## L.N. 284 of 2011

## PESTICIDES CONTROL ACT (CAP. 430)

## Plant Protection Products (Implementation) Regulations, 2011

IN exercise of the powers conferred by articles 4 and 5 of the Pesticides Control Act, the Minister for Resources and Rural Affairs, in consultation with the Prime Minister and with the Minister for Health, the Elderly and Community Care, has made the following regulations:-

Citation and Commencement.

- 1. The title of these regulations is the Plant Protection Products (Implementation) Regulations, 2011.
- 2. The regulations implement the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 October 2009 concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market and repealing Council Directives 79/117/EEC and 91/414/EEC.
- **3.** These regulations shall be deemed to come into force on 14th June 2011.

Establishment of the competent authority.

**4.** The Technical Regulations Division as established by Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act, (Cap. 510) within the Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority is the competent authority within the meaning of Article 75 of Regulation (EC) No. 1107/2009.

Appeal.

**5.** Any person aggrieved by a decision of the Director may settle any dispute, controversy or claim arising from this decision either by bringing an action before the First Hall Civil Court or by commencing arbitration proceedings in accordance with the Malta Arbitration Act (Cap. 387) and the Arbitration Rules of the Malta Arbitration Centre, as may be in force from time to time.

Penalties.

**6.** The sanctions applicable for infringement of the provision of Regulation (EC) No. 1107/2009 shall be those provided for in article 9 of the Pesticides Control Act.