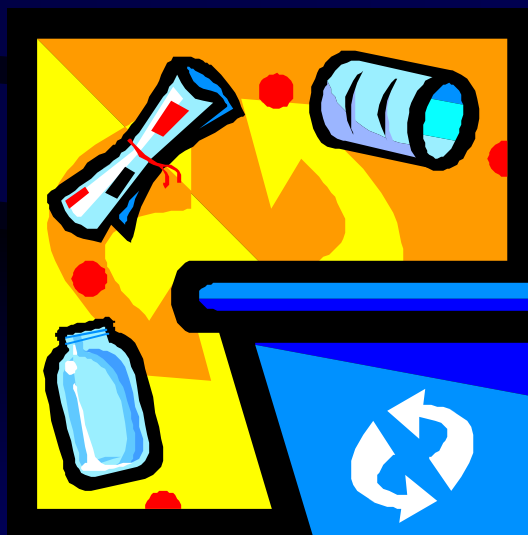


Ontario's Waste Diversion Act



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Bill 90 - Key Features

- Create non-government 3Rs organization - establishes Waste Diversion Ontario (WDO) without share capital
- Framework to fund 50 percent of Blue Box
- Develop diversion programs for used oil, scrap tires, organics, electronics, and HSW
- Ensure level playing field for industry stewards



Waste Diversion Ontario



2 Non-Voting Members
Ministry of the Environment
Non-public service

Observers
Ontario Waste Management Association (OWMA)
Canadian Manufacturers of Chemical Specialties(CMCSA)/
Canadian Paint & Coatings (CPCA)
Ontario Community Newspaper(OCNA)
Paper & Paperboard Packaging Environmental Council (PPEC)



WDO Responsibilities

- Develop Waste diversion programs
- Enhance public awareness, participation
- Ensure fair marketplace
- Funding requirements
- Monitor Industry Stewardship Plans
- Dispute resolution
- Public consultation
- Advice to Minister



Bill 90 - Key Features

- Minister will designate material under WDA
- Once material designated, Minister will ask WDO to develop a waste diversion program
- WDO will create an Industry Funding Organization (IFO), and expert committees to develop program



Potential Designated Materials

- Blue Box Material
- Used Oil
- Household Special Waste
- Scrap Tires
- Organic Waste
- Electronic Equipment
- Batteries
- Fluorescent Lighting Tubes
- Pharmaceuticals



Waste Diversion Program Development

- Designated waste
- Minister's program development letter
- With IFO (new or existing)
- Public consultation\expert panels
- WDO/IFO agreement
- Submit to Minister for approval



Program Approval from Minister

- IFO will develop fee structure and program, with WDO for submission to Minister for approval
- Minister approves program, designates IFO as collector of fees and program is implemented
- An obligated industry can develop an Industry Steward Plan to manage its own waste and will be exempt from fee



Next Steps

- 2nd and 3rd Reading
- Royal Assent-Proclamation
- Set up of Board of Directors
- Operating Agreement between Minister/WDO
- Designating Regulation(s)
- Minister's letter requesting program(s) development



IFO Rules, Stewards and Fees

IFO Rules

- Who must pay fees
- Set fees and timing of payment
- Unpaid fees interest, penalties
- Exempting stewards
- Records to be kept, submitted

Stewards

- Commercial connection
 - brand owner, 1st importer
- Pay fees to IFO
- Keep and submit records

What fees cover

- Program development, implementing and operating cost
- Reasonable share of costs (WDO, MOE)
- Proportion of costs attributable to steward

