

MOFGA Certification Services, LLC (MCS)



Hemp Compliance Affidavit - 2023

As outlined in the 2018 Farm Bill, hemp, which is defined as *“the plant Cannabis sativa L. and any part of that plant, including the seeds thereof and all derivatives, extracts, cannabinoids, isomers, acids, salts, and salts of isomers, whether growing or not, with a delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of not more than 0.3 percent on a dry weight basis,”* has been removed from the Controlled Substance Act, meaning it is no longer an illegal substance under federal law.

The National Organic Program permits the organic certification of hemp, and MCS accepts applications from hemp growers and hemp processors.

Although hemp is no longer considered a controlled substance, there may be additional federal and state laws that govern the growing, processing, consumption, and distribution of hemp and hemp derived products. Organic certification verifies compliance only with the USDA National Organic Program standards and in no way represents compliance with any additional federal or state regulations or laws.

By signing this document, you confirm your understanding of all applicable state and federal laws and regulations as they pertain to the hemp or hemp derived product(s) which you are requesting for organic certification. You further confirm that you understand that organic certification does not represent compliance with any laws or regulations other than the USDA National Organic Program regulations.

Business Name _____

Producer Name #1 _____

Producer Name #2 _____

Producer Signature #1 Date

Producer Signature #2 Date

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