i> x <i>Cucurbita moschata</i>	Interspecific hybrids of <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duch. x <i>Cucurbita moschata</i> Duch. for use as rootstocks	TG/311/1 of 25.3.2015

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