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(a) (1) A person may only act as a farm labor contractor in this State if the person holds a valid certificate of registration issued by the Commissioner.

(2) A registered farm labor contractor shall carry at all times, while engaging in farm labor contracting activities in Maryland, a valid State certificate of registration and shall exhibit it to all persons in this State with whom the farm labor contractor intends to deal as a farm labor contractor or upon request by an authorized State official or employee.

(3) A photograph of the farm labor contractor shall be affixed to the certificate of registration.

(4) A certificate of registration may not be transferred or assigned.

(5) A certificate shall be valid for 12 months from the date of issuance unless sooner suspended or revoked by the Commissioner.

(b) The Commissioner, after appropriate investigation and approval, shall issue a certificate of registration to any person who has filed with the Commissioner a written application containing the following:

(1) Information stating the applicant's permanent place of residence and the farm labor contracting activities for which the certificate is requested;

(2) Information stating each address at which the applicant expects to reside while in Maryland;

(3) The names and addresses of agricultural employers and agricultural associations using his services in Maryland;

(4) The names and permanent addresses of any and all custodians of payroll records required to be kept under this subtitle;

(5) The estimated number of migrant agricultural farm workers the farm labor contractor intends to employ to perform any farm labor contracting activity in Maryland;

(6) 2 recent standard passport size, color photographs of the farm labor contractor;

(7) The applicant's federal registration identification number, if one is required by law;

(8) A statement identifying any facilities to be used to house migrant agricultural workers and who is furnishing those facilities;