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Organic Certifications Pvt. Ltd.

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**Subject: List of Fees – COS Regulation and Canadian Organic Standard (COS)/  
Canadian Organic Regime (COR) Updates**

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Dear Valued Clients,

As we step into the new financial year, we extend our warmest greetings and gratitude for your continued trust in Aditi Organic Certifications Pvt. Ltd. Your partnership is the cornerstone of our commitment to excellence in organic certification services.

**Revised Fee Structure:**

We are pleased to share our updated fee structure for certification under the Canadian Organic Standards (COS) for the fiscal year 2024-25, effective April 01, 2024. This modest adjustment is essential to uphold service quality and accommodate operational changes while remaining competitive. For further clarification, please reach out to us.

**COS/COR Updates:**

We've summarized changes in the Canada Organic Regime (COR) Operating Manual for your convenience. Kindly ensure these updated procedures are integrated into your operations.

**Response to Non-Conformity (NC) Report:**

- Submit NC report within 30 days, either with evidence of corrective actions or a detailed plan within 90 working days.
- Extended timelines may be considered on a case-by-case basis.

**Renewal Process:**

- Onsite inspection must occur within 12 months from certificate issuance.
- Submit re-certification documentation three months before certificate expiry.
- Submit intent to maintain certification within six months of certificate issuance.

**Grower Group Certification:**

- Members agree to market through the group exclusively.
- Farmers cannot join multiple groups for the same product.
- Internal inspectors must be group members and trained annually.
- Assessment of internal inspectors' knowledge is required.
- Submit internal inspection reports within defined timelines.

Your support is invaluable as we navigate these updates together. We eagerly anticipate a continued partnership focused on excellence in organic agriculture.

For detailed information on the COS/COR updates refer to the COR Operating Manual version 19, which can be accessed here

<https://inspection.canada.ca/food-labels/organic-products/operating-manual/eng/1389199079075/1554143470958>

Warm regards,  
For ADITI ORGANIC CERTIFICATIONS PVT. LTD.

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