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2. Member State

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

The draft Regulations (BCR for short) cover plant protection products and their active substances (as these terms are defined in Council Directive 91/414/EEC) insofar as these are also pesticides within the meaning of the Control of Pesticides Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987 (COPR).

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

A. BCR implements the general requirements of Articles 3.3 and 17 of Directive 91/414/EEC for plant protection products authorised following listing of active substances in Annex I to the Directive.

BCR does this by extending general conditions and seizure and disposal powers provided for pesticides under COPR to plant protection products approved under PPPR. BCR also goes beyond the express requirements of Directive 91/414/EEC by providing for plant protection products to be subject to requirements for advertisement and storage (presently done for pesticides under UK legislation and necessary for the proper control of plant protection products).

The draft provides the means for ensuring that the marketing and use of plant protection products in the UK complies with the conditions under which the products are authorised. The authorisation system established under Council Directive 91/414/EEC provides for common standards and testing.

8. Main Content

B. The United Kingdom would like to be informed by other Member States of their own standards or regulations offering an equivalent level of safety and security.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The draft Regulations complete the UK implementation of

Council Directive 91/414/EEC by providing for certain control and enforcement measures which could not be included in the main implementing Regulations (the Plant Protection Products Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995).

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

i. The draft Plant Protection Products (Basic Conditions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997

The Plant Protection Products Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995

ii. -

iii. -

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

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