

Responsibilities

Hazardous Waste Receivers

Prior to commencing operations as a receiver of hazardous waste, a licence or an approval from the department must be obtained for the hazardous waste disposal facility in accordance with The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act (the Act).

A hazardous waste disposal facility is defined by the Act as a facility operated for the purpose of treatment, disposal or bulk storage (collection/transfer) of hazardous waste.

Following is a summary of the basic responsibilities of hazardous waste receivers in terms of the hazardous waste tracking system:

- Receivers located in Manitoba must apply to Manitoba Environment and Climate Change for a licence to receive hazardous waste in accordance with The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act (with an exception of certain facilities that are exempted by the Act).
- Submit an application for licence Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act Application Form
- Comply with the terms and conditions associated with the licence.
- Accept hazardous waste only from registered generators and licensed carriers (with the exception of certain materials that are exempted from the legislation).
- Complete Part C of the manifest, send copy of manifest to other appropriate authorities if it is an interprovincial or international shipment and retain a copy for two years.