

REGISTRATION CRITERIA TO OBTAIN THE REGISTRATION OF A REGISTERED CERTIFICATION ORGANIZATION OR A REGISTERED FOREIGN CERTIFICATION ORGANIZATION CONCERNING NATURALLY GROWN CHICKENS (JIDORINIKU), THE ORGANIC AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, AND THE ORGANIC AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT PROCESSED FOODS

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| Items | Criteria |
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| Qualification of persons engaged in the certification affairs | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="555 987 1343 1563">1. A person who acquired respective credits of school subjects described in the middle columns of an attached table according to respective categories of agricultural and forestry products described in the left columns of the attached table in a university under the School Education Law (Law No.26 of 1947) or a school equal to or higher than a professional school under the former Professional School Ordinance (Imperial Ordinance No.61 of 1903) and graduated therefrom or a person who has the attainments equal to or higher than those and also has the experience engaged in the practical affairs described in the right columns of the same table according to respective categories of the agricultural and forestry products noted in the left columns of the attached table for three years or more. <li data-bbox="555 1563 1343 2016">2. A person who acquired the credits of school subjects described in the middle columns of the attached table according to respective categories of the agricultural and forestry products described in the left columns of the table in a high school or a secondary education school under the School Education Law or a secondary school under the former Secondary School Ordinance (Imperial Ordinance No.36 of 1943) and graduated therefrom or a person who has the attainments equal to or higher than those and also has the experience engaged in the practical affairs described in the right columns according to the respective categories of the |

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| | <p>agricultural and forestry products described in the left columns of the attached table for 4 years or more.</p> <p>3. A person who has the experience engaged in the practical affairs described in the right columns of the attached table according to the respective categories of the agricultural and forestry products described in the left columns of the table for 5 years or more.</p> <p>4. A person who is recognized to have the attainments equal to or higher than the persons defined from 1 to 3.</p> |
| Number of persons engaged in the certification affairs | <p>1. The number of persons engaged in the inspection is 2 or more and the number required according to the scale and the number of the fields, plants, or offices to be inspected.</p> <p>2. The number of persons engaged in the judgment is 1 or more and the number required according to the scale and the number of the fields, plants, or offices to be judged.</p> |
| Matters concerning the management of the certification affairs | <p>1. To prescribe provisions concerning the affairs described in the following matters and to conduct the affairs based thereon.</p> <p>(1) Policies for properly conducting the certification affairs and the dissemination of the policies to those engaged in the affairs.</p> <p>(2) Provisions clearly prescribing that a department inspecting the conformity of the technical criteria for the certification and a department judging the affirmative or negative certification based on the results of the inspection are set to be independent from each other and the rights and the responsibility are clearly defined respectively.</p> <p>2. To establish the internal audit system to secure a proper execution of the certification affairs.</p> |

Attached Table

| Categories of agricultural and forestry products | School subjects | Practical affairs |
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| Naturally grown chickens (Jidoriniku) | School subjects concerning the production of livestock products | Production of livestock products or guidance, investigation, or test research concerning production of livestock products |
| Organic | School subjects concerning | Production of agricultural |

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| agricultural products | the production of agricultural products | products or guidance, investigation, or test research concerning production of agricultural products |
| Organic agricultural products processed foods | School subjects concerning the manufacturing and processing of drink and foods | Manufacturing or processing of drink and foods or investigation or test research of them |