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NOTICE**TO: Plastic Market Development Payment Program Participants****SUBJECT: Plastic Market Development Payment Rate for 2024**

Effective January 1, 2024, the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, Division of Recycling (Division) use the new Plastic Market Development Payment (MDP) rates as noted in the table below.

To ensure that only California Refund Value (CRV) plastic beverage containers are eligible, the Division each year calculates a new statewide average MDP rates for PET and HDPE. The MDP rates are used to determine the total eligible MDP material for certified entities and product manufacturers after exclusion of all non-qualifying material (out-of-state, plant rejects, industrial scrap plastic, and other non-qualifying plastic material). The rates listed in the table below must be used for claims submitted during the 2024 MDP reporting period.

2024 Plastic Market Development Payment Rate	
Plastic	MDP Rate
#1 PET	90%
#2 HDPE	15%

*Failure to use the above rates for 2024 reporting quarters will result in incorrect claims and payments.

Until further notice, 2024 MDP payments will be issued based on the tiered payment structure as indicated in the [Plastic Market Development Payment Structure notice](#) published on December 8, 2023. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Jim Huck at (916) 323-5778 or marketinformation@calrecycle.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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