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New Consignment Quote Form and Organic Declaration Attestation

The LCBO recently introduced a new <u>Organic Declaration Attestation form</u> which must be completed by any supplier or agent of an organic product as part of the product setup in the Specialty Services program. This will validate organic product submissions prior to shipping and facilitate a quicker turnaround on organic products once arrived. The LCBO also updated their <u>Quote letter</u> with a new field to identify Organic products.

New European Union Wine Labelling Regulations

Assurance Department has now provided clarification and direction – please click HERE.

In that all products supplied to the LCBO must comply with Canadian laws, including the Food and Drug Regulations and the Safe Food for Canadians Regulations, LCBO encourages all suppliers to ensure that products continue to meet the Canadian requirements to mitigate any product flow interruption and corrective labelling fees.

Quality Assurance does specifically note that it is acceptable to use QR codes on labels to present the new EU-required information, which would allow suppliers to continue to use their current Canadian label.

Trade Resources on the B+C Website

We know exporting to Ontario is complicated! Our job is to try to make this process as simple and as seamless as possible for all of our winery partners around the world. To this end, you will find references to the latest information on labelling and other requirements, as well as copies of all the necessary forms and documents required by the LCBO, on the "Trade Resources" page on our website:

https://buyersandcellars.ca/supplier-resources/

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