

2014 Gins, Cottonseed Storage Facilities Registration Renewal Requirement

Food facilities including cotton gins and cottonseed storage facilities are required to register with FDA to renew their food facility registrations this year during the period beginning on October 1, 2014 and ending on December 31, 2014. The FDA Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA), enacted on January 4, 2011, amended the food facility registration requirements of section 415 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FD&C Act). The registration requirements apply to domestic and foreign food facilities that manufacture, process, pack, or hold food for human or animal consumption in the United States. The amended FSMA of the FD&C Act provides that food facilities required to register with FDA must renew their registrations with FDA every other year, during the period beginning on October 1 and ending on December 31 of each even-numbered year. To renew, please click on the following link:

http://www.fda.gov/Food/GuidanceRegulation/FoodFacilityRegistration/default.htm?source=govdelivery&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery