



# managing electrical equipment

Cost-effective recycling solutions for PCB and non-PCB electrical equipment.

## Background

Retired electrical equipment may contain regulated materials such as asphalt potting compounds, used oil, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB) or PCB contaminated oils. Because of this, proper disposal and recycling practices must be followed to ensure compliance with environmental regulations. Failure to comply may result in costly environmental liability.

## Why recycle

Recycling reduces the potential for future liability. Valuable ferrous metals, non-ferrous metals and oils, which do not contain PCBs, can be reused.

PCB wastes are regulated under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

Decontamination (recycling) is one of the approved disposal methods contained in the TSCA regulations for PCB equipment. PCBs are also identified as a hazardous substance under the Superfund liability laws.

A waste generator is responsible for the proper disposal of its waste and for cleaning up the effects of improper disposal.

## The Veolia solution

Veolia has the capabilities to handle non-PCB and PCB contaminated materials and offers a unique combination of recycling and total destruction services, including testing, draining, recycling, disposal and asset recovery services for all types of PCB and non-PCB electrical equipment.

## Customized service

Veolia is committed to creating a personalized program to meet our clients' disposal and recycling needs. Our personnel are trained to evaluate each project and/or inventory to determine the most cost effective, turn-key environmentally correct option. This may include recycling, landfill, incineration or a combination of each. We process and recycle the following materials.

- Transformers
- Regulators
- Capacitors
- Circuit breakers
- Re-closers
- Switch gear
- Bushings
- Arrestors
- Wire, cable and oil



### On-site services

Veolia Environmental Services can also provide on-site teams to manage the decommissioning, testing and removal of even the largest pieces of electrical equipment. Our experienced teams are thoroughly trained in a wide range of processing technologies and environmental regulations to ensure your project is coordinated and completed safely, on-time and within budget.



### Asset recovery

Electrical equipment may contain valuable ferrous and non-ferrous metals. We bring a wealth of experience along with a disciplined, strategic approach to ensure maximum values for your metals. Any payment received from Veolia can quickly be applied to off-set labor, transportation, and processing costs, thus providing you a solution that can save you money.



### Why Veolia Environmental Services

#### Environmental compliance

We maintain an excellent record of compliance with regulations governing health and safety and the environment. We follow procedures meticulously with our on-site teams, and continue to focus on the details throughout transportation, treatment and disposal.

#### Financial strength

Veolia Environmental Services is part of the largest environmental services provider in the world, delivering environmental solutions for the past 150 years. With over \$37 billion in revenue, you can be sure we'll be here in the future to protect your long-term liability.

#### Technical expertise

Our account, project and technical representatives understand hazardous and non-hazardous waste. We are ready to assist you in any way, from providing regulatory information to training and setting up recycling programs that save you time and money.

## at a glance

#### Recycling services offered:

- PCB & non-PCB electrical equipment
- Lamp and ballast recycling
- Batteries
- E-Waste
- Mercury waste

#### Facility information:

- Four (4) fully-permitted lighting and electronic recycling facilities, located in AZ, FL, MA and WI.
- RCRA Part B permitted
- TSCA permitted
- CHWMEG audited
- Fully-funded closure plans
- Over forty (40) sales and service offices

#### Transportation information:

- Company-owned transportation
- Audited network of approved third-party transporters
- Thirty-six (36) 10-day in-transit facilities

#### Liability protection:

- Environmentally compliant
- Over \$37 billion in annual revenues
- Pollution coverage
- Contractors operations and professional services protection (COPS)
- Excess umbrella policy
- Global sustainability policies

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