

Office of Plant Industries and Pest Management

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The Maryland Hemp Production Application has two parts.

## \*\*\* IMPORTANT\*\*\*

### **\*YOUR LICENSE TO GROW WILL NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL BOTH PARTS ARE COMPLETE\***

**Part One** requires applicants to submit contact information, a background check, and a \$50 application fee.

Applicants will receive an authorization number after submitting Part One. Applicants must use this authorization number to register their hemp fields or greenhouses with the FSA (Farm Service Agency).

### Hemp producers are required to file acreage reports with FSA, which includes these steps:

- Obtain a hemp production authorization number issued by Maryland Department Agriculture.
- File an acreage report with FSA, including the license or authorization number and identifying each field or subfield where hemp is planted.

Once Part One is complete applicants will be given the application for Part Two

Upon FSA site registration, applicants will fill out Part Two of the application and pay \$500 per hemp site.

**Part Two** of the application requires applicants to submit information about the locations where they will grow hemp.

- Mailing address
- GPS coordinates
- Detailed map
- FSA Field ID number

# Maryland Hemp

# **Production Application**

### Part 1 of 2

FIRST NAME	
LAST Name	
MIDDLE INITIAL	
ADDRESS	
TOWN	
STATE	
ZIP CODE	
EMAIL ADDRESS	
PHONE	

Please read the following legal conditions and check "I have read the terms and agree to abide by all stated conditions."

DISCLOSURE OF CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS - Maryland's Hemp Program states that "a person with a felony drug conviction within the past 10 years may not grow or cultivate hemp under this subsection and requires applicants to submit fingerprints to the FBI to obtain a criminal history check, proof of which must be submitted as an attachment to this application."

I further acknowledge that a person registered with the department shall allow hemp crops, throughout planting, growing season, harvest, storage, and processing, to be inspected and tested by and at the discretion of the department.

I agree to submit to Maryland Department of Agriculture, planting reports, preharvest reports, post-harvest reports, THC compliance tests, destruction and Annual Production Reports

I certify that the hemp seeds obtained for planting are of a type and variety that do not exceed the maximum tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no more than 0.3 percent on a dry weight basis.

I agree to abide by all Local, State and Federal Laws related to Hemp Production

I declare that all the information contained in this application is true and accurate. I understand that if the department later determines any of this information to be inaccurate, the application and registration may be withheld or terminated.

I have read the terms and agree to abide by all stated conditions.		
Printed Name		
Signiture	Date	

Applicant's FBI Identity Check (Background Check) must accompany this application.

#### **Application Checklist**

- I Completed Application for a Hemp Production License
- I Applicant's FBI Identity Check (Background Check) must accompany this application.

Mail application, supporting materials, and payment (\$50) to:

Maryland Department of Agriculture Turf & Seed 50 Harry S Truman Parkway Annapolis, Maryland 21401