

**To: All Licensed Seed Processors & Packers**

Our Ref: SC159

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## OFFICIAL SEED CERTIFICATION SEALS

Following the completion of a competitive tendering and evaluation exercise by Defra procurement team and representatives from APHA and Scottish Government, a contract for the supply of official seals from 1st March 2020 until 31st March 2025 has been awarded to JW Products Ltd.

The contract is for **pull tight plastic seals** for use on all types of seed bags. The seals are **Yellow** and will be embossed with the words UNITED KINGDOM and be sequentially marked.

The price of the seals for the first year of the contract is fixed at £40.00 per thousand excluding VAT with, in most cases, no delivery charge. A next day delivery service is available for an additional fee.

After an initial period, APHA will review the contract and the performance of the new seals.

Orders may be placed from 1st March 2020 with:-

Tom Moville  
JW Products Ltd  
Lockie House  
St Helens  
Merseyside  
WA11 9UD

Tel: 01252 624305

Email: [tom.moville@jwproducts.co.uk](mailto:tom.moville@jwproducts.co.uk)

Orders must be for a minimum of 1000 seals.

JW Products are currently manufacturing the first batch of seals which will be available for despatch from 23/03/2020. Following this initial contract lead in time JW Products Ltd will ensure that orders for England, Wales and Scotland are delivered within 2-3 working days and for Northern Ireland mostly within 3 working days.

If there is a problem with delivery JW Products Ltd will ensure that customers are notified of the delay within one working day and will provide an estimated delivery date.

JW Products Ltd will accept orders on-line as well as by email and telephone initially but will be setting up online ordering for which details will be forwarded once available. An invoice will be issued on receipt of the order.

If you encounter any problems with the supply, delivery or quality of the seals please contact JW Products Ltd in the first instance. If the problem is not resolved, please contact Bob Sunter at bob.sunter@sasa.gov.scot or Tel: 0131 244 8815.

Yours sincerely



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