



2018 SURVEY OF PREVAILING PRACTICES Turf Farm



Question 1-3 are for employers that hire U.S. workers and/or H-2A workers

1 How many laborers did you employ during the payroll week including **July 22, 2018**? _____
1a. How many H-2A seasonal workers were employed during this period? _____

2 Was housing available for these workers? **YES NO**

2a If YES, how many workers were housed during the survey week? _____

2b Was housing available for families? **YES NO**

2c If Yes, how many family units? _____

2d Did you provide barracks housing for single workers? **YES NO**

2e If Yes, how many barracks? _____

2f If Yes, did workers provide their own bedding? **YES NO**

3 How often do you pay workers?
Daily Weekly Every two weeks Monthly Other_____

(Over)

Questions 4-13 are for employers that hire U.S. Workers only

- 4 Did you use a farm labor crew leader to recruit? **YES NO**
- 4a If Yes, did you pay the crew leader any kind of override? **YES NO**
- 4b Meals per worker _____ per unit _____
- 4c Other _____ per worker _____ per unit _____
- 5 Were workers recruited from beyond the normal commuting distances? **YES NO**
- 6 Was payment of transportation and food advanced to workers? **YES NO**
- 7 What ways do you use to recruit workers? **Maine CareerCenter/Maine JobLink**
(www.maine.gov/joblink)
Help Wanted Sign
Newspaper Ad
Word of Mouth
Internet
Other _____
- 8 If you recruited from other states, did you use an agent? **YES NO**
- 9 Do you require Work Experience? **YES NO**
- 9a If YES, how much work experience is required?
- Number of Days _____ Number of Weeks _____ Number of Months _____
- 10 What other qualifications must your workers have?

- 11 Do you supply the tools, supplies, and equipment needed? **YES NO**
- 11a If NO, what must workers provide? _____
- 12 Do you have a productivity standard? **YES NO**
- 12a If YES, what is your standard? _____
- 13 What is the break-in or training period?
- 1/2 day 1 day 2 days 1 week 2 weeks other _____

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