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**Fixing of Agency for Certification of Land, product and Process under Participatory Guarantee System (PGS India) under Organic Management Practices**

As per directives given by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Dr. PDKV, Akola during the Research Review Committee Meeting 2025, every Agriculture Research Station, Crop Units have to get some piece of land certified under organic conditions. In this regard, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India New Delhi have recognized agencies for certification under PGS (Participatory Guarantee System for India). Accordingly, the quotations were called from recognized agencies for obtaining rates for certifications of Land, product and processes. Accordingly, after following official process the following agency and rate has been finalized.

The In-Charge Research Stations are requested to consider the below mentioned agency and rate for making land, product and process certified under PGS India.

<b>Particulars</b>	<b>M/s. APOF Organic Certification Agency, Row House No. A, Shroff Suhana, Veerbhadra Nagar, Baner, Pune 411045</b>  <b>Email: info@aoca.in</b>  <b>Contact 8806230301</b>
Registration- Organic Certification Charges, Report Preparation (Including TRACE network), Scope Certificate generation etc per hectare per annum	
<b>Certification of Land (Under PGS)</b>	<b>Rs. 1000/- ha/annum</b>
<b>Certification of Product/ Process</b>	<b>Rs. 9000/- per unit /per annum</b>

As per above table, the In-Charge of Research stations are need to submit separate proposal for getting land/product/ process certified under organic management practices

  
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