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**Organic Certification Program
CERTIFICATION FEE SCHEDULE**

An applicant will be charged a fee for each producer or handler application which must be submitted with a new application or an annual certification update form.

1. For each new application, a non-refundable fee of \$75.
2. For each year after the first, a non-refundable fee of \$50.
3. For each new application, and for each calendar year thereafter, the amount from the chart below based on the applicant's estimate of gross income from organic sales in the calendar year for which certification is requested.

<u>Gross Income</u>	<u>Amount</u>
0 to \$5,000	0
\$5,001 to \$15,000	\$50
\$15,001 to \$100,000	\$100
\$100,001 to \$250,000	\$200
\$250,001 to \$500,000	\$300
Over \$500,000	\$500

(a) For handlers, the gross sales fee applies to all organic products handled at a site certified by the Nevada Organic Program.

(b) For producers, the gross sales fee applies only to production from operations certified by the Nevada Organic Program.

(c) The gross sales fee will be refunded if a request for certification is withdrawn in writing and received by the department prior to the initial site inspection for the calendar year certification is requested.

4. For each initial or annual on-site inspection a non-refundable fee of \$25 per hour, for actual inspection time spent at the inspection site or sites, will be charged and billed to the applicant after the inspection has been completed.

5. An annual application for certification that is received by the department after March 1 must be considered late and must be accompanied by a late fee of \$50 in addition to the fee or fees otherwise prescribed by this section.

6. The department will also charge the following additional fees for the fields, sites or areas to be certified after the initial inspection has been completed and for any other additional inspections:

(a) For each hour of inspection, calculated from the inspector's assigned office, \$25.

(b) For mileage, \$0.40 per mile

(c) For the per diem of the inspector, the amounts currently allowed by law for state employees, under the conditions set by the department.

(d) The department will prorate the fees in 6(a)-(c) among the persons whose property is inspected in the same area if all inspections can be completed during the same trip of the inspector, as determined by the department.

7. The director may also charge a reasonable fee to cover the costs of the reproduction and mailing of application forms.