



PPAQ N°

OUT-OF-QUOTA TAP OPERATION DECLARATION FORM

NOTES

- ◆ Enter your PPAQ number (if any) in the upper right-hand corner of the form
- ◆ The term " sugar bush " refers to all land where maple trees are used to collect and produce maple sap
- ◆ Attach any necessary or applicable documentation or information to this form.

PRODUCER

Name of business or
producer :

NIM (MAPAQ ministerial identification number)

Adresse de correspondance

First and last name producer

Address

Municipality

Postal Code

Email

Phone

Cellphone

Work phone

Fax

PRODUCER'S STATUS

Tick the box that applies :

I currently have an interim quota

I do not have an interim quota

DECLARATION OF TAPS

I acknowledge that I have operated out-of-quota taps and have sold some or all of the production of said taps in bulk or through third-party sales, since _____ harvest.

I hereby declare as follows the number of taps operated each year that applies :

Marketing year	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Number of taps WITHIN quota								
Number of taps OUT OF quota								

ENGAGEMENTS ET DÉCLARATION

I undertake to provide the whole truth regarding the annual production of the products subject to quotas (bulk and third-party sales) yielded from the taps operated within or out-of-quota, and I undertake to enter into a settlement agreement with the Producteurs et productrices acéricoles du Québec (PPAQ) pertaining to the marketing of the yearly production from out-of-quota taps dating back to when the taps were first set up.

As of the 2015 marketing year, I understand that, I will have to pay a penalty of \$1.20/pound, pursuant to Section 22 of the *Règlement sur le contingentement de la production et de la mise en marché du produit visé par le Plan conjoint des producteurs acéricoles du Québec*, on the entire volume of products subject to quotas from out-of-quota taps. The PPAQ will calculate the annual penalty based on total product volume multiplied by the ratio of out-of-quota taps to within-quota taps.

I agree to have the abovementioned quota penalty taken directly from any amount paid to me by the Federation. I also understand that penalties on any volume sold through third parties will be charged based on my declaration and may be paid by cheque.

I understand that production from out-of-quota taps delivered to the sales agency will be paid in accordance with the marketing board regulation (*Règlement sur l'agence de vente des producteurs acéricoles*).

I understand that delivering syrup from out-of-quota taps to the sales agency or selling syrup at retail through a third party without a quota does not confer any acquired rights or future privileges or priority in issuance of a quota and that it does not give legitimacy to out-of-quota production and marketing.

I understand that operating out-of-quota taps does not entitle me to benefit from the quota growth component pursuant to Section 19.2 of the *Règlement sur le contingentement* for as long as I will harvest from out-of-quota taps, unless all syrup produced from such taps is sold directly to consumers.

I undertake to comply with all applicable regulations and the applicable marketing agreement (*Convention de mise en marché*).

I undertake to apply for an additional quota (Increase component) to cover my out-of-quota taps when new quotas will be issued by the PPAQ in the future.

I undertake to produce an up-to-date sugar bush plan within ninety (90) days of signing this form, if I haven't done so already. The sugar bush plan in question will cover all the taps I directly or indirectly operate in any sugar bush.

I undertake not to add or operate any taps other than those stated in my sugar bush plan without the express written authorization of the PPAQ, nor to market products from any sugar bush other than those stated in my sugar bush plan.

AUTRES INFORMATIONS

Signed by _____

(Producer's signature)

On _____

(Date)

In _____

(Municipality)

TRANSMISSION

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N.-B. : Emailed forms will be considered signed