



Australian Government

Department of the Environment,  
Water, Heritage and the Arts



## FACT SHEET 7

# New 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](http://www.arctick.org)