

May 1, 2014

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Internal Revenue Service  
Post Office Box 12192  
Covington, Kentucky 41012-0192

RE: National Association of Plant Breeders, Inc. [REDACTED]

To the Service:

On behalf of the National Association of Plant Breeders, Inc. (NAPB), we hereby apply for a determination letter recognizing NAPB's status as a tax-exempt scientific and educational organization described in Code § 501(c)(3). NAPB is the incorporation of the National Association of Plant Breeders, a previously unincorporated association.

Enclosed in support of the application are:

1. An \$850 check payable to "United States Treasury" to cover the user fee;
2. Form 1023 checklist;
3. Form 2848;
4. Form 1023;
5. Attachment 1 to Form 1023;
6. Announcement of NAPB annual meeting in Tampa, Florida, in June 2013 (Exhibit A to Attachment 1 to Form 1023);
7. Articles of incorporation showing that NAPB was organized as a nonprofit corporation under Wisconsin law on April 20, 2012;
8. NAPB bylaws adopted by the board of directors; and
9. Conflict-of-interest policy adopted by the board of directors.

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Please let us know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

**DeWitt Ross & Stevens** s.c.

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Enclosures

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