

Request for the use of non-organic mother plants for seed and other plant reproductive material production

If you plan to use non-organic mother plants/ other plants intended for plant reproductive material production according to Regulation (EU) 2018/848, please submit this application to bio.inspecta. Do not use the material before approval. **Planting before obtaining approval can lead to decertification of your crops/ fields.**

The completed form with annexes has to be sent to: international@bio-inspecta.ch

1. Applicant/operator

b.i. Number	
Name of operator	

Please read the following instruction carefully

1. If it is not possible to obtain mother plants/ other plants intended for plant reproductive material that have been produced in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2018/848 for at least one generation, or, in the case of perennial crops, for at least one generation during two growing seasons in sufficient quality or quantity in your country, conventional mother plants/other plants intended for plant reproductive material may be used after approval by bio.inspecta. The approval may be granted based on evidence of the non-availability as follows:
 - Declarations of non-availability of the desired crop/ variety of at least 3 major suppliers in the country;
 - Declaration by the state ministry (declarations by local authorities are not acceptable) about unavailability.
2. The approval is valid for one season.
3. Seedlings of crops with a cultivation cycle completed in one growing season (from the transplantation of the seedling to the first harvest of the product) may not be used in non-organic quality.
4. Mother plants/ other plants intended for plant reproductive material must not be treated with substances not allowed according to the organic standards. Please submit a declaration by the supplier, confirming that the seeds/ vegetative propagating material have not been treated.
5. Mother plants/ other plants intended for plant reproductive material must not be genetically modified. The following seeds need a non-GMO confirmation from the supplier: soya, flax, corn, rapeseed, rice, canola.
Please use the form to be found on the website of bio.inspecta:
www.bio.inspecta.ch, *Vendor declaration non-GMO, 24_2636EN*
6. If you plan to treat the mother plants/ other plants intended for plant reproductive material with allowed inputs in your operation, the treatment must not be done before the treating agent is approved. Please use the form to be found on the website of bio.inspecta:
www.bio-inspecta.ch *Request for approval of plant protection products, 24_2510EN*

Crop common and latin name (specify the plant part purchased)	Desired variety	Supplier: address & website	Not chemically treated (dressed)	Not genetically modified	Needed quantity (kg or number of plants)	Kg/ha	Month of planting
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							

Attachments:

- 3 declarations of suppliers stating non-availability
- Declaration by the state ministry (declarations by local authorities are not acceptable) about un-availability
- Non-treatment declaration by supplier
- Vendor Declaration non-GMO, 24_2636*, filled and signed by supplier

Signature by the operator

..... Place/Date Signature Name and function
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To be completed by bio.inspecta:

Decision by bio.inspecta:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Request is approved for	<input type="checkbox"/> Reg. (EU) 2018/848
<input type="checkbox"/> Request is rejected for	<input type="checkbox"/> Reg. (EU) 2018/848
Explanation & justification	
..... Place/Date Signature & Name