



Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Program (MHSW)

Ontario's Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Program was implemented on July 1, 2008. This is a new program that aims to double the amount of "special waste" that Ontario diverts from landfills and the environment over the next five years by making it easier and more convenient for consumers to responsibly dispose of waste. The introduction of numerous waste collection sites will allow certain materials to be reused and/or recycled rather than disposed of at a landfill.

As part of MHSW, a broad range of materials that require special handling for proper disposal have been identified and companies that sell or distribute these materials for use in Ontario are legally obligated to adhere to the Plan and MHSW Program Rules. In accordance with the program, Cummins Filtration will be implementing a government mandated fee with the purchase of all engine coolant, liquid filters and microbicide products on or before October 1, 2008. This will impact only customers receiving product in Ontario.

The fees outlined below will be indicated on invoices as a separate line item called Environmental Hazardous Charge (EHC). The fees collected will be remitted to Ontario Municipal Hazardous Waste Division to support the financing of the MSHW program on a quarterly basis. While distributors may absorb the fees into the product cost, it is strongly suggested that the EHC fee be identified separately to prevent any cost reporting issues in the future.

Qualifying Item	Units for Fee Rate	Standard Size	Fee Rate
Engine Coolant	\$/litre	Package size greater than 30 liters	\$ -
	\$/litre	Package size less than 30 liters	\$ 0.07
Liquid Filters	\$/unit	8 inches or less	\$ 0.50
	\$/unit	Greater than 8 inches	\$ 1.00
Microbicide	\$/litre	Any quantity	\$ 0.49

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact: MHSW Customer Service at 888.288.3360 or Cummins Filtration Customer Assistance at 800-22FILTER (800.223.4583).