



Committee on Accreditation  
for Evaluation of Quality

# Accreditation Certificate

N° AC-07-01

On the basis of the evaluation carried out in accordance with the accreditation reference manual, which includes the criteria of *ISO/IEC 17065:2012* and the requirements from the requested accreditation programs, the Committee on Accreditation for Evaluation of Quality (CAEQ) attests that Quality Assurance International Inc., doing business as



**QAI**

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San Diego, CA, 92122  
USA

- is qualified to carry out conformity assessments in the areas described in the appendix, which is an integral part of this certificate, in order to grant certification to individual companies
- is accredited or approved by the competent authorities mentioned in the appendix of this certificate
- is subject to a regular oversight by the CAEQ as a Conformity Verification Body to ensure compliance with the accreditation requirements

Issued in Montréal, Québec, Canada, on February 13, 2017.

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## Appendix to Accreditation Certificate No. AC-07-01

### Quality Assurance International

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The above-mentioned legal entity is accredited for the following certification activities:

| Office(s)   | Scope(s)  | Field(s)  | Area(s)        | Competent Authorities  | Period of Validity                    |
|---|---|---|----------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| 9191 Towne Centre Drive, Suite 200, San Diego, CA, 92122, USA                               | Certification requirements included in Specification Reference Manual for the reserved designation "Organic", based on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National Standards of Canada, Organic Production Systems Standards: General Principles and Management Standards CAN/CGSB 32.310, Permitted Substances Lists CAN/CGSB 32.311</li> </ul> | Products resulting from organic agriculture   | Québec         | Conseil des appellations réservées et des termes valorisants | February 13, 2017 – February 13, 2022 |
|   | Certification requirements included in the Organic Product Regulations (OPR)  | Products resulting from organic agriculture and intended to Canada or in any other country if the equivalency arrangement allows them | Canada, Mexico | Canadian Food Inspection Agency                              | January 8, 2015 – January 8, 2019     |
| NSF de México, S. de R. L. de C. V. 305 Carretera a Campo Militar, Queretaro, 76135, Mexico | Standard ISO/IEC 17065:2012   | Products resulting from organic agriculture under the Mexican Organic Standards   | Mexico         | SENASICA   | March 3, 2017 – March 3, 2022         |