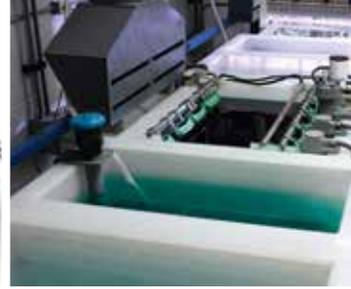


Hazardous Waste Delisting Solutions

Exclusive delisting capabilities remove RCRA waste codes to provide reduced liability and significant economic advantages.



US Ecology's delisting treatment process converts hazardous inorganic wastes into non-hazardous, delisted residuals. As a result, RCRA hazardous waste liabilities are eliminated, and other long-term risks associated with disposal are minimized. This extra measure of protection is the main benefit of delisting.

Delisting offers significant economic advantages as well. Waste that has been delisted can be deposited in non-hazardous landfills—a less expensive, more generally available alternative to hazardous waste landfills. A generator can typically save at least half of traditional hazardous waste landfill cost.

US Ecology is the only commercial treatment company in the United States that is EPA-authorized (*Federal Register, Volume 51, November 7, 1986, page 41323*) to delist 15 inorganic hazardous wastes. We are also able to treat 10 characteristic wastes to non-hazardous standards.

Authorized Waste Codes:

- K002–K008, K062
- F006–F009, F011–F012, F019

The delisting process involves conducting a series of reactions using wastes and reagents to neutralize the waste, precipitate the metals and create insoluble metal compounds.

Throughout the process, data integrity is crucial; elaborate and highly redundant detailed testing procedures ensure that all material leaving each US Ecology facility is in strict accordance with the delisting authorization granted by the EPA.

Once the treatment residue has passed closely monitored quality control procedures, it can be shipped to a non-hazardous landfill for proper disposal. Documentation is then sent to the EPA, showing the laboratory test results and place of disposal. The generator also receives a certificate demonstrating that the waste has been rendered non-hazardous.

Delisting standards are much more aggressive than the standards for normal treatment of these wastes. Treating these wastes to these very tough standards means our customers' waste is more secure. This gives them long-term security that no one else can offer.

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