

## WEEE Policy Statement

### WEEE - Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment - Regulations

#### The aim of the European WEEE Regulation:-

WEEE aims to:

- Reduce EEE waste.
- Encourage re-use, recovery and recycling by setting targets for various categories of WEEE.
- Make Producers responsible for the products they manufacture, hire or import.
- All EEE to be marked with a 'crossed out wheelie bin' symbol.
- Establish and maintain a register of EEE Producers.
- Separately collected WEEE must be treated.
- Make Distributors responsible for taking back WEEE free of charge.



**PPM's instruments are designed for professional use and accordingly they are classified as b2b (business to business). We offer our domestic customers a "take back" service for redundant instruments produced from 2006 onwards and properly dispose of them free of charge. Instruments for disposal must be returned using prepaid carriage with an accompanying decontamination certificate.**

**As a voluntary service to our customers we also "take back" instruments manufactured before 2006 free of charge, if a new replacement instrument is purchased.**

In other cases we reserve the right, to charge a cost-covering disposal fee.

For further information and the decontamination certificate email [TOC@pollution-ppm.co.uk](mailto:TOC@pollution-ppm.co.uk) stating your contact details and instrument serial number **prior to the despatch of any instrumentation.**

PPM are part of an approved compliance scheme and are registered with the UK Environment Agency.

**Non domestic customers should contact their local distributor for comparable schemes which may be applicable.**

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