

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE  
STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**LCB File No. R146-16**

**Statutory Authority - NRS 561.301**  
**Regulatory Authority - Department**

*NAC Application for certificate: Submission; contents. (NRS 561.301, 576.128)*

*1. To obtain a certified aquaculture producer's certificate, a person must submit to the Department, on a form prescribed by the Department, a separate application for each facility where an aquaculture product will be produced.*

*2. The application must include, without limitation:*

*(a) The name, mailing address and telephone number of the applicant;*

*(b) The physical address of the facility where each aquaculture product will be produced;*

*(c) A list of each aquaculture product for which the applicant seeks certification and anticipates that he will produce and offer for sale during the 12 months for which the certificate is valid;*

*(d) The estimated yield of each aquaculture product listed on the application;*

*(e) The fee set forth for the application and the inspection required.*

*3. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, an application must be submitted to the Department at least 30 days before the harvest of an aquaculture product that is listed on the application. The Department may, in its discretion, waive the requirements set forth in this subsection.*

*NAC Fees of Department. (NRS 561.301, 576.128) The Department will charge and collect the following nonrefundable fees:*

*1. For an application for an initial certified aquaculture producer's certificate and the inspection required \$75.00*

*2. For the renewal of a certified aquaculture producer's certificate without an inspection..... \$30.00*

*3. For the inspection of any facility concerning an aquaculture product for which a person seeks a certified aquaculture producer's certificate which is conducted after the initial inspection has been completed and for any other additional inspections:*

*(a) For each hour of inspection, calculated from the assigned office of the inspector, per hour \$50.00*

*(b) The current IRS mileage reimbursement rate per mile calculated from the assigned office of the inspector*

*NAC Inspection of aquaculture facilities indicated on application. Before approving an application for a certified aquaculture producer's certificate, an amended certified aquaculture producer's certificate or a renewed certified aquaculture producer's certificate, the Department, or an authorized representative of the Department, may inspect the facility*

*that is indicated on the application to verify the production of each aquaculture product that is listed on the application.*

*NAC Amendment of certificate.*

*1. If the holder of a certified aquaculture producer's certificate wishes to add an aquaculture product to those listed on his certificate, he must submit to the Department, on a form prescribed by the Department, a separate application to amend the certificate for each aquaculture product and each additional facility.*

*2. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, if a holder of a certified aquaculture producer's certificate wishes to amend the certificate pursuant to subsection 1, the holder must submit an application to amend the certificate at least 30 days before the harvest of any additional aquaculture products. The Department may, in its discretion, waive the requirements set forth in this subsection.*

*3. The application must include, without limitation:*

*(a) The information required pursuant to NAC;*

*(b) An identification of each additional aquaculture product that will be produced*

*4. The Department may waive the inspection of the facility that is indicated on the application to amend a certificate.*

*5. If the Department approves an application to amend a certified aquaculture producer's certificate, the Department will issue an amended certificate which lists the additional aquaculture products that will be produced. The amended certificate expires on the expiration date of the original certificate.*

*NAC Availability of applications. (NRS 561.301, 576.128) An application for a certified aquaculture producer's certificate, an application to amend a certified aquaculture producer's certificate and an application to renew a certified aquaculture producer's certificate may be obtained, free of charge, from the State Department of Agriculture at 405 S. 21st Street, Sparks, Nevada, 89431, or by telephone at (775) 353-3601.*