



# Global Organic Alliance, Inc.

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## REGISTRATION FORM

Complete and sign the registration form and return this form along with the appropriate *non-refundable* registration fees to the above address. Registration fees are due annually on the anniversary date of acceptance by GOA. GOA reserves the right to refuse any applicant who is not in compliance with the regulations. Registration fees will be refunded when an application is refused. Fees are payable in US dollars.

### Applicant Information

Registration Type:  Member  Client  Contract Operation  Private Label Authorization Date:

Name:

Company Name:

Mailing Address:

Physical Address:

City: State: Zip:

Phone: Fax: Cell:

Email: Website:

Business Information:

Sole Proprietorship. Owner's Name:

Partnership. Owner's Names:

Corporation -OR- LLC. State of incorporation:

Name and Address of Contractor:

I/We have read the USDA National Organic Program regulations?  Yes  No

### Add on Programs (Check the programs that compliance or equivalency is being requested)

US/Canada Equivalency Agreement  Import Export Verification (importing or exporting ingredient/product direct or through a broker/trader)

### Scope of Certification – See page 2 for applicable Member and Client fees

Crop  Crop/Livestock Acres: Poultry: Dairy: With:  Handler  Processor  Broker/Trader  
Other:

Produce/Greenhouse With:  Handler  Processor  Broker/Trader

Handler  Processor  Broker/Trader  Retail/Food Service  Supporting

*ONLY SELECT THE PRODUCTION AND/OR HANDLING CATEGORY OR CATEGORIES THAT YOU ARE APPLYING FOR ORGANIC CERTIFICATION. DO NOT SELECT CROP/LIVESTOCK IF YOU ARE NOT SEEKING CERTIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK.*

### Certification History

Currently Certified:  Yes  No If yes, Name of Certifying Agent?

Has this operation ever applied for, or been granted, organic certification?  No  Yes, complete a, b & c below and provide name of certifier:

a) Was your certification or the certification of fields or products ever suspended or revoked?  No  Yes

b) Did you surrender your certification with outstanding non-compliances or conditions?  No  Yes

c) Did you withdraw your application for certification with outstanding non-compliances?  No  Yes

If you answered "Yes" to a, b or c above, provide the years/agencies and attach a copy of all relevant letter(s).

Year(s)/Agency:

Letters Attached:  No  Yes

*An applicant who has received a notice of non-compliance or notice of denial, suspension, or revocation of certification must include a copy of the notification and a description of the corrective action(s) taken to correct the noncompliance, along with supporting documentation.*

Submitting an application for certification does not constitute certification. No reference to the certification program or displays of the certification program logo/seal or use of the Global Organic Alliance, Inc. (GOA) name or logo may be utilized prior to the effective date of certification. I understand that I must agree to the terms of the Licensing Agreement, undergo an on-site inspection and successfully complete the certification process and receive an organic certificate before I am authorized to sell, label, or represent products as organic and use the certification program name and/or logo/seal and the Global Organic Alliance, Inc. (GOA) name and logo. I submit this registration form as accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant: Date:

MEMBER - ANNUAL FEES (US dollars).			
(Balance of Inspection Fees and Royalty Fees are billed separately during the year)			
Scope of Certification (From page 1)	Registration Fee	Certification Fee	Inspection Fee Deposit
Crop or Crop/Livestock	100.00	105.00	200.00
Contract Fee	100.00	105.00	200.00
Produce/Greenhouse	150.00	105.00	200.00
Produce/Greenhouse with Handler, Processor or Broker/Trader	175.00	105.00	200.00
Crop, Crop/Livestock with Handler	115.00	105.00	200.00
Crop, Crop/Livestock with Broker	150.00	105.00	200.00
Crop, Crop/Livestock with Processor	175.00	105.00	200.00
Handler	325.00	105.00	200.00
Broker/Trader	250.00	105.00	200.00
Processor	350.00	105.00	200.00
Retail/Food Service	600.00	105.00	200.00
Supporting Member	40.00		

\*\*Inspectors are third-party contractors and their fees are outside the control of GOA. Total cost of the inspection will vary depending on the TIME SPENT ON-SITE and the location and distance traveled by the inspector and expenses incurred. Additional fees may apply and will be billed after the inspection.

ALTERNATE OPTION CLIENT - ANNUAL FEES (Inspection and Royalty Fees are included in the lump sum payment)			
Scope of Certification (From page 1)			Registration and Certification Fee – US dollars
Crop	Acres	0-99	1000.00
		100-4999	1750.00
		5000-9999	2000.00
		10000 +	3000.00
Livestock	0-9999 poultry or 0-25 dairy		Crop fee + 100.00
	10000-14999 poultry or 26-49 dairy		Crop fee + 500.00
	15000+ poultry or 50+ dairy		Crop fee + 750.00
	Beef, sheep, goats, etc (other than dairy or poultry)		Crop fee + 800.00
Produce/Greenhouse			1750.00
Produce/Greenhouse with Handler, Processor, Broker/Trader			Produce/Greenhouse Fee +1500
Produce/Greenhouse with Handler, Processor, Broker/Trader with Livestock			Produce/Greenhouse Fee +1500 + Livestock fee
Crop, Livestock, Handler			Crop Fee + Livestock fee + 250.00
Crop, Livestock, Broker/Trader			Crop Fee + Livestock fee + 750.00
Crop, Livestock, Processor	Products	≤ 7	Crop Fee + Livestock fee + 850.00
		≥ 8 - 14	Crop Fee + Livestock fee + 1000.00
Contract Operation – Crop or Livestock			1500.00
Contract Operation – Crop with Livestock			2000.00
Handler			2500.00
Broker/Trader			2750.00
Processor (≤ 7 products)			3500.00
Processor (8 – 14 products; ≥ 15 contact the office)			4000.00
Retail/Food Service			5000.00

Client registration fees are due with the submission of the Registration form and payable annually year-to-date thereafter. **Additional fees (i.e. overtime, late season inspections, etc.) that are invoiced by the inspector are the responsibility of the client and will be billed on top of the standard fee above. GOA is not responsible for these additional inspection fees.**

Compliance and Equivalency Verification Fees			
US/Canada Equivalence Agreement:		\$40.00 USD for Crop; \$60.00 USD for Crop, Livestock \$60.00 USD for Handler or Processor	
Import Export Verification		\$60.00 USD	
Private Label Authorization	Labels	≤ 8	\$400.00
		≥ 9+	\$800.00

#### Royalty Fees

The *MEMBER* category pays 1/2 of one percent (.005%) on the gross income of organic product sold with the following exceptions: small grain cleaners and baggers, supporting members, and private label authorizations. Please contact the GOA Office for more information.