



## States' Biofuels Statutes

### STATE OF LOUISIANA

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#### **§ 3703. Definitions**

As used in this Chapter, the following terms shall have the following meanings, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (1) "Applicant" means a person who applies for designation as a certified market participant.
- (2) "Board" means the Agricultural Industry Board established by R.S. 3:3704.
- (3) "Certified market participant" is an applicant approved by the board to participate in a cooperative endeavor authorized under this Chapter.
- (4) "Commissioner" means the Louisiana Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry.
- (5) "Cooperative endeavor" means a contractual relationship between the state of Louisiana through the board with a person for a public purpose.
- (6) "Ethanol" means an ethyl alcohol which meets all of the following conditions in that it:
  - (a) Has a purity of at least ninety-nine percent, determined without regard to any added denaturants.
  - (b) Has been denatured in conformity with one of the approved methods set forth by the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms.
  - (c) Has been derived from agricultural products.
  - (d) Has been produced in the state of Louisiana wholly from fermentation and distillation in the state of Louisiana.

(7) “Gasohol” means a fuel that contains not more than ninety percent gasoline and at least ten percent ethanol.

(8) “Person” means any individual, partnership, association, corporation, or other legal entity.

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