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| **Operation Name:** |  | **Date:** |  |

1. **Hive Information**
2. Complete the following table for each hive/colony to be certified:

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| **Hive Identification** | **Initial Quantity of Supers** | **Age of Colony** | **Product** | **Planned Frequency of Extraction** | **Average Yield** | **Additional Information** |
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*Bee products from an apiculture operation that are to be sold, labeled, or represented as organic must be from colonies and hives which have been under continuous organic management for no less than one year prior to the removal of the bee products from the hive.*

1. **Hive Management**

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| 1. When did you begin, or plan to begin, organic management of the hive(s)? | |  |
| 1. List the date of the last prohibited material application: |  | |

1. Was the foundation wax used?

Yes  No

1. If yes, was the foundation wax replaced, and any existing brood comb removed?

Yes  No

* 1. If you replaced the foundation, was it:

Organic foundation  Plastic foundation dipped in organic or conventional wax  Organic or conventional wax

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| 1. When will your one year transition be completed? |  |

*Once an entire apiary has been converted to organic production, all plastic foundation must be dipped in organic wax.*