**Application For Registration to Organic Certification**

Business/Company Name**:**       Purchase Order No.:

Surname**:**   First Names**:**

 Postal Address:

 Physical Property Location (if different to above address):

Telephone No:  Mobile:

Fax No:       E-mail:

List and give location details of all Sublicensee\* operators who you use to process your product or any offsite storage &/or any freight forwarder:

*\*Please note that if the sublicensee is not certified in their own right, then the certified operator is fully responsible for the contracted product &/or service and will be subject to sanctions in the event of non-compliance of the contracted party.* ***NB: in most cases such subcontractors may not be used under USDA NOP.***

Scope of Certification: (specify products beside each option e.g sheep, apples etc or if the list is extensive attach a list) [ ]  List attached

[ ]  Livestock Products:

[ ]  Horticulture Products:

[ ]  Processed Products:

[ ]  Aquaculture Products:

[ ]  Apiary / Beekeeping Products:

[ ]  Wild Crop Products:

[ ]  Health & Beauty Products:

[ ]  Retailer – Product types:

[ ]  Exporter – Products:

[ ]  Importer - Products:

[ ]  Wholesaler - Products:

[ ]  Repacker - Products:

[ ]  Storage - Products:

[ ]  Transport - Products:

Are the Products produced intended to be sold directly for Export or indirectly as an ingredient into an export market product. This may be via a packhouse, wholesaler or dairy company. Or is your produce for the Domestic Market only. [ ]  Domestic

**(If for export indicate countries)**

[ ]  EU/GB/Switzerland\* [ ]  USA\* [ ]  Canada\* [ ]  Taiwan\* [ ]  Japan\* [ ]  New Zealand [ ]  Australia

[ ]  Korea\* [ ]  Other list:

*\*Regulated countries for which IFOAM does not provide market access on its own, depending on product type, so may require certification to government standards.*

*NB. At time of issue AsureQuality was not accredited to issue organic certification for China.*

***\*Please note for Overseas based Applicants: AsureQuality does not offer certification to EU, GB, Switzerland, Taiwan, Korea, China.***

Total Area Of Property (*Primary Producers only*):       **ha** *Includes organic and non-organic hectares.*

Total Area For Organic Registration (*Primary Producers only*):       **ha** *Ensure this Area is highlighted on the map.*

Land Valuation Nos:

List the last application of any prohibited materials as prescribed by the AsureQuality Organic Standards (Primary Producers Only):

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | Product | Date |
| Herbicide |       |        |
| Insecticide\* |       |        |
| Fungicide\* |       |        |
| Fertiliser\* |       |        |
| Miticides |       |        |
| Treated Seed |       |        |
| Plant/Insect Growth Regulators |       |        |
| Animal Treatment (if applicable) |       |        |

***NA is not acceptable unless noted with reasons***

Have you been denied access by any other certification agency? [ ]  Yes [ ] No

**Note:**  If yes, you will be required to submit information regarding the reasons for denial and the actions taken to correct the deficiencies leading to the denial.

Do you have any relationship with any consultancy or advisory business/s that could pose a threat to impartiality with AsureQuality? [ ]  Yes [ ] No

**Note:**  If yes, you are required to submit information regarding the names of these business's and the nature of the consultancy.

Have these products been certified organic previously? [ ]  Yes [ ] No

**Note:**  If yes, please detail the products, certification and certification agency in the organic management plan – section one.

Any Other Requirements:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Annual Summary of Planned Organic Throughput |  |
| **The following organic products are estimated will be handled**( based on kg, or litres, or if animals, # units) | From (date):       |
| To (date):       |
| **Product**(& units) | **Next Years Estimate** |
| **Apr - Jun** | **July - Sep** | **Oct - Dec** | **Jan - Mar** | **Total** |
|       |       |       |       |       |       |
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| **The conv./organic ratio will be:** | Organic (%)       | Conventional(%)       |

I agree to carry out my operations in accordance with AsureQuality Limited’s Organic Standard or nominated standard and accept, in the event of infringements, implementation of measures as referred to in Section 3.13 of the AsureQuality Organic Standard. The Standard Terms and Conditions of certification and The Standard Terms of Business have been acknowledged. I/we agree to participate in the Unannounced Audit Programme as a condition of registration with AsureQuality Limited. I/we agree to inform AsureQuality if non-organic product is processed or stored within the production unit. As a prospective registrant in the Official Organic Assurance Program I/we agree to allow AsureQuality to provide access to information on my/our organisation (including financial records) to MPI, & applicable accreditation bodies as required. In the case of a later transference to another certification body, release copies of your control files to the new certification body if required\*.

Agreed:

Signed (Customer): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**If this application includes products destined for Canada also complete the following:**

I confirm that I wish to gain registration under Canadian Organic Regime and will maintain compliance to CAN/CGSB-32.310 & CAN/CGSB-32.31 and inform AsureQuality of any issues that may arise which could affect this registration.

Signed (Customer):       Date:

Return this form with the Organic Management Plan, Additional Information (e.g. maps, input listings etc.) and Credit Application to: organics@asurequality.com