

Application to Maintain a Plant Variety

The Seeds (National Lists of Varieties) Regulations 2001 (as amended) and the Seeds (Variety Lists) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020

Any queries should be addressed to:

The Animal and Plant Health Agency, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge, CB2 8DR

E-Mail pvs.helpdesk@apha.gov.uk

1. Variety details

AFP number (if known)

Species (common name)

Name or breeder's reference

2. Applicant details: company, partnership or individual (if acting on own behalf)

See guidance note below

Name of proposed maintainer

Full postal address

Telephone number

(including national dialling code)

Email address

3. Change of Maintainer

(a) Please explain your relationship with the original nominated maintainer.

(b) Where and how did you obtain seed stocks?

Please enclose copies of the relevant information e.g. transfer or sale documents (including quantities)

4. I/We wish to :

(a) be the sole/a joint maintainer of the variety on its addition to the GB and NI Variety Lists

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(b) replace a previously nominated maintainer for the variety on its addition to the GB and NI Variety Lists

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(c) become a maintainer for the variety, which is already on the GB and NI Variety Lists

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Signature (original signature unless emailed)	Name in BLOCK LETTERS	Date

Notes for guidance on completion of form: Where the proposed maintainer is any of the following:

- **BODY CORPORATE** this form must be signed by a Director or by the Secretary or other principal officer ☐ **PARTNERSHIP OR FIRM**
of the body corporate or by any other person satisfying the National
Authorities that they are authorised to sign on behalf of the body corporate; this form
must be signed either by all the partners or one of them on behalf of the firm;
- **INDIVIDUAL PERSON** this form must be signed by applicant;
- **GB and NI Variety lists APPLICANT** this form must be signed by the applicant or by the authorised agent (if one has been appointed)

Data Protection

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