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**THE GENETIC TECHNOLOGY (PRECISION BREEDING) ACT 2023, SECTION 8:**

**CONFIRMATION OF PRECISION BRED STATUS REFERENCE PBM/25/HOVU/001**

1. In accordance with section 8 of The Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Act 2023 and having received a report from the Advisory Committee on Releases to the Environment (ACRE), the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs confirms their satisfaction that the plant described in marketing notice PBM/25/HOVU/001 is precision bred.
2. Before issuing this precision bred confirmation, the Secretary of State has taken advice from ACRE about whether or not it considers the organism to be precision bred;
3. This confirmation of precision bred status may be revoked by the Secretary of State in future, as provided for under regulation 7 of The Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Regulations 2025.

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