

## FEE SCHEDULE

**Areas of Organic Certification:** Organic Crop or Greenhouse, Organic Poultry, Organic Livestock, Organic Processing and Handling

### I. Organic Crop Production Fees:

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| • <b>Initial Application Fee</b> (Non-refundable) | <b>\$500</b>       |
| • <b>Annual Renewal Fee</b>                       | <b>\$400</b>       |
| • <b>Inspection Fee:</b> (based on acreage)       |                    |
| <u><b>Acreage</b></u>                             |                    |
| first 20 acres (minimum 10 acres)                 | <b>\$10 / acre</b> |
| above 20 acres                                    | <b>\$5 / acre</b>  |

### II. Organic Livestock, Poultry, and/or Handler/Processor Fees:

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| • <b>Initial Application Fee</b> (Non-refundable)   | <b>\$500</b> |
| • <b>Annual Renewal Fee</b>                         | <b>\$400</b> |
| • <b>Inspection Fee:</b> (based on gross sales)     |              |
| <u><b>Gross Annual Sales of Organic Product</b></u> |              |
| <\$15,000 / year                                    | <b>\$100</b> |
| \$15,001 - \$40,000 / year                          | <b>\$200</b> |
| >\$40,000 / year                                    | <b>\$300</b> |

### III. Miscellaneous Fees:

- Postage and handling of unsigned or incomplete applications....Actual cost
- Copies of official documents.....Greater of \$5 or \$0.25/page
- Out of state travel.....Mileage and expenses at Clemson University rate

### IV. Late Fees for Renewals:

- Recertification applications and renewal fees are due at the DPI office no later than 60 days prior to the anniversary date of the applicant's initial certification. Any recertification applications and renewal fees that are submitted after this time period will be charged a \$50.00 late fee.