SUGGESTIONS FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF SEEDS OF SOME FIELD CROPS

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At the present time a considerable amount of interest is being taken in the certification and registration of seeds. A number of states have seed associations which are growing and developing seeds for certification and registration. It seems from the experience in the United States and Canada that the work of certifying and registering seeds should be done by an independent organization or association of farmers, cooperating closely with the state college of agriculture, for the purpose of growing and distributing improved, high-yielding, and adapted seeds which have been found suitable for the conditions under which they are to be grown. Most of the existing associations are producing several classes of improved seeds.