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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
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**NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS
UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT**

IRELAND: UNION FOR THE PROTECTION OF NEW VARIETIES
OF PLANTS (DESIGNATION) ORDER 2011
(S.I. NO. 364/2011)

Notifying Member	IRELAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (Designation) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 364/2011)
Subject matter	Patents (including plant variety protection)
Nature of notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2023/IP/IRL/23_11492_00_e.pdf
Notification status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable
Brief description of the notified legal text	
<p>The purpose of this Order is to give effect within the State to Article 24 of the International Convention for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants of 2 December 1961 as revised at Geneva on 10 November 1972, on 23 October 1978 and on 19 March 1991. Article 24 provides that the Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants has legal personality and enjoys on the territory of each Contracting Party, in conformity with the laws applicable in the said territory, such legal capacity as may be necessary for the fulfilment of the objectives of the Union and for the exercise of its functions.</p>	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	7 June 2011
Other date	Adoption: 7 June 2011

Notification details

Submission date of notification	21 April 2023
Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Unit Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment trademarks@enterprise.gov.ie

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