



LICENSE AGREEMENT FOR THE USE OF THE TRADEMARKS PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

The *Aliments du Québec* and *Aliments préparés au Québec* Trademarks (logos) (the “Trademarks”) are the property of the *Conseil de promotion de l’agroalimentaire québécois* (“The Organization”)

By becoming a member of the Organization and signing the present license agreement governing the use of the Trademarks, I hereby agree to comply with the conditions of membership and product certification. I also acknowledge that the design and promotional development of the Trademarks are an effective marketing tool for Quebec companies offering products whose origin is Quebec certified. As such, I understand that standards apply to the use of these Trademarks on duly certified products.

Thus, by my electronic signature affixed below :

Conditions for Membership and Product Certification

- I understand that certification is issued to a product and not to a company. The use of the Trademarks applies to a specific product and the product must bear the certification duly issued by the Organization.
- I acknowledge that I have read the Organization’s Certification Program as well as the Compliance Program, the documents which govern the issuing of certifications, and I accept all the conditions outlined therein.
- When applying for certification, I agree to provide the list, the proportion and origin of the ingredients as well as the list of suppliers and their contact details, the type of processing performed and the place of processing as well as the product’s label or packaging.
- I accept that the Organization can verify the information provided and that an application may be rejected or terminated if it has been demonstrated that the information provided is not accurate.
- I agree that the Organization will conduct an annual (random or as a result of a complaint or doubt) verification of my file and I also agree to provide access to the information, invoices and production or processing sites to validate compliance with the conditions.
- I undertake to notify the Organization, in writing, of any change to a certified product, including any and all product related information.



Organic Versions

- In the event that an application for certification involves one of the organic versions of the Trademarks, I agree to provide the name of the organic certifying authority and the date of issue of the most recent certificate of organic conformity and to notify the Organization in the event of the abandonment of organic certification or a change of organic certifying authority.

License For Use

- I acknowledge that I have read and agree to abide by the Terms of Use for Trademarks and Graphics Standards.
- I undertake to have a draft of my labels, packaging and other documents bearing the Trademarks or other brand derivatives approved before any printing or publication.
- In the event of non-renewal of my membership, I agree to immediately terminate the use of the Trademarks.

Additional Conditions

- I authorize the Organization to publish the list of certified products on its website or in any publication listing the member companies or certified products.
- I agree that all persons whose contact information is on file will receive electronic communications and/or by mail from the Organization.
- I acknowledge that failure to comply with any of these conditions may result in penalties that will be applied in accordance with the terms and conditions outlined in the compliance program.

Note: All recipes submitted during requests for certification and/or any other element related to the respect of intellectual property will remain confidential.

By signing this form, I declare that I have the authority, rights and powers required to sign this license and to comply with the obligations that will arise.

I have read and I accept the license for use of the Organization's Trademarks or other brand derivatives.

ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE