

GCIA Organic Program E-News

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The National Organic Program (NOP) requires that all certified operations must update their Organic System Plan (OSP) on an annual basis in order to verify continued compliance. In addition, the OSP must be updated anytime a new product is added; new inputs are planned for use; any changes of name, operator, ownership; when new land is acquired; changes in storage locations, custom operations, label changes, suppliers, shipping/receiving, equipment, pest management, etc. **Changes must be approved by GCIAOCP prior to implementation. Plan updates may be submitted by email, mail or fax.**

So please remember – In order to remain in compliance, you must update the OSP throughout the year.

Should you have any questions, please contact:

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Thank you,

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