



MAINE REVENUE SERVICES SALES, FUEL & SPECIAL TAX DIVISION EXEMPTION APPLICATION

CENTER FOR INNOVATION PURSUANT TO TITLE 5, CHAPTER 387

Name of Corporation _____
 Name of Organization _____
Physical Location _____
 Mailing Address _____

The statute reads, “Centers for innovation. Sales to centers for innovation as described in Title 5, section 13141.” PL 2001, c. 95, §6 (NEW); PL 2005, c. 218, §35 (AMD).

The centers established include: A. The Center for Innovation in Biotechnology, which promotes the development of the biotechnology sector; and B. The Aquaculture Innovations Center, which promotes the development of the aquaculture sector. PL 2001, c. 95, §5 (new).

Does the center:

1. *Bring together a cluster of related experience, business activity and technology in order to promote economic growth and target assistance from government development agencies and resources?*
 Yes _____ No _____

2. *Advise the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development, the Maine International Trade Center, the Maine Technology Institute and other state agencies of the needs of a targeted industry?*
 Yes _____ No _____

3. *Serve as a facilitator of state, local and federal efforts directed at developing an industry sector?*
 Yes _____ No _____

4. *Assist in the recruitment of businesses and personnel within an industry sector seeking to relocate to the State?* Yes _____ No _____

5. *Educate, inform and facilitate funding for emerging technologies that are the basis of an industry sector?* Yes _____ No _____

IN ORDER TO PROCESS THE APPLICATION THE FOLLOWING MUST BE INCLUDED:

1. Copy of the Articles of Incorporation, as well as a copy of the Constitution and/or By-laws;
2. Copy of the IRS determination letter indicating 501(c) nonprofit status;
3. Copy of the agreement with the Science and Technology Foundation.

Note: All information contained on this application is subject to **VERIFICATION** by Maine Revenue Services. Maine Revenue Services may request additional information or documentation necessary to determine eligibility.

I hereby certify under the pains and penalty of perjury that _____
 is a center for innovation. I therefore request that a sales, use and service provider tax exemption certificate be issued to the above organization pursuant to 36 M.R.S. §§ 1760(84) and 2557(29).

Date: _____ Signature: _____
 Tel: _____ Printed Name: _____
 Fed ID: _____ Title: _____
 Email: _____ Date Facility Opened: _____

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