



NATURALLY PRODUCED VERIFICATION

Use this form to verify that your product or ingredient is produced naturally. MOSA uses [National Organic Program Guidance 5033-1: Decision Tree for Classification of Materials as Synthetic or Nonsynthetic](#) to determine the status of a product or ingredient. This verification needs to be completed and signed by the *original* manufacturer or producer of the input. Any subsequent processing *by a different entity* will require a separate verification form to be completed by that processor.

Varieties or brand name(s) of product(s):

Description of the manufacturing process for each product listed above:

A substance that is derived from mineral, plant, or animal matter and does not undergo a synthetic process is considered natural (aka nonsynthetic).

Is the substance manufactured, produced, or extracted from a natural source? Yes No

If the substance was extracted, please respond to the following questions.

- Has the material been transformed into a different substance via a chemical change? Yes (synthetic) No
- Has the material been altered into a form that does not occur in nature? Yes (synthetic) No
- Have all synthetic materials used to separate, isolate, or extract the substance been removed from the final substance such that they have no technical or functional effect in the final product? Yes No (synthetic)

Has the substance undergone a chemical change so that it is chemically or structurally different than how it naturally occurs in the source material? Yes No (natural)

If the answer is "Yes", please respond to the following questions.

- Was the chemical change created by a naturally occurring biological process, such as composting, fermentation, or enzymatic digestion? Yes No (synthetic) NA
- Was the chemical change created by heating or burning biological matter? Yes No (synthetic) NA

I affirm that the above product(s) were not processed with synthetic substances or additives and are naturally derived and processed products.

Name (please print) _____ Position _____

Company and/or Farm name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Signature _____ Date _____