

Noord-Scharwoude, January 2017

To whom it may concern,

Monarch Seed declares that all varieties which are currently released for testing and varieties which are marketed commercially, have been developed through conventional breeding methods, without using genetic modification techniques as defined in Directive 2001/18/EC on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms.

This statement is for the varieties which are marketed in 2017 and prior years.

If, in the future, we intend to change our policy regarding genetically modified varieties (GMO's), we will announce that fact.

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