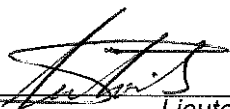


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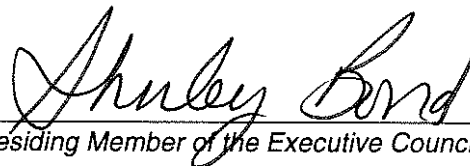

Lieutenant Governor

Executive Council Chambers, Victoria

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that the Recycling Regulation, B.C. Reg. 449/2004, is amended as set out in the attached schedule.



Minister of Environment



Presiding Member of the Executive Council

(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)

Authority under which Order is made:

Act and section:- Environmental Management Act, S.B.C. 2003, c. 53, sections 21 and 138

Other (specify):- OIC 995/2004

October 23, 2008

SCHEDULE

- 1 Section 1 of the Recycling Regulation, B.C. Reg. 449/2004, is amended**
- (a) in paragraph (c) of the definition of “collection facility” by striking out “electronic product category” and substituting “electronic and electrical product category”, and**
 - (b) by repealing paragraph (j) of the definition of “product category” and substituting the following:**
 - (j) electronic and electrical product category; .
- 2 The heading to Schedule 3 is repealed and the following substituted:**

SCHEDULE 3 – ELECTRONIC AND ELECTRICAL PRODUCT CATEGORY .

- 3 Section 2 of Schedule 3 is amended**
- (a) in subsection (1) by striking out “the electronic product category” and substituting “until July 1, 2010, the electronic and electrical product category”, and**
 - (b) in subsection (2) by striking out “The electronic product category” and substituting “The electronic and electrical product category”.**
- 4 Schedule 3 is amended by adding the following sections:**

Electronic and electrical product category – July 1, 2010

- 2.1** Effective July 1, 2010, the electronic and electrical product category is expanded to include the following products:
- (a) electronic or electrical information technology or telecommunication devices or equipment including
 - (i) copying equipment,
 - (ii) typewriters,
 - (iii) pocket and desk calculators,
 - (iv) computer terminals and systems not described in section 2,
 - (v) fax machines, telex machines, telephones and telephone answering systems,
 - (vi) printers other than desktop printers, and
 - (vii) other devices or equipment for collecting, storing, processing, presenting or communicating information, including, without limitation, sounds and images;
 - (b) small electronic or electrical appliances including, without limitation,
 - (i) floor and carpet care appliances,
 - (ii) garment care appliances, including, without limitation, irons and mangles,
 - (iii) appliances for counter top cooking, including, without limitation, toasters, toaster ovens, fryers, hot plates, microwaves, coffee makers, coffee grinders, kettles, blenders, mixers and food processors,
 - (iv) knives,

- (v) devices for opening or sealing containers or packages,
- (vi) devices for measuring time,
- (vii) personal care appliances, including, without limitation, hair cutting and drying appliances, tooth care appliances, shavers and massagers,
- (viii) scales, and
- (ix) portable air treatment appliances, including, without limitation, fans, air purifiers, humidifiers and air conditioners;
- (c) electronic or electrical audio visual and consumer equipment, including, without limitation, radio sets, cameras, video recorders and projectors, audio players, recorders, headphones, microphones, amplifiers, equalizers, speakers, musical instruments, and any other products or equipment for recording or reproducing sound or images, including equipment for distributing sound and images other than telecommunication equipment described in paragraph (a);
- (d) all electronic or electrical lighting equipment, parts and bulbs;
- (e) electronic or electrical toys, including, without limitation, trains, car racing sets, cars and trucks, including remote control and ride on toys, video games and video gaming equipment and consoles;
- (f) electronic or electrical biking, diving, running and rowing machines or computers and other sports equipment with electronic or electrical components;
- (g) electronic or electrical devices for arts, hobbies or crafts;
- (h) electronic or electrical monitoring and control instruments, including, without limitation, smoke detectors, alarm systems, heating regulators, thermostats and appliances for measuring, weighing or adjusting;
- (i) electronic or electrical equipment for use by surveyors, meteorologists and geologists;
- (j) batteries that could be used in an electrical or electronic product listed in this section or section 2, including primary batteries and rechargeable batteries.

Electronic and electrical product category – July 1, 2012

2.2 Effective July 1, 2012, the electronic and electrical product category is expanded to include the following products:

- (a) large electronic or electrical appliances, including, without limitation,
 - (i) large cooling appliances, including, without limitation, refrigerators, freezers and coolers,
 - (ii) clothes washing machines and dryers,
 - (iii) dishwashing machines, whether or not portable,
 - (iv) large heating or cooking appliances for food, including, without limitation, stoves, ranges, ovens and warming drawers,
 - (v) radiators,
 - (vi) large air treatment appliances, including, without limitation, furnaces and large heaters, dehumidifiers and air conditioners,
 - (vii) large fans and exhaust ventilation equipment,
 - (viii) water purifiers, and
 - (ix) trash compactors and food waste disposal appliances;
- (b) electronic or electrical tools, other than large-scale stationary industrial tools, including, without limitation,

- (i) drills, saws and welding and soldering tools,
 - (ii) equipment for turning, milling, sanding, grinding, sawing, cutting, shearing, drilling, punching, folding, bending or otherwise processing wood, metal or other materials,
 - (iii) tools for riveting, nailing or screwing or removing rivets, nails or screws,
 - (iv) sewing machines, knitting machines and other appliances for weaving or processing textiles,
 - (v) snow blowers and mowers and other gardening tools,
 - (vi) slot machines, and
 - (vii) bar code and point-of-sale scanners;
- (c) electronic or electrical appliances that automatically dispense money or products on demand;
 - (d) electronic or electrical medical devices or equipment for detecting, preventing, monitoring, treating or alleviating illness, injury or disability, other than a medical device that has been implanted in a person or that has been exposed to infectious matter.
 - (e) batteries that could be used in an electrical or electronic product listed in this section, including primary batteries and rechargeable batteries.

5 *Section 3 of Schedule 3 is repealed.*

6 *Schedule 3 is amended by adding the following sections:*

Transitional – July 1, 2010

3.1 A producer that wishes to be covered by Part 2 [*Product Stewardship Plans*] of this regulation on July 1, 2010 in relation to the electronic and electrical products set out in section 2.1 of this Schedule must submit, on or before January 1, 2010, a product stewardship plan under section 4 [*submission of product stewardship plan*] of this regulation respecting those electronic and electrical products.

Transitional – July 1, 2012

3.2 A producer that wishes to be covered by Part 2 of this regulation on July 1, 2012 in relation to the electronic and electrical products set out in section 2.2 of this Schedule must submit, on or before January 1, 2012, a product stewardship plan under section 4 of this regulation respecting those electronic and electrical products.

7 *Effective July 1, 2012,*

(a) section 1 of Schedule 3 is amended by repealing the definition of “desktop printer”,

(b) section 2 (1) of Schedule 3 is repealed and the following substituted:

- (1) The electronic and electrical product category consists of the following products:
 - (a) electronic or electrical information technology or telecommunication devices or equipment including, without limitation,
 - (i) computers, whether desktop, laptop, portable or part of other products, printers, computer peripherals and parts of computer systems,
 - (ii) copying equipment,

- (iii) typewriters,
 - (iv) calculators,
 - (v) fax machines, telex machines and telephones and telephone answering systems, and
 - (vi) other devices or equipment for collecting, storing, processing, presenting or communicating information, including, without limitation, sounds and images;
- (b) electronic or electrical audio visual and consumer equipment, including, without limitation, televisions, radio sets, cameras, video recorders and projectors, audio players, recorders, headphones, microphones, amplifiers, equalizers, speakers, musical instruments, and any other products or equipment for recording or reproducing sound or images, including equipment for distributing sound and images other than telecommunication equipment described in paragraph (a);
- (c) electronic or electrical appliances including, without limitation,
- (i) floor or carpet care appliances,
 - (ii) garment care appliances including, without limitation, irons and mangles,
 - (iii) appliances for counter top cooking, including, without limitation, toasters, toaster ovens, fryers, hot plates, microwaves, coffee makers, coffee grinders, kettles, blenders, mixers and food processors,
 - (iv) knives,
 - (v) devices for opening or sealing containers or packages,
 - (vi) devices for measuring time,
 - (vii) personal care appliances, including, without limitation, hair cutting and drying appliances, tooth care appliances, shavers and massagers,
 - (viii) scales,
 - (ix) portable air treatment appliances, including, without limitation, fans, air purifiers, humidifiers and air conditioners,
 - (x) large cooling appliances, including, without limitation, refrigerators, freezers and coolers,
 - (xi) clothes washing machines and dryers,
 - (xii) dishwashing machines, whether or not portable,
 - (xiii) large heating or cooking appliances for food, including, without limitation, stoves, ranges, ovens and warming drawers,
 - (xiv) radiators,
 - (xv) large air treatment appliances, including, without limitation, furnaces and large heaters, dehumidifiers and air conditioners,
 - (xvi) large fans and exhaust ventilation equipment,
 - (xvii) water purifiers, and
 - (xviii) trash compactors and food waste disposal appliances;
- (d) electronic or electrical tools, other than large-scale stationary industrial tools, including, without limitation,
- (i) drills, saws and welding and soldering tools,
 - (ii) equipment for turning, milling, sanding, grinding, sawing, cutting, shearing, drilling, punching, folding, bending or otherwise processing wood, metal or other materials,

- (iii) tools for riveting, nailing or screwing or removing rivets, nails or screws,
- (iv) sewing machines, knitting machines and other appliances for weaving or processing textiles,
- (v) snow blowers and mowers and other gardening tools,
- (vi) slot machines,
- (vii) bar code and point-of-sale scanners;
- (e) all electronic or electrical lighting equipment, parts and bulbs;
- (f) electronic or electrical toys, including, without limitation, trains, car racing sets, cars and trucks, including remote control and ride on toys, video games and video gaming equipment and consoles;
- (g) electronic or electrical biking, diving, running and rowing machines or computers and other sports equipment with electronic or electrical components;
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- (j) electronic or electrical equipment for use by surveyors, meteorologists or geologists;
- (k) electronic or electrical appliances that automatically dispense money or products on demand;
- (l) electronic or electrical medical devices or equipment for detecting, preventing, monitoring, treating or alleviating illness, injury or disability, other than a medical device that has been implanted in a person or that has been exposed to infectious matter;
- (m) batteries that could be used in an electrical or electronic product listed in this section, including primary batteries and rechargeable batteries. , **and**

(c) sections 2.1, 2.2, 3.1 and 3.2 are repealed.