



# APHIS eFILE PROGRAM UPDATES

BRS is preparing to transition from ePermits to APHIS eFile in 2021. BRS currently has 45 pilot applicants participating in testing and early adoption of APHIS eFile. Applicants can apply for permits and notifications, and submit compliance reports in APHIS eFile. All BRS applicants are invited to use the new system. Beginning April 5, 2021, APHIS eFile will be the only electronic system applicants can use to submit permit applications. Applicants will also be able to use APHIS eFile to request confirmation of exemption from regulation. At that time, BRS will not accept any new applications through ePermits.

## 2021 Transition to APHIS eFILE



**APRIL 1, 2021**

- Last day to submit notifications in APHIS eFile



**APRIL 4, 2021**

- Last day to submit any permit and notification applications in ePermits



**APRIL 5, 2021**

- Applicants must use APHIS eFile to submit permit applications
- Applicants can use APHIS eFile to request confirmation of exemption from regulation

## Early Adoption of APHIS eFile

*Early adoption enables applicants to:*

- Get acquainted with the user interface
- Submit multi-year permit applications
- Take advantage of “Previously Submitted Constructs”
- Set up sharing accounts for their teams

## WANT TO GET A HEAD START?

- Visit <https://efile.aphis.usda.gov/>
- Register with your eAuthentication account
- Submit your first application!

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