



## NURSERY CERTIFICATE INSPECTION APPLICATION

Please fill in all information below. Use capital letters to fill out form.

### BUSINESS INFORMATION

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARISH: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

LOUISIANA STATE TAX ID NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (REQUIRED IF APPLICANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL): \_\_\_\_\_

### CONTACT

CHOOSE ONE:      MR.      MS.      MRS.

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MIDDLE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SUFFIX: \_\_\_\_\_

CHOOSE ONE:

Class 1 – Acreage (Greater than 2500 square feet) and/or Greenhouse (Greater than 200 square feet)

Class 2 – Home Yard (Less than 2500 square feet) and/or Greenhouse (Less than 200 square feet)

Amount due per class:

Class 1 - \$100.00 per location

Class 2 - \$25.00 per location

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- If you need additional forms, contact Horticulture at 225-952-8100 or by email at [horticulture@ldaf.state.la.us](mailto:horticulture@ldaf.state.la.us).
- Add location information in the area provided above. 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.** May payment to: **LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND 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 prerequisites 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:** \_\_\_\_\_

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