



Australian Government
Department of the Environment,
Water, Heritage and the Arts



FACT SHEET 7

Additional Refrigerant Trading Authorisation conditions

Effective from 1 January 2008

These are additional conditions and do not replace those listed on your Refrigerant Trading Authorisation certificate.

The holder must not supply substances controlled by this authorisation to any person or organisation unless:

- 1. The substance is being supplied to a person or organisation that has provided evidence that they hold a Refrigerant Trading Authorisation that permits them to acquire the substance; or*
- 2. The substance is being supplied (in accordance with the conditions explained below) to a foreign flagged shipping vessel in an Australian port for the purposes of the maintenance of the RAC equipment on board that vessel; or*
- 3. The substance is being supplied (in accordance with the conditions below) to a person or organisation that has provided evidence that they do not intend to use the substance in the refrigeration, air conditioning or fire protection industries, or export the substance.*

The following activities are not considered to be 'supply':

- a. Providing refrigerant to an employee (that holds a refrigerant handling licence) for use in the installation or maintenance of RAC equipment. Note that this does not apply to sub-contractors;*
- b. Charging refrigerant into installed RAC equipment;*
- c. Providing refrigerant in bulk form to a courier or transport company for immediate delivery to a member of one of the three groups described in (1), (2) or (3) above;*

Conditions

Supply to a foreign flagged shipping vessel is allowed subject to the following conditions

- i. The request for supply is made in the approved form;*
- ii. The type and quantity of substance supplied is reasonable for maintenance of RAC equipment on board the vessel;*
- iii. Records are kept in the approved manner; and*
- iv. Records so kept are made available for inspection on request by the Department or relevant authority.*

Supply to a person or organisation for use other than in the RAC or fire protection industries is subject to the following conditions

- i. The request for supply is made in the approved form;*
- ii. The type and quantity of substance supplied is reasonable for the intended use nominated on the approved form;*
- iii. Records are kept in the approved manner; and*
- iv. Records so kept are made available for inspection on request by the Department or relevant authority.*

Forms are available on the Australian Refrigeration Council Ltd website www.arctick.org