

HORTICULTURE COMMISSION

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NURSERY CERTIFICATE INSPECTION APPLICATION

Please fill in all information in the blocks below. Use capital letters to fill out form. **BUSINESS NAME** MAILING ADDRESS **STATE** CITY ZIP CODE PHYSICAL ADDRESS **CITY STATE** ZIP CODE **PARISH CONTACT NAME** Mr. Ms. Mrs. **FIRST BUS. PHONE MIDDLE** FEDERAL TAX ID **LAST** LA STATE TAX ID **SUFFIX** ** SOCIAL SEC # **EMAIL** ** SSN required if applicant is an individual

Class I Acreage (Greater than 2500 sq. ft.) and/or Greenhouse (Greater than 200 sq. ft.)	\$100.00/location
Class II Home Yard (Less than 2500 sq. ft.) and/or Greenhouse (Less than 200 sq. ft.)	\$ 25.00/location

INSTRUCTIONS:

- If you need additional forms, contact Horticulture at (225) 952-8100 or horticulture@ldaf.state.la.us.
- Add location information in the blocks provided. Check class above and remit fee.
- Do not staple payment to your application. Checks or Money Orders are the only method of payment accepted.
- DO NOT MAIL CASH. Make payment to: LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY Mail to: 5825 Florida Blvd., Suite 1003, Baton Rouge, LA 70806.

Application is hereby made for a Nursery Certificate Permit to engage in the sale, shipment, movement, or delivery of nursery stock as defined by R.S. 3:1656. The applicant agrees to the following conditions as prerequisite to being issued such a permit:

- a. To provide adequate facilities to properly maintain plants in a healthy and viable condition.
- b. To grow and offer for sale, only such nursery and/or propagating stock that has been duly inspected and officially certified to, and received by applicant accompanied by an official valid certificate permit tag as issued by the proper official of the State of origin, attached to each bundle or container of such stock.
- c. Not to use or permit to be used any official Louisiana certificate permit tag issued by the State Entomologist of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture & Forestry on any nursery and/or propagating stock except in accordance with Section b. of this application.
- d. To properly spray, dust, treat, dip, or defoliate as directed by the State Entomologist, or an authorized inspector representing the State Entomologist, all nursery, propagating plants grown by me to be moved under my certificate permit.
- e. That if my permit is revoked by the State Entomologist, I shall return to him upon written request, all of my certificate permit tags that have not been used.

Nursery Permit Tags

A current nursery permit tag must accompany each shipment of nursery stock sent out of state. A nursery permit tag order form may be filled out by qualified applicants and sent to the office of the State Entomologist in Baton Rouge. A fee of \$0.10 per tag must accompany each tag order. Please allow at least three weeks for delivery.

Imported Fire Ant Certification

Nursery stock shipped from Louisiana into imported fire ant (IFA) free areas of other states must be treated and certified free of the IFA prior to movement. IFA certification stamps must accompany such shipments. Please contact the office of the State Entomologist or his representatives at the closest district office for additional information about IFA certification.

I (we) hereby agree to abide by the Louisiana Crop Pests and Diseases Law, Rules and Regulations.

SIGNATURE	DATE
NURSERY CERTIFICATE PERMIT	0130 1690 01 1136

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