
**APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
COMMITMENT TO COMPLIANCE (CTC) SCHEME**

The SA Olive Commitment to Compliance (CTC) Scheme for locally produced extra virgin olive oil is a voluntary integrity-based scheme aimed at providing the South African consumer with reassurance regarding the quality of olive oils carrying the compliance seal and therefore a meaningful reason for supporting the local industry.

The CTC seal is primarily intended for finally packaged and labelled products. Members may submit for assessment either (a) finally packaged and labelled products, and/or (b) “Tank Samples” before final packaging and labelling.

It shall be within the sole discretion of SA Olive whether or not to accept an application, and/or to permit the use of the CTC seal on or in association with any olive oil. The acceptance of an application or permission to use the CTC seal is not a legally binding guarantee by SA Olive that either the product or any aspect of its packaging and/or labelling complies with any applicable laws, regulations or standards.

SECTION A: PLEDGE

On behalf of the member, I the undersigned declare, agree and undertake that –

1. The member mentioned below –
 - a. is a member of SA Olive in good standing, or has applied to become a member;
 - b. undertakes to comply with all laws and regulations that apply to the production and labelling of olive oil, and all quality standards required by SA Olive;
 - c. Consents to SA Olive taking any action it considers appropriate to protect the integrity of the CTC scheme;
2. The samples submitted for evaluation consist entirely of olive oil produced in South Africa.

Name and surname of representative (Print):	
Capacity:	
Date:	
Signature:	

SECTION B: MEMBER

Name and address of member (Company/Farm Name, including company registration number):	
Telephone and or mobile number:	
E-mail address:	
Postal address:	

SECTION C: SAMPLE DETAILS

Name of packaged samples or identification of tank samples	Harvest Year	Cultivar (s)	Tank/ Batch number

SECTION D: APPLICATION AND ORDER FOR CTC SEALS AND REPORT

The member hereby applies for CTC seals and submits an order for _____ seals, at 18c each (excl VAT).

Seals will be collected from the SA Olive office. Alternatively please post seals to the postal address mentioned above (at member's risk and cost).

A Tasting Report will be issued for each sample. The report will indicate whether the sample is extra virgin according to organoleptic assessment and will include tasting notes.

The cost of the Tasting Report is: R 300 (excl VAT) per sample.

SECTION E: APPLICATION CHECK LIST

The following must be included with this application:

1. Certificate of chemical analysis including free fatty acid and peroxide values for each sample;
2. 2 x olive oil sample bottles (min 250 ml) for organoleptic tasting purposes, with date of sampling;
3. Copy of front and back label with lot/batch number and best before date clearly indicated.

SECTION F: SUBMISSION AND PAYMENT

The completed application must be **sent by email** to SA Olive (manager@saolive.co.za) before 12 noon **on the Friday prior** to the Monday tasting. Please refer to the **CTC Tasting Dates** on the SA Olive website. No late submissions will be accepted.

The completed application must be submitted with the samples.

SAMPLES WITH INCOMPLETE PAPERWORK WILL BE HELD OVER UNTIL ALL DOCUMENTATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

Invoices will be issued after the tasting session and seals will be invoiced after collection. All invoices are payable on presentation. Seals will only be issued if the previous order has been paid in full.

BANKING DETAILS:

Account Name:	SA Olive Industry Association
Bank:	First National Bank
Account No:	62180346275
Branch code:	200 110

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date application was received:	
Application status	Approved : _____ Not approved : _____
Seals authorized	YES: _____ NO: _____
Specify reason if application is not approved:	
