

Stakeholder Workshop  
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**Considering Rule Changes to the  
Covered Electronic Waste (CEW) Recycling Program:  
Designated Approved Collectors**

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# Facilitated Discussion

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## **How can the Designated Approved Collector provision be improved?**

- Let's explore and discuss specific issue areas
- Please stay within issue area
- Feel free to ask questions and make comments

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## Issue Area: Issuing Designations

- Who should be authorized to issue?
- Definition of “local government”?
- Avoiding unauthorized or inappropriate designations?

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## Issue Area: Advanced Notification

- Similar to DTSC's handler notification?
- Timeframes?
- Issuing authority or designated collector?

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## Issue Area: Context and Conditions

- Relationship between authority and designee?
- Contracts or other binding agreements?
- Rationale for issuance?
- Scope of operations?

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## Issue Area: Limitations

- Limitations on operational models?
- Other uses (e.g. source anonymous)?
- Payment for CEW?
- Use of outside labor?

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## Issue Area: Duration and Termination

- Should there be limits on the length of designations?
- Mechanisms for local government to rescind?
- Mechanisms for State to rescind?

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## **Issue Area: Accountability and Consequence**

- Monitoring designees' activities?
- Reporting (e.g. Form 303)?
- Agency?
- Liability?

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## Issue Area: Miscellaneous Issues

- Are Designated Approved Collectors needed?
- Other models to ensure California sourcing?
- Other issues?

# Next Steps

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- Program will draft proposed language
  - Identify areas in regulations requiring amendments, edits, or deletions
- Publicize proposal(s) and hold workshop(s)
  - Respond to comments, questions, concerns
- Pursue changes under emergency authority