

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Mercury Certification for Scrap Recycling Facilities

Reporting Year: 2024 MassDEP Regulated Interest ID#:

Filing Deadline: To avoid enforcement, please submit this form by March 1, 2025

A. 1) Facility Information

Name of Facility Street Address City/Town State Zip Code 2) Mailing Address (if different) Street Address/ PO BOX City/Town State Zip Code 3) Contact Information Please contact mercury.programs@mass.gov immediately if the Contact Information changes. Name of Contact Person

Contact Telephone

Contact Email Address



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B. Removal of Mercury-Added Switches and Components Before Processing

1) Did you receive any uncrushed vehicles at your business during the reporting year?

□ Yes* □ No**

* If you answered **YES**, **ALL** mercury-added components including mercury-added vehicle switches and mercury high intensity discharge (HID) headlamps¹ must be removed before crushing or processing the vehicles during the reporting year per 310 CMR 74.04(1). Components that do **not** need to be removed per 310 CMR 74.04(2) are;

(a) those that are inaccessible due to significant damage in the area that contained the switch and;

(b) mercury-added lamps used to backlight the dashboard or electronics.

** If you answered **NO**, the vehicle recycler must provide a written certification on a form approved by the Department for all shipments of crushed, partially crushed, flattened or baled vehicle bodies during the reporting year, specifying that all mercury-added vehicle components were removed per 310 CMR 74.04(3).

¹ Resale of removed mercury switches and other mercury-containing devices are prohibited under 310 CMR 74.05.

C. Management of Mercury-Added Switches and Components

All containers used to store mercury-added switches and components that were removed from vehicles **must be labeled and dated** (the date in which you started to store mercury-added components [310 CMR 30.1034(7)(c)], **in one of the following ways** [310 CMR 30.1034(4)(d)]:

- Universal Waste: Mercury-Containing Switches and Components
- Waste Mercury-Containing Switches and Components
- Used Mercury- Containing Switches and Components

Once mercury-added switches and components start being collected in a container, they must be shipped off-site to a facility licensed to handle mercury [310 CMR 30.1037(1)], within one year of the date in which you started storing the items [310 CMR 30.1034(7)(b)].

All containers must be sent to a licensed hazardous waste or recycling firm identified below or to EQ Industrial Services under the End of Life Vehicle Solutions (ELVS) program.

Name of Firm

Street Address

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D. Records Retention

Your business **<u>must</u>** keep records supporting this certification, as required, for at least five (5) years [310 CMR 74.08] and may be required to submit the records to the Department upon request.

E. Environmental Compliance

By completing this form, you are agreeing that the facility manages any hazardous waste spills, that occurred on site, in accordance with Massachusetts Hazardous Waste Regulations per [310 CMR 30.1034(4)(c)] and that all employees that handle mercury-added switches and components are trained in proper handling and emergency procedures per [310 CMR 30.1035] and any other applicable federal, state or local solid waste laws and regulations.

F. Certification Statement

I attest under pains and penalties of perjury:

- That I have personally examined and am familiar with the information contained in this submittal, including any and all document accompanying this certification statement;
- That based on my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, the information contained in this submittal is, to the best of my knowledge, true, accurate, and complete;
- That systems to maintain compliance are in place at the business and will be maintained even if processes or operating procedures are changed; and
- That I am fully authorized to make this attestation on behalf of the business.

I am aware that there are significant penalties, including, but not limited to, possible fines and imprisonment, for submitting false, inaccurate, incomplete or misleading information.

Authorized Signature

Name

Title

Date (MM/DD/YYYY)