



November 10 Webcast: Presentation of Steward Fees for 2012

Question & Answers

SUBJECT	QUESTION	ANSWER
Billing	<p>sbeawerwala@shoppersdrugmart.ca</p> <p>Can we have all 4 invoices at the same time? We will internally approve all at the same time and enter into the system. The system will keep paying on their due dates.</p>	<p>Our system is designed to invoice in quarterly installments and these are programmed to drop at the appropriate times throughout the year. This quarterly invoicing takes into account any revisions, penalties and interest if applicable after the first invoice.</p>
	<p>kfandrich@suncor.com</p> <p>Would it be possible to receive one invoice for the whole year instead of 4 invoices? It would save my company time and money to pay one invoice.</p>	<p>Yes. Please indicate on your first payment that you are remitting the full year obligation. If there are revisions to a steward's reporting, or penalties and interest are accrued, additional invoices may be generated.</p>
Fees	<p>don@whescott.com</p> <p>How soon will the calculators be available? Last year we had to wait quite a while.</p>	<p>The calculators will be available early January 2012. Stewards need to obtain a new calculator every year. The calculators change somewhat from year to year based on new products being included in the calculator. The approval process helps MMSM ensure that stewards are using the most recent calculator. The approval process takes approximately 3 days.</p>
	<p>martin.shaff@pratts.ca</p> <p>I checked the MMSM site and can't see the 2012 fees. When will they be posted?</p>	<p>The draft 2012 Steward fees were posted the November 10, 2012. The Final Steward Fees will be posted early December 2011.</p>
	<p>hbarker@scj.com</p> <p>When will the 2012 preliminary fees you presented today be finalized and published?</p>	<p>The Final Steward Fees will be posted early December 2011.</p>

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	<p>john.cooney@rogers.com</p> <p>Will the industry based calculators be available going forward?</p>	<p>The calculators will be available early January 2012. Stewards need to obtain a new calculator every year. The calculators change somewhat from year to year based on new products being included in the calculator. The approval process helps MMSM ensure that stewards are using the most recent calculator. The approval process takes approximately 3 days.</p>
HST	<p>jim.mcknight@dpsg.com</p> <p>Have you gotten an opinion from the CRA as it relates to HST? The other provinces are not charging GST/HST or QST.</p>	<p>At this point GST is being charged to stewards. MMSM is in discussion with the Canadian Revenue Agency about the GST status of MMSM.</p>
Materials	<p>mtjacob@mmm.com</p> <p>Just to be clear... is a product like windshield washer fluid to be reported in MMSM as well as the HHW program when the latter comes in to place?</p>	<p>Windshield washer fluid containers fall under the MMSM program. Motor antifreeze and its containers belong to the MARRC program.</p>
	<p>traceylink@canrad.com</p> <p>I am a steward in Ontario as well, and report hazardous materials separately. How does Manitoba handle those materials? Do I report? Is there a separate agency and, if so, how do I get a hold of them?</p>	<p>The Government of Manitoba has recently approved program plans for HHW. Some programs have already begun while others will launch in 2012.</p>
	<p>tracey.jones@homehardware.ca</p> <p>The antifreeze program includes containers. Do we exclude them from our MMSM Report?</p>	<p>Motor antifreeze and its containers fall under the MARRC program.</p>
	<p>remy.delisle@akzonobel.com</p> <p>Are there any plans in the future for recycled material content credit?</p>	<p>There are currently no plans.</p>
Program	<p>andriy_yelisyyenko@ca.campbellsoup.com</p> <p>Could you please clarify if CBCRA is mandatory (as MMSM is)? We assumed that CRF of 2 cents per bottle previously charged were replaced with MMSM.</p>	<p>CBCRA is now a regulated program.</p>

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	<p>henryv@envirotechbiz.com</p> <p>Do you anticipate moving to 100 % EPR as Quebec has done?</p>	<p>The Government of Manitoba has not indicated a move to 100%.</p>
	<p>visionquestesc@sympatico.ca</p> <p>Is there any focus on a National Harmonization program?</p>	<p>Thank you for comment. This matter will be brought to the attention of the MMSM Board.</p>
Reporting	<p>jamal.mohamed@ca.usana.com</p> <p>Can you confirm that a First Importer needs to have revenues greater than \$750K in the 2009 data year? Is this deminimis cap increasing for 2011 data year?</p>	<p>Confirmed that \$750,000 is the deminimis level and this will remain the same for the 2011 data year.</p>
	<p>melinda.tan@kaobrand.com</p> <p>Stewardship Ontario's reporting date has moved from March to July. Would you consider extending or changing the reporting date from March to July of each year to be in line with Stewardship Ontario?</p>	<p>MMSM is not proposing any changes to its reporting deadlines.</p>
Stewards	<p>dcunningham@assiniboine.mb.ca</p> <p>Do you have any idea what percentage of eligible steward organizations are actually reporting? Do you have a target percentage you are trying to meet each year?</p>	<p>MMSM's target is to have 100% of obligated stewards. MMSM believes it is close to this target and diligently seeks out new companies that are created each year as well as ensuring that it captures all existing companies.</p>