| **OGP 15: Bio Suisse Switzerland Compliance** | | | | | | |
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| *Complete this section if you are seeking certification to export product to Switzerland as Bio Suisse Organic. QCS is an inspection body for ICB AG, the certification body of the Bio Suisse Standard. All Bio Suisse certification decisions are made by* [*International Certification Bio Suisse*](https://www.icbag.ch/) *(ICB AG). Obtain a copy of the Bio Suisse Standards and all related forms from the Downloads section of the ICB AG website:* [*Downloads (icbag.ch)*](https://www.icbag.ch/downloads/downloads.php) | | | | | | |
| 1. **PRODUCT VERIFICATION** | | | | | | |
| 1. Have you been asked by an importer holding a valid license contract with Bio Suisse to acquire Bio Suisse certification in order to sell Bio Suisse certified products through the supply chain for export to Switzerland?  Yes  No 2. List all crops you wish to represent as Bio Suisse certified. | | | | | | |
| **Crops** | | | **Parcel No.** | | **Field No.** | |
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| 1. Is the entire operation organic?  Yes  No    1. If no, describe the plan for gradual conversion to full organic: | | | | | | |
| 1. Does the operation have cultivation or other enduring changes in areas with natural ecosystems with High Conservation Value (HCV)?  Yes  No   If yes, please answer questions below:   * 1. Do you have local knowledge of areas with HCV; particularly any land used for growing the crop(s)?  Yes  No   2. Do you have maps of growing areas and areas around the growing area?  Yes  No If yes, please provide.  **Attached**   3. Have you farmed the area for more than 5 years?  Yes  No  If yes, please provide field(s) history.  **Attached**  1. Is the operation currently certified or audited in accordance to a Social Accountability Standard?  Yes  No 2. If yes, which standard?        **Certificate Attached** | | | | | | |
| 1. **SUPPLEMENTAL FORMS**   Obtain and complete all applicable forms from [Downloads Checklists and Forms (icbag.ch)](https://www.icbag.ch/downloads/downloads/forms.php) and submit them to QCS with your application. | | | | | | |
| **Name of Form** | **Applies to** | | | | | **Check if applicable** |
| Self-Declaration Social Accountability | Operations not currently certified or audited in accordance with a Social Accountability Standard. | | | | | **Attached** |
| Sustainable Water Usage Plan | Operation in areas classified according to the indicator ‘Water Depletion’ as: ‘high (50-70%) or ‘extremely high’ (>75%); or as ‘arid and low water use’ by the [Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas](http://www.wri.org/applications/aqueduct/water-risk-atlas). | | | | | **Attached** |
| Declaration of Compliance with the Prohibition of Genetically Modified Organisms (InfoXGen) | Operations that use or plan to use plant protection product(s) (pesticides) containing microorganisms | | | | | **Attached** |
| **AFFIRMATION**  I affirm that all statements made in this Bio Suisse Compliance Affirmation are true and correct. I understand and agree to the release of all documents to ICB AG related to QCS’ control of my operation including the organic system plan, inspection report, residue analysis, noncompliance and sanctions notifications, EU organic certificate, Bio Suisse documents, communication, and any other information deemed necessary by ICB AG to evaluate compliance with the Bio Suisse standards. I agree to provide further information as required by QCS and authorized representatives of the Bio Suisse. | | | | | | |
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| Signature | | Title | | Date | | | |