

NORTH LONDON WASTE AUTHORITY POLICY

ON THE PAYMENT OF

THIRD PARTY RE-USE AND RECYCLING CREDITS

(Approved at the Authority meeting on 22nd April 2009)

The Authority has agreed to pay third party re-use and recycling credits subject to a range of conditions:

- i) Only household waste, including waste collected from schools and colleges that is recycled, composted or reused is eligible for a credit.
- ii) All waste must be collected within the area served by the North London Waste Authority and its constituent borough councils.
- iii) The collection of waste for recycling (or re-use) does not conflict with existing Borough collection schemes and is consistent with the North London Joint Municipal Waste Strategy.
- iv) The Authority or the constituent borough councils do not already pay for the waste to be collected or recycled.
- v) All claimants and reprocessors that will collect and recycle waste must be registered and approved at the February Authority meeting for the subsequent financial year. Registrations must be renewed annually.
- vi) Applicants must advise the Authority of such details as are required to budget adequately and verify the claims made. These details may be amended or added to in future but are currently:
 - Organisation name and address
 - Description of recycling or re-use activity
 - Whether the organisation is a not-for-profit, profit-making or charity
 - Location by borough of waste collection points
 - Types and estimated quantities of materials to be collected for recycling or re-use.
- vii) Claims are to be made quarterly during the financial year. Quarterly claims are to be submitted to the Authority within eight weeks of the quarter end.
- viii) The waste collector and subsequent holders of the waste must be fully compliant with the waste Duty of Care and other relevant waste management regulations and evidence to support this compliance must be made available to the Authority.
- ix) All claims are to be submitted in writing to the Authority and must be supported by sufficient evidence to allow the Authority and the constituent borough councils to include the waste in the calculation of National Indicators and to satisfy all our external auditors.
- x) Applications for registration for third party re-use and recycling credits
from profit-making companies or associated organisations (such as nonprofit making trusts or foundations associated with a private, profitmaking company or a company such as a

charity trading company, which covenants 100% of its profits to a charity or other non-profit-making organisation) will not be considered.

- xi) Applications for registration from companies subject to any form of producer responsibility legislation or schemes and for wastes potentially falling within these will similarly not be considered.