

REGULATION (EC) 1418/2007- UPDATE OF THE ANNEX

EXPORT FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION (EU) FOR RECOVERY OF 'GREEN' LISTED WASTE AND MIXTURES THEREOF - QUESTIONNAIRE -

This questionnaire aims at gathering information in order for the European Union (EU) to update Commission Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007¹. The wastes covered by this Regulation are referred to as "green listed waste and mixtures thereof" in the questionnaire. Your response will be used to revise the Regulation and thus to update the rules that the EU waste sector and customs officials of EU Member States should follow when exporting 'green' listed waste for recovery. This will help the EU make sure that you are not sent waste that you do not wish to receive.

PART B

COUNTRY: Trinidad and Tobago

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Questions:

1. Are any of the following conditions applicable to the import for recovery of 'green' listed waste and mixtures thereof² in your country? (please see the full list of waste items in Part C)

- Prohibition
- Prior written notification and consent
- Other control procedures under national law

YES

NO

2. If NO, please disregard the rest of the questionnaire.
3. If YES, please fill in the table below with information relevant to your country. Please check the attached list of wastes (part C) for specific wastes covered under each waste category. The questionnaire also covers mixtures of waste. For each waste category, please insert the specific waste codes (as set out in Part C) in the relevant box in the table below (under column a), b), c) or d)). However if a condition applies to all the specific waste codes in that category, please state "all waste in this category" in the relevant box of the table below. If you wish to reply on paper rather than electronically and if the questionnaire below does not provide enough space to do so, please reply using extra sheets of paper, following the same template.

¹ Commission Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 to certain countries to which the OECD decision on the control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply

² Waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) 1013/2006. Please refer to the explanatory note for information on the link between this list and Annex IX of the Basel Convention.

Waste category	(a) Prohibition	(b) Prior written notification and consent required	(c) No control	(d) Other control procedures
All green ³ listed wastes and mixtures thereof ³				
Metal and metal bearing wastes		GC010 and GC020 Corresponding Basel entry B1110-Electrical and electronic assemblies. The Environmental Management Authority (Competent Authority) processed notifications for the export of e-waste categorized as B1110. No notifications for the import of B1110 received to date.	All other waste in this category.	
Wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic materials			All waste in this category.	

³Waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) 1013/2006. Please see the full list of waste items in Part C.

Wastes containing principally organic constituents which may contain metals and inorganic materials			All waste in this category	
Wastes which may contain either inorganic or organic constituents			All waste in this category	
Glass waste in non-dispersible form			All waste in this category	
Ceramic wastes in non-dispersible form			All waste in this category	
Other wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic materials			All waste in this category	
Solid plastic wastes			All waste in this category	

Wastes arising from tanning and fellmongery operations and leather use			All waste in this category	
Mixtures of wastes ⁴			All waste in this category	

⁴ Mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA to Regulation (EC) 1013/2006. Please see the full list of mixtures in Part C.

4. For imports of 'green' listed waste or mixtures thereof that are subject to "other control procedures" (i.e. the wastes listed in column d) in the above table), please summarise what these control procedures are and where further information can be found:

This question is not applicable.

5. Please provide the reference(s) of the legal text(s) in your country regulating imports for recovery of 'green' listed wastes and mixtures thereof:

	Title of the legal act; Date of entry into force (day/month/year); Web link (where available)
General legislation covering imports of 'green' listed wastes	The National Environmental Policy 2018 states that it is Government's policy that the consent of the Environmental Management Authority (EMA) be sought for the transboundary movement (export, import and transit) of hazardous waste and other waste controlled under the Basel Convention. Please refer the following: https://www.ema.co.tt/images/Files/policies/NEP2018_Final_Proof_v3.pdf There is no domestic legislation which gives effect to the Basel Convention and its Prior Informed Consent (PIC) procedure. General customs requirements will otherwise apply to the import of waste. Please refer to the following: http://www.customs.gov.tt/content/Customs%20Act.pdf
Legislation covering imports of specific types of 'green' listed wastes	No legislation governs the import of specific types of green-listed wastes.

6. Please use the box below to provide any comments or clarifications regarding your reply to this questionnaire (optional).

Please note that the EMA has not received notifications for the import of wastes listed in Annex 9 of the Basel Convention to date. However, the PIC procedure is observed and the EMA will process notifications for the import of green-listed waste if required by the State of Export.

7. Please note that your reply will be considered as an official reply and will be uploaded on this website: <http://wastetradesurvey.eu/> and subsequently on the website of the European Commission⁵.

8. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the public disclosure of the contact details of the respondent.

Agree

Disagree

Thank you very much for your contribution.

⁵<http://ec.europa.eu/trade/import-and-export-rules/export-from-eu/waste-shipment/questionnaires/>