Agricultural Hazardous Materials Exemption Application

Facility Name __________________________________________ Facility ID No. ____________________
Site Address __________________________________________ Owner/Operator ____________________

Owner/Operator Signature__________________________ Print Name______________________________ Date ______

I certify that the facility meets the terms and conditions below, and I request that this facility be exempted from the annual hazardous material reporting requirement of California Health and Safety Code section 25505 (d) and Title 19 of the California Code of Regulations section 2729.4(b), and with the annual fees associated thereof.

Terms and Conditions

1. This facility is a farm whose primary business is cultivating the soil or raising or harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity.

2. This facility handles only the following hazardous materials above the reportable quantities specified in Title 19 of the California Code of Regulations section 2729.1:
   - Gasoline - less than 1,100 gallons are onsite at any one time.
   - Diesel fuel - less than 1,100 gallons are onsite at any one time.
   - NPK fertilizers, not including ammonium nitrate solids - less than 10,000 pounds (1,190 gallons) are onsite at any one time.
   - Lubricating oil - less than 55 gallons of each type, and less than 275 gallons aggregate are onsite at any one time.

3. The facility has submitted a complete Business Plan and Inventory to Yolo County Environmental Health and has paid the annual fees associated thereof at least once.

4. The facility must maintain a current Emergency Response Plan and Description of the Hazardous Materials Employee Training Program on site.

5. The Owner/Operator must review and revise the Business Plan and supporting documentation at least every three years, and submit any changes to Yolo County Environmental Health. Alternatively, if there are no changes, they must certify this to Yolo County Environmental Health.

6. Any of the following changes shall be reported to Yolo County Environmental Health within 30 days:
   - A 100% or more increase in the quantity of a previously disclosed material.
   - Any handling of a previously undisclosed hazardous material above the reportable quantities specified in Title 19 of the California Code of Regulations section 2729.1.
   - A change of business address, business ownership, or business name.

7. The hazardous materials at the facility are handled and stored at least 100 yards from any neighboring residences.

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Pursuant to California Health and Safety Code section 25503.5 (c)(3) Yolo County Environmental Health finds that exempting this facility from the annual hazardous material reporting requirement and associated fees will not pose a present or potential hazard to human health or safety or to the environment or affect the ability of the administering agency and emergency rescue personnel to effectively respond to a release of a hazardous material. The above exempted hazardous materials present a reduced risk on a farm due to the quantities involved, the location, and the seasonal nature of use.

This exemption does not relieve the owner/operator of the facility from any requirements other than those listed above, and Yolo County Environmental Health reserves the right to rescind this exemption if the conditions are not adhered to or if the above finding can no longer be made.

☐ Exemption Approved ☐ Exemption Denied

EHD Supervisor’s signature__________________________ Date signed__________________________