**E-waste / E-waste components / mixed E-waste fractions**

The new BASEL CODES for E-waste are being implemented globally from the 1st January 2025. In short, this impacts the movement of e-waste and components and mixed fractions derived from e-waste recycling activities.

All shipments will be required to be pre-notified (PICS), and approval given prior to any export.

The European Commission have been considering if it is possible to have a different intra-EU policy so that non-hazardous e-waste and components and mixed fractions may continue (with a new EU code) to be exported as Green List using an ANNEX VII form. However, they do not have a definitive list of what e-waste and components and mixed fractions this may cover.

Please note: Components are likely to include products that have a screen/battery removed (e.g. mobile phones, notepads, unprocessed laptop parts; fans, circuit boards, hard-drives, cartridges, transformers, routers.

Hazardous components and “mixed” output fractions (e.g. shredder heavy or light fractions that contain metals and plastics etc.) will include any component that contains a battery and/or plastic that ‘may’ contain POPs. This of course today is classified differently across the European Union, hence why the Commission are looking at having a unified approach.

**So – your HELP IS NEEDED!**

* Please can you complete the table below to indicate the whole e-waste you currently export (either within the EU or outside of the EU, or from the UK, Switzerland, EEA etc. into the EU).

This could be via Annex VII Green List shipments, or via full PICs approvals as mentioned above – this is not harmonious today!

* If you have any photos to explain your descriptions that would also be very helpful.
* Add extra rows if necessary.

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| **Hazardous** | | |
| Description | List of Waste Code Used (EURAL/EWC) | OECD Code Used  (e.g. GC020 etc.) |
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| **Non-Hazardous** | | |
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If you can please send the completed form back to us before the end of April.