**APPLICATION TO PURCHASE OR ACT AS COMMISSION MERCHANT, DEALER OR BROKER OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES**

**APPLICATION FEE $30.00**

**State of New Jersey**
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**
**Bureau of Licensing & Bonding**
**PO Box 330, Trenton NJ 08625-0330**
**www.nj.gov/agriculture**

(609) 292-5576

**JAN 1, 20**

**thru DEC 31, 20**

1. Type of organization:  
   - Individual  
   - Corporation  
   - Partnership  
   - Limited Liability Company  
   - Cooperative  
   - Other type of business entity ______________________

2. Applicant operates as a:  
   - Dealer  
   - Broker  
   - Commission Merchant

3. Tax ID or Social Security Number: ______________________

4. Phone No. ______________________

5. Fax No ______________________

6. Trade name ______________________

7. Email Address: ______________________

8. Full names, home addresses and titles of owners, partners, or officers

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9. Name and address of New Jersey person on whom service may be made as provided by law

10. Give names and addresses of agents or buyers authorized to represent applicant in New Jersey for whom agents license cards are desired. Corporation must designate someone to represent the licensee. No limit to the number of representatives.

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11. Check kinds of products you intend to purchase from or handle for New Jersey producers

   - Eggs  
   - Live Poultry  
   - Fruits  
   - Vegetables  
   - Hay  
   - Grain  
   - Straw

12. How long a period customarily elapses between the time applicant receives agricultural products and the time the farmer receives payment

13. What is the total amount owed to New Jersey producers now?

14. Are any payments past due or are there any unsatisfied judgments? If so, state amount and reasons:

15. Has the applicant(s) been involved in any suit, proceeding or hearing before any administrative body or officer or in any court of any state in the United States, relating directly or indirectly to the business for which he is applying for a license?  
   - If so, attach a statement giving full details.
16. Give names and addresses of the New Jersey producers from whom applicant is now purchasing or from whom applicant intends to purchase, handle on consignment, or handle on broker basis.

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17. If applicant operated last year, state the dollar value of agricultural products purchased or received from New Jersey growers.
   
   a. During the maximum business month*** (Oct. 1 - Sept. 30) $ 
   
   b. During the period of 1 year preceding application (Oct. 1 - Sept. 31) $ 

18. If this is a new business, state the estimated dollar value of agricultural commodities purchased from or sold for New Jersey growers.
   
   a. During the maximum business month*** for the licensing year ending December 31, 20_____ $ 

19. Bond or security required = $ 

   Bond or security required shall equal the maximum month's purchases (Line 17A or 18A) multiplied by the number of days before payment is made on those purchases divided by 30. ($5,000 minimum and $150,000 maximum)

20. I (We) declare and affirm, under the penalties provided by law, that this application for license has been examined by me and is true and correct in every detail.

Date __________________ President ____________________________________________________________________________________________

If a corporation, president and secretary must both sign. If a partnership, all partners must sign.

Secretary ____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Please Print ______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Signature _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

NOTE: A $30.00 check or money order, payable to the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, must accompany this application.

Preparers Name _______________________________ Preparers Phone No. __________________________

Please Print ______________________________________________________________________________________________________

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* "Broker" means any person engaged in the business of soliciting or negotiating the sale of any perishable agricultural commodity or hay, straw or grain or any one or more of them on behalf of the grower.

** "Commission Merchant" means any person engaged in the business of soliciting or receiving any perishable agricultural commodity for sale on commission on behalf of the grower thereof.

*** "Dealer" means any person engaged in the business of buying any agricultural commodity from the grower thereof for the purpose of shipping or for sale, resale or manufacture.

** Information will be provided to the Division of Taxation for tax administration purposes.

*** "month" means calendar month.