



Forest Products Producer Application for Affiliation with the Connecticut Grown Program

Part I: Applicant Information

Name of Business/Facility:				
Mailing Address:				
City/Town:		State: Zip Code:		
Business Phone:		ext.:		
Contact Person:	Phone:	ext.		
*E-mail:				
*By providing this e-mail address you are agreeing to receive official correspondence from DEEP, at this electronic address, concerning the subject application. Please remember to check your security settings to be sure you can receive e-mails from "ct.gov" addresses. Also, please notify DEEP if your e-mail address changes.				
Part II: Product Information				
Check here if additional sheets are necessary, and label and attach them to this sheet.				
List All Products Produced	Check box if product will have the CT Grown Logo	Brief description of Products(s) that will have the CT Grown Logo		

Part III: Certification

"I certif	y that I will comply with the following requirements:			
Any forest products sold as Connecticut-Grown:				
1.	must be harvested, grown and produced using sustainable forestry practices. (Conversion of forest land to non-conservation uses is unacceptable.);			
2.	must be harvested, grown and produced utilizing best management practices as described in DEEP's 2007 Field Guide for Best Management Practices for Water Quality While Harvesting Forest Products;			
3.	must be harvested, grown and produced in compliance with the Connecticut Forest Practices Act (section 23-65f through 23-65o of the Connecticut General Statutes);			
4.	may include trees from urban forests provided there is evidence of a program of urban tree sustainability; and			
 must be harvested, grown and produced in Connecticut in compliance with section 22-38 of the <u>Connecticut General Statutes</u>. Records must be maintained to document that the product came from Connecticut and was produced in a sustainable manner. Products sold under the CT Grown label must have an origin traceable to Connecticut." 				
Signatu	ure of Applicant	Date		
Name of Applicant (print or type)		Title (if applicable)		

Please send this completed form to:

FORESTRY DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
79 ELM STREET
HARTFORD, CT 06106-5127

Note: Requirement 1 - Forest products harvested to convert the acreage from forestland to a non-agricultural use such as parking lot(s), residence(s), commercial or industrial building(s) are unacceptable as the product was not the result of a "sustainable" forest practice. If the product was harvested from the conversion of forestland to agricultural cropland or pastureland, the product would be acceptable because the land is "conserved" in its ability to grown plants, sustain animals, etc.

For further information on the Connecticut Grown Forest Products Program or other topics related to the production of forest products in Connecticut, please contact the Forestry Division at deep.forestry@ct.gov or 860-424-3630.