



## **POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS APPROVAL AND MANIFEST INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS**

Before a PCB waste stream may be accepted by US Ecology at its Beatty, Nevada facility, all generators shall submit to US Ecology, Nevada a Waste Profile Form.

### **MANIFEST REQUIREMENTS**

- Entities who generate, transport, store or dispose of PCB wastes must notify EPA of their activities and obtain an EPA identification number (40 CFR 761.205). The regulations allow the generic identification number "40 CFR Part 761" or a RCRA identification number if a timely notification has been submitted, but an identification number has not yet been issued by EPA.
- The RCRA Uniform Hazardous Waste Manifest must be used to track all shipments of PCBs from the generator to the disposal facility.
- All generators of PCBs with concentrations greater than or equal to 50 ppm must manifest their waste. There is no small quantity generator exemption.
- Generators are required to indicate on the first page of the manifest the total number of pages in that manifest.
- A PCB Control Sheet must be provided with every PCB shipment.
- The generator must sign the manifest certification, which includes a certification of waste minimization efforts.
- The unit of measure must be in kilograms.
- The "date of removal from service for disposal" must be included on the manifest or PCB Control Sheet.
- A One-Year Exception Report must be filed by US Ecology with EPA when the generator fails to send a PCB waste for disposal within nine (9) months from the date of removal from service for disposal.
- The generator will receive a signed return copy of the manifest and a Certificate of Disposal from US Ecology within thirty (30) days from the time of the shipment arrives at the facility.

### **WASTE MARKING REQUIREMENTS**

In addition to existing requirements for the packaging of PCB waste, the following are also required:

- The "Date of removal from Service for Disposal" must be indicated clearly and indelibly on the top and side of each container.
- PCB articles, PCB containers, and PCB article containers must be marked clearly and indelibly with the EPA identification number, and the unique identification number.

NOTE: Different categories of PCB items can not be mixed within the same container. For example, soil (PCB A-1) and light ballasts (PCB F) can not be combined.

Any questions you may have regarding PCB regulations should be directed to the Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Assistance Information Service, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time at (202) 544-1404. Questions regarding the management of your PCBs at US Ecology may be directed to our Customer Service Department at (800) 239-3943.

**All waste streams that are profiled to US Ecology are co-approved by the State of Nevada.**

Upon receipt of your waste stream approval number, you must contact US Ecology to schedule the arrival of your material. **PLEASE SCHEDULE AT LEAST 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE, SO THAT THE UNLOADING OF YOUR MATERIAL WILL NOT BE DELAYED AT THE FACILITY.**