Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Bureau of Food Safety and Laboratory Services

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RETAIL FOOD FACILITY PERMANENT LICENSE APPLICATION AND PLAN REVIEW

Chapter 46, Food Code, the Rules and Regulations of the PA Department of Agriculture are issued under the Retail Food Facilities Safety Act of 2010 (3 C.S §§5701 - 5714) and requires that properly prepared plans and specifications for construction, remodeling or alteration of a retail food facility must be submitted to and approved by the Department before food can be prepared, served and sold.

**This application is NOT for Retail Food Facilities located in Local Health Department jurisdictions. Please contact your Local Health Department directly for information on licensing.

SECTION 1: COMPLETE AND MOVE TO SECTION 2

PURPOSE OF THE PLAN REVIEW LICENSE TYPE: RETAIL FOOD FACILITY-PERMINANT PART A: Permanent Structure/Building OR THIS FACILITY IS A: Mobilized Unit (Any operation that moves around) OR Not a Structure/Building or mobile, but always operating at the same location (i.e. Market Stand, Barbeque operation, stick stand) **PART B:** PLEASE SELECT: **■New Food Facility** New construction of a food facility A new food business (in an existing physical structure not previously a food business) Opening a food business that has been non-operational for more than 3 months Currently operating (within the prior 3 months) and licensed food facility in which there will be a significant menu or food service style change. For example; change from a Mexican style restaurant to a fast food facility. Change of Ownership A currently operating food business that will have new ownership but generally the same menu type and food service style, if the facility has been actively licensed and has been operational within the last 3 months. If not, select New Food Business above. Remodel/Change to an Existing Operating Facility A currently licensed and active food facility that is remodeling (non-aesthetic) part or all of the facility or is significantly changing food service style or processing methods. Other, Describe____

SECTION 2: COMPLETE AND MOVE TO SECTION 3 (MUST BE FULLY COMPLETED)

FACILITY INFORMATION

NAME OF FACILITY:			
ADDRESS OF FACILITY:			
Street Number and Name	City	State	Zip Code
County	Township/Borough		
Phone Number	<u>(</u> Fax Ni) umber	
Email Address	((Cell N) (umber or Alternate Ph	one Number
MAILING ADDRESS (If Other Than Above):			
Name Street Address		City/State	Zip Code
PROPRIETOR/OWNER TYPE: ☐ SOLE PROPRIETOR [☐ PARTNERSHIP ☐ L			
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL AT THE ESTABLISHMENT (if NAME and TITLE	*		
PLEASE FILL IN DETAILED INFORMATION ON YOU	R PROPRIETOI	RSHIP ON PAGE 7 O	OF THIS APPLICATION.
SECTION 3: Complete and move to Section 4	l .		
CONSTRUCTION/STI	RUCTURAL I	NFORMATION	
☐ New Construction ☐ No Construction or Char	nges to the Exis	ting facility	
☐ Major Remodel of an Existing Facility ☐ Major	Equipment Ch	ange or Addition	Minor Construction
☐ This is not a Structure or Building (i.e. mobile un	nit, stick stand)		
ALL CONSTRUCTION AND FINISH COAT CHANGES MUST APPLY TO YOUR GENERAL STRUCTURE AND FLOORS, WITH GUIDELINES. AESTHETIC CHANGES, SUCH AS PAINT NEED NOT BE ADDRESSED.	VALLS AND CEIL	ING MATERIALS. SI	EE ATTACHED

SECTION 4: FACILITY FLOOR PLAN & EQUIPMENT SCHEDULE

IF A "CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP", AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 1, SKIP THIS SECTION AND MOVE TO SECTION 5. IF A "REMODEL" ONLY, AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 1, SIGN, ATTACH REMODEL PLANS* AND MOVE TO SECTION 5.

ALL "NEW FACILITIES" AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 1 MUST ATTACH FULL PLANS, SIGN, & MOVE TO SECTION 5.

All facilities must submit **ONE** copy of a facility floor plan/layout, EXCEPT for CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP FOR AN EXISTING FACILITY WHERE NO CONSTRUCTION, REMODELING, OR CHANGES ARE GOING TO OCCUR. This plan must include the basic lay out of the facility, the location of all food service equipment, a listing of the equipment (including manufacturer's names and model numbers), water and sewer connection locations, restroom locations and fixtures, lighting schedules, surface or finish coat materials of floors, walls and ceilings (even if temporary), and site plan showing exterior building structures (including storage areas, trash receptacles, outside refrigeration units, etc...). Plans may hand drawn, to approximate scale, neat and legible. Plans will not be returned to you. The Department has provided a guidance within the "Instructions" for your assistance in complying with this section of the application.

*Remodel facilities only, need only submit a floor plan and the list of equipment for the specific area(s) of the food facility that is affected by the remodel.

I have attached the appropriate floor plan AND equipment list to this application.

Applicant Signature_____ **SECTION 5:** COMPLETE THIS SECTION AND MOVE TO SECTION 6

WATER, SEWER, WASTE INFORMATION

WATER: The facility is using: (Check which one applies)

A public or municipal water supply regulated by DEP. If not municipal community water, the water supplies <u>must</u> be approved by DEP, Department of Environmental Protection (717-783-2300). Written documentation must be provided, such as your assigned Public Water Supply (PWS) number.
A Change of Owner must contact DEP to update information even if a PWS number is assigned to
the facility.
Municipal Supplier, if applicable:
(example: Pa American Water)
A non-public / non-municipal / private water supply (example: well water). A current water test must be provided.
Various water supplies because this is a mobile unit and not filling at one location each time. Operators must always use approved and tested water supplies.

A Current Water Test is Attached and / or I Understand that it is My Responsibility to use ONLY Approved & Tested Water Supplies if Mobile.

Applicant Signature_____

to

SEWER: The facility is using: (Check which one applies)
A municipal/public sewage disposal system.
Name of Sewage Authority:
A non-public sewage disposal system (examples; Sand mounds, holding tanks). For on-lot sewage disposal systems, please contact the local Sewage Enforcement Officer for your municipality and discuss if the current sewage disposal system is appropriate for your food facility. This would not apply if the facility is connected to an approved municipal supply, as listed above.
I contacted my municipality regarding my on-lot sewage disposal system on (date). To the best of my knowledge my on-lot system meets state and/or local codes and is adequate for my Retail Food Facility and functioning properly.
Applicant Signature
For Mobile Units: Appropriate sewage/waste holding tanks that will be disposed of at approved sewage disposal sites.
REFUSE: (Check all that apply & complete fully)
The food facility refuse collector is(company name)
List any other refuse /waste collection companies (ex: grease collection)
This facility is a mobile unit and will use various approved refuse sites for disposal of refuse and waste.
SECTION 6: COMPLETE AND MOVE TO SECTION 7. IF A REMODEL ONLY, SALES TAX INFORMATION IS NOT REQUIRED
ZONING AND OTHER CODES (Signature is required to affirm compliance with the appropriate requirements. Check all that apply)
Facility/Unit/Business is Compliant with Local Zoning requirements.
Facility/Structure is Compliant with <u>All</u> Building Code requirements (electrical, plumbing, ventilation, structural, etc), where applicable.
A license to collect sales tax has been obtained or applied for. For information on applying for a sales tax license, contact the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue - (717) 787-8201. A copy of the sales tax license or proof of application is attached to this application.
According to the PA Department of Revenue rules and regulations, I have determined that my business is exempt from collection of sales tax.
I certify that the facility is compliant with the above checked requirements and any required supporting documentation is attached.
Applicant Signature

SECTION 7: COMPLETE AND MOVE TO SECTION 8

FACILITY SERVICE INFORMATION

PART A:

Tuesday Time _ Wednesday Time _		□Friday □Saturday □Sunday	Time Time Time
If mobile: Events or	locations you routinely attend or set	-	
PART B:			
TYPE OF SERVICE (C	Check all that apply)		
Retail Grocery Store	Farmer Market Stand (immedi	ate consumption foc	ods)
Dine-In Food Service	Take-Out Food Service	Catering	Convenience Store
Mobile Facility	Church/Fire Hall/Non-profit	Bar / Club	On-the-Farm Retail Store
School	Organized Camp	Salvage Food	Frozen Dessert
Other, Describe:			
ГҮРЕ OF MENU (Che	ck all that apply)		
Full Service Menu (n	umerous items) ** attach menu	Limited Menu	(a few items) ** attach menu
Specific Food Items	List items		
Full Service Grocery	with Departments: Bakery I I Other, list		roduce Meat Seafood Dairy
Do you plan on serving a	any raw animal food undercooked, r	aw, or cooked to ord	der? YES NO
Oo you have or have you	applied for a liquor license?	YES NO	
PROJECTED CAPAC	ITY		
Number of seats =	(Include inside and outside	e seating as describe	ed in the instructions. Mark '0' if no seating
Patron served da	aily (projected) =		

PART C:

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

Anticipated # of employees/volunteers, including owner =
Do you have a Certified Food Handler on Staff? YES NO Exempt (non-profit) or other exempt facility
If NO, you will have 90 days from the date your license/registration is issued to make arrangement to send a Person-in Charge to training. Visit our web site at www.EatSafePA.com to obtain a list of courses in your county or to determine if you are exempt from this requirement.
Do you have an employee health policy? YES NO An employee health policy establishes how to handle ill employees, See Sections 46.111 thru 46.115 of the Food Code for clarification. If NO, prior to opening an employee health policy must be established, either in writing or verbal, and presented to every employee of the establishment and your Sanitarian.

SECTION 8: ALL APPLICANTS READ AND COMPLETE

FACILITY OPENING:

Anticipated date of opening and/or ownership settlement of the facility and/or remodeling completed. _____(date)

There are NO fees associated with this Plan Review Application. DO NOT SEND MONEY WITH THIS APPLICATION

License fees will be collected at the time of the licensing inspection and are as follows: (payable to: Commonwealth of PA)

Retail Food License

- "Change of ownership"-- \$82.00
- Remodel Plan Review –no charge
- "New Licenses"
 - o Under 50 seats AND Owner Operated --\$103.00
 - o All others, \$241

Other fees

- Annual Renewals --\$82.00
- 2nd Follow-up inspection Fee --\$150.00
- 3rd or subsequent Follow-up inspection Fee --\$300.00
- Duplicate License Fee \$14.00
- Courtesy inspection Fee \$150.00

This application, along with the floor plan and all other requested materials, as listed above, should be **submitted to you local Regional Office**, as listed on the cover letter. Please allow 3-4 weeks for processing of your plan review/application from the date of post marking. You may be contacted by your regional Food Sanitarian requesting further clarification or information. The Food Sanitarian will contact you with final approval OR you will be sent a letter via USPS with a disapproval, including the reasons, of this plan. Next, an on-site inspection will occur. This **must** happen prior to licensing and opening.

The Applicant understands and agrees that this document is an application for licensure of a retail food facility. The applicant understands and agrees that only a "proprietor" of a retail food facility may obtain a retail food facility license; and that a "proprietor" may be a person, partnership, association or corporation operating a retail food facility within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The applicant verifies that it is a/an (**circle one**): **person, partnership, association, corporation, LLC or LLP**; and that it is the "proprietor" of the retail food facility that is the subject of this application. The applicant verifies that all statements and information in this application is true and correct to the best of the applicant's knowledge, information and belief; and makes these statements subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

FILL IN AND SIGN THE APPROPRIATE BLOCK.

☐ INDIVIDUAL PE	ERSON	☐ PARTNERSHIP:					
Signature		Signature-General Partner	Signature-General Partner				
Legibly Print Name		Legibly Print Name	Legibly Print Name				
 Date		Date	Date				
☐ Corporation O	r Association/Non-Profit Er	ntity:					
	Signature of President / VP (circle which) Date						
	Legibly Print Name						
	Signature of Secretary / Treasurer (circle which) Date						
	Legibly Print Name						
Name of LLC or LLP	ility Company (LLC) or L	imited Liability Partnership (LLP):				
Signature – Member	Date	Signature – Member	Date				
Legibly Print Name		Legibly Print Name					
Signature – Member	Date	Signature-Member	Date				
Legibly Print Name		Legibly Print Name					
OFFICIAL USE ONE LICENSE TYPE: □RE		ENSE EXEMPT					
STANDARDS FOR REVIEW: PERMANENT MOBILE							
APPROVAL PLANS APPROVED, DATE APPLICANT CONTACTED, DATE METHOD							
	ANS DISAPPROVED, DATELETTER MAILED TO APPLICANT, DATE						
Reasons for denial:							
REVIEWING SANITAR	RIAN						

 $^{**}REMINDER: IN \textit{ALL CASES}, A \textit{ FACILITY RECORD MUST BE CREATED IN PAFOODSAFETY AND THE APPLICATION SCANNED AND ATTACHED TO THE FACILITY RECORD. \\$