



EVEN THE "KING" NEEDS PROTECTION



Why  
plant  
variety  
protection

Have you heard of Malaysia's famous "D24" and "Musang King" durians? New varieties of durians are protected under the Protection of New Plant Varieties Malaysia Act 2004.

Breeding a new plant variety requires many resources and thus protection of the plant variety is essential.

A registered plant variety has a protection term of 25 years for trees and vines and 20 years for other plant varieties, calculated from the filing date.