



July 1, 2022

Mr. Jim Wilson
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MED-Project
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Sent via e-mail

Re: CalRecycle's Completeness Determination of MED-Project's Annual Program Budget for Covered Drugs

Dear Mr. Wilson:

The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) received MED-Project USA's (MED-Project) annual program budget for home-generated sharps waste, titled, *MED-Project 2022 Annual Program Budget, State of California, Covered Drugs* on June 1, 2022. Title 14, California Code of Regulations (14 CCR) section 18973.1(b) requires CalRecycle to determine if the annual program budget is complete and notify MED-Project of its determination within 30 days of receipt.

Staff reviewed MED-Project's annual program budget for completeness pursuant to the requirements in the Public Resources Code (PRC) section 42033.2(a)(2) and 42033.2(c) and 14 CCR sections 18973.1(b) and 18973.6 and found the annual program budget incomplete. The annual program budget is missing a statement certifying that the information provided is true and correct, pursuant to 14 CCR section 18973(e).

This completeness determination is separate from the compliance determination that CalRecycle will conduct once it receives an annual program budget it determines is complete pursuant to 14 CCR sections 18973.1(d) through (f).

MED-Project must resubmit its annual program budget to CalRecycle within 30 days of CalRecycle's notification that its annual program budget is incomplete. If CalRecycle determines, upon resubmittal, that MED-Project's annual program budget is complete, CalRecycle shall have 90 days from the date of receipt of the resubmitted annual program budget to review for compliance with all statutory and regulatory requirements and approve, conditionally approve, or disapprove the annual program budget.

Questions regarding this letter may be directed to pharmasharps@calrecycle.ca.gov.

Regards,

Date: July 1, 2022

Signed by: Mindy McIntyre, Chief Deputy Director
on behalf of Rachel Machi Wagoner, Director

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