

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & LAND STEWARDSHIP  
**APPLICATION FOR FERTILIZER MANUFACTURER/DEALER/RETAIL/APPLICATOR LICENSE**

Iowa Dept. of Agriculture & Land Stewardship Attn: Fertilizer Bureau Wallace Building 502 E 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
 Des Moines, IA 50319 Tel: 515-281-8597 Fax: 515-281-8888 Checks payable to Secretary of Agriculture

**Mailing Address:**

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Facility License is For:**

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 County: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

If location was previously licensed, name of the previous owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Any person who manufactures, mixes, blends, mixes to customers order, offers for sale, sells, or distributes any fertilizer or soil conditioner in Iowa must first obtain a license from the Secretary of Agriculture and shall pay a **\$10.00 license fee** for each place of manufacture or distribution from which fertilizer or soil conditioner products are sold or distributed in Iowa. Such license fee shall be paid annually on July 1 of each year. Any person other than a manufacturer who offers for sale, sells or distributes specialty fertilizer in the amount of 4000 pounds or more or applies specialty fertilizer (Lawn Applicator) for compensation shall pay an annual inspection fee of \$30.00 in addition to the \$10.00 license fee.

**Check All That Apply Below:**

Only pay \$10 once for License plus additional \$30 if required for Specialty or Lawn applicator

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|--|-----------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| <b>Commercial Fertilizer</b> (\$10 fee) Farm, Agricultural or Specialty fertilizer in bulk or package sizes over 25 lbs.   |                             |  |                                |
| <b>Manufacturer</b>  | <b>Distributor</b>          | <b>Bagged</b>                                  | <b>Bulk</b>                    |
| <b>Liquid Fertilizer</b>   | <b>5000 gallons or less</b> |  | <b>More than 5000 gallons*</b> |
| * If more than 5000 gallons will be stored at facility-secondary containment required, call the Fertilizer Bureau for assistance.  |                             |  |                                |
| <b>Anhydrous Ammonia</b>   | <b>YES</b>                  | <b>NO</b>                                      |                                |
| * An additional application may be necessary if NH3 will be stored at facility- please call Fertilizer Bureau for assistance.  |                             |  |                                |
| <b>Small Package Fertilizer</b> (\$10 fee) *(25 lbs. or less)  |                             | <b>Manufacturer</b>                            | <b>Distributor</b>             |
| *Additional registration fees required for packages of 25 lbs. or less   |                             |  |                                |
| <b>Specialty</b> (Lawn & Garden)<br><b>Annual sales 4000 lbs. or more</b> (\$40)   |                             | <b>Annual sales less than 4000 lbs.</b> (\$10) |                                |
| (\$40 total= \$10 License+\$30 if over 4000 lbs.)  |                             |  |                                |
| <b>Lawn Applicator</b> (\$40 fee) Applies specialty fertilizer to lawns and gardens. If herbicides or pesticides are used in conjunction with fertilizer applications, additional licensing is required. Contact Pesticide Bureau 515-281-5601. Pesticide License does not include licensing for fertilizer application. |                             |  |                                |

Name & Title of Applicant (print)

Signature

Date