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Sonoma County Transgenic Contamination Prevention Ordinance No. 6196R

Complaint Reporting Form

Known/Suspected Genetically Modified Organism Production

The Sonoma County Transgenic Contamination Prevention Ordinance (No. 6196R) makes it unlawful for any person, partnership, corporation, firm or entity of any kind to propagate, cultivate, raise or grow genetically engineered organisms in the *unincorporated* portions of Sonoma County. Such organisms are also sometimes referred to as “genetically modified organisms” or “GMOs.”

To make a complaint of a known or suspected violation, fill out the form below. Please email it to our office at sonomaag@sonoma-county.org or print it out and mail, fax, or bring it in to the Department of Agriculture/Weights and Measures. You may also make a report over the phone, giving the information below. Complaints without required information will not be accepted.

If you wish your contact information to remain confidential, please check here:

Contact information marked confidential is not available as public record.

All fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required.

Your Contact Information

Name*: _____

Affiliation/Organization: _____

Mailing Address*: _____

Phone*: _____ Email: _____

Complaint Information

Crop Name*: _____

Planting Date: _____ Stage of Development*: _____

Where on the property the crop is located*: _____

Property Address*: _____

Property Assessor's Parcel Number (if known): _____

Owner Information

Owner Name: _____

Owner Mailing Address: _____

Owner Phone Number: _____

Complaint Narrative*

What evidence do you have that there is, or may have been, a violation of this ordinance? Please be specific. Provide as many details as possible, including dates, what you saw, who you saw, and their name(s) (if known), and any statements that were made.

If you have photos or other documents to include as evidence, please submit them to the Department of Agriculture/Weights and Measures with the completed Complaint Reporting Form.