



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

A. G. Kawamura, Secretary

October 20, 2010

TO: CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND ALL
INTERESTED PARTIES

A meeting of the California Organic Products Advisory Committee has been scheduled.
Enclosed is the agenda.

Date: Wednesday, November 10, 2010
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Locations: CA Department of Food and Agriculture
Inspection and Compliance Branch
560 J Street, Room 395
Sacramento, CA

The conference room is located inside the Downtown Plaza. Find the elevators across from the Golden One Credit Union on the plaza level. Take the elevator to the third floor and follow the signs to Room 395.

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Please Note: for Committee members requiring airline ticket reservations, or assistance with your travel arrangements, please contact Maria Hicks in the Sacramento Headquarters' Office at the number listed below. A new process for booking airline reservations has been implemented, which requires a birth date and year. Please allow time for an initial setup when calling Maria to book your flight. To book a flight, your birth date is necessary.

Please find the enclosed agenda. If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

David Carlson, Senior Special Investigator
California Organic Program
Inspection and Compliance Branch
Inspection Services

Enclosure(s)



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1. Introductions and Welcome of New Committee Members
2. Election of Officers (Action Item)
3. Public Comments
4. Review and Approval of August 25, 2010 Meeting Minutes (Attachment A)
(Action Item)
5. Orientation Subcommittee for New Members
6. California Department of Public Health Update – Patrick Kennelly
7. State Organic Program Update
 - i. Revenue from Registration (Attachment B)
 - ii. New Registrations (Attachment C)
 - iii. Complaint Report (Attachment D)
 - iv. Appeals Report (Attachment E)
 - v. Regulation/Legislative Update (Attachment F and Attachment G)
 - vi. 2009/10 Fund Condition (Attachment H)
8. Previous Business
9. New Items
10. Next Meeting/Agenda Items
11. Adjournment

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