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DATE: May 1, 2025

TO: COSMETIC REGISTRANTS
EXPORT, DISTRIBUTOR AND FREE SALE CERTIFICATE
EXPORT, MANUFACTURER CERTIFICATE
EXPORT, ONE-TIME FEE
EXPORT, SPECIAL WORDING FEE

SUBJECT: FEE INCREASE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, the Food and Drug Branch (FDB) will increase fees by 20.3 percent as authorized by the Budget Act of 2024, in accordance with California Health and Safety (H&S) Code Section 100425. This increase and publication of the fee list is not subject to the regulation adoption requirements specified in Chapter 3.5 (commencing with section 11340) of Part 1, Division 3, Title 2 of the Government Code.

The new fee schedule was determined in accordance with the aforementioned Budget Act criterion based on a review of current expenditures and the revenues needed to support program administration.

The table below shows the current fees and the fee increases taking effect on July 1, 2025. The new amounts will be included in all billing invoices for payments required on or after July 1, 2025.

Export Certificates	Current (Per Certificate)	New (Per Certificate)
Export, Distributor & Free Sale Certificate	\$45	\$54
Export, Manufacturer Certificate	\$28	\$33
Export, One-Time Fee	\$187	\$224
Export, Special Wording Fee	\$131	\$157

Cosmetic Registrations	Current (Annual)	New (Annual)
Cosmetic Registration Fee	\$839	\$1,009

Notary fees will **not** change, as the current fee is \$15, the maximum allowed by the



California Secretary of State.

This letter and the table are posted on the internet at www.cdph.ca.gov/fdb under "Forms and Applications."

If you have any questions concerning the new fee amounts, please e-mail FDB at fdbexports@cdph.ca.gov or contact us at (800) 495-3232.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Benson Yee', with a stylized, cursive script.

Benson Yee, Chief
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