

Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division

**CERTIFICATION of WATER SOURCE
LIKELY AFFECTED by AGRICULTURAL LANDS**

Source Name: _____ ; **Source #:** _____
(Assigned from WSD database)

For: _____ ; **WSID #:** _____
(Public Water System Name)

Vermont Statute, 10 V.S.A., Chapter 56, Section 1676a, requires that the applicant for a new source for a public water system certify in the permit that the proposed source will be abandoned, replaced or treated if it becomes contaminated by agricultural activities conducted on agricultural lands.

Based upon findings by the Secretary, there are agricultural lands in the area which are likely to affect the proposed source, but not likely to constitute a public health hazard related to such source.

I hereby certify that the proposed source will be abandoned*, replaced, or treated*** if it becomes contaminated by agricultural activities conducted on the agricultural lands.**

Signature of Source Permit Applicant

Date

Print Name of Applicant

*Abandoning the source requires discontinuing its use as a drinking water source, disconnecting it from the public water system, and if it is a drilled well, closure by a licensed well driller through being filled with grout or native material per the Water Supply Rule, Chapter 21. **Replacing the source requires the use of an alternative water source that is permitted by the Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division.

. ***Treating the source requires that all applicable water quality standards as outlined in the Water Supply Rule, Chapter 21 are continually met using a permitted treatment system.

This form and related environmental information are available electronically at: <http://dec.vermont.gov/water>

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