SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND REGULATION **DIVISION OF INSURANCE**

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South Dakota Nonprofit Agricultural Organization Certification (For Self-Funded Health Benefit Plans)

I. Basic Information

South Dakota Nonprofit Agricultural Organization Name:	Formation Date
Address	Phone Number
Contact Person Name:	Contact Person Title
Contact Person Email:	Phone Number
Complaint Contact Name:	Complaint Contact Title:
Complaint Contact Email	Complaint Contact Phone
Names of Current South Dakota Members of Governing Board	
Name of Licensed Third-Party Administrator(s):	
Name of Company Appointing Insurance Producers:	
Names(s) of Licensed Insurance Producer(s) Appointed to Sell or Solicit the Health Benefit Plan:	
Name of Reinsurer Authorized to Do Business in South Dakota	NAIC Number

Part II. Certification

The undersigned, on behalf of the nonprofit agricultural organization listed above, certifies it meets the qualifications listed in SDCL 58-1-3.4 for sponsoring a self-funded health benefit plan in South Dakota that:

- 1. Has not been previously offered in South Dakota;
- 2. Will be administered by a licensed third-party administrator;
- 3. Is being sponsored by a nonprofit agricultural organization that:
 - a. Is domiciled in this state;
 - Was created primarily to promote programs for the development of rural communities and the economic stability and sustainability of farmers in this state, as shown by its articles of incorporation;
 - c. Has been in existence for at least twenty-five continuous years, prior to the issuance of health benefits to members of the organization;
 - d. Provides membership opportunities for eligible persons in each county;
 - e. Collects annual dues from the members;
 - f. Holds regular meetings to further the purposes of the members;
 - g. Provides the members with representation on the governing board and committees; and
 - h. Contracts with the third-party administrator;
 - 4. Will be sold by a licensed insurance producer(s);
- 5. Will be reinsured by a reinsurer authorized to do business in South Dakota; and
- 6. Will be marketed consistent with SDCL 58-1-3.4 including prominent disclosures that the plan is not health insurance, is not provided by an insurance company, that the plan is not subject to the laws and rules governing insurance, and that the plan is not subject to the jurisdiction of the South Dakota Division of Insurance.

Submitted by:	
Signature	Date
Printed Name	
Title	