Lebanese Republic Ministry of Agriculture The minister

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## Decree No. 1/1153 Amendment to the decree No. 1/1062 dated 2.11.2012 Import Conditions for potato seeds For the season 2012-2013

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The Minister of Agriculture,

Based on Decree No. 5818 dated 13.6.2011 (forming of the Government)

Based on Decree No. 5246 dated 20.6.1994 (organization of the Ministry of Agriculture)

Based on Law No. 31 dated 18.01.1955 (specifying the role of the Ministry of Agriculture)

Based on Law No. 778 dated 28.11.2006 (Plant Quarantine & Phytosanitary Measures)

Based on Decree No. 1/1062 dated 2.11.2012 (conditions to import potato seeds...)

Based on the study established by the Agricultural Resources Directorate Nb. 4/7764 dated 20.11.2012

Based on the recommendation of the Director General of Agriculture,

## Decided the following:

<u>Article 1</u>: Remove the pest *Silver scurf (Helminthosporium solani)* from the List of quarantine pests - Annex (2) of the decree 1/1062 dated 2.11.2012 (Import conditions for potato seeds for the 2012-2013 seasons) without any modifications for the rest.

<u>Article 2:</u> This decree shall be published in the official gazette and shall be enforced the day of its issuance and shall be notified to whom concern.

Beirut on 21/11/2012 Minister of Agriculture

Dr. Hussein El Haji Hassan

## **Copies to be notified to:**

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