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Small Quantity Generator Re-Notification Fact Sheet

In 2016, U.S. EPA adopted the <u>Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements Rule</u>, which included a requirement for all small quantity generators (SQGs) of hazardous waste to renotify EPA of their hazardous waste activities every four years. In 2019, Illinois adopted this rule. The purpose of the re-notification requirement is to ensure that each state has an accurate capture of the SQG universe within its jurisdiction. These data are used for outreach, compliance assistance, and oversight activities. As a result of this change, Illinois EPA will be able to provide more appropriately targeted information to regulated entities.

Who are small quantity generators?

Small Quantity Generators (SQGs) are those facilities that generate more than 100 kilograms, but less than 1,000 kilograms, of hazardous waste per month. <u>Click here</u> for more information about hazardous waste generator categories.

What do small quantity generators need to do and when?

SQGs are now required to re-notify Illinois EPA of their generator status every four years by completing and submitting the Notification of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Subtitle C Activities (Site Identification Form) in full, also known as EPA Form 8700-12. A copy of the paper form is available here.

The first re-notification is due by **September 1, 2021** and every four years thereafter. However, SQGs that notify between September 1, 2017 and September 1, 2021 will not have to renotify prior to that date.

The forms may be printed and mailed to:

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Attn: Records #16
PO Box 19276
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Or scanned and emailed to EPA.FacilityID@illinois.gov