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Generators of Oil, Oil Filters and Oil/Antifreeze Containers may receive service charges from Collectors

The recent drop in the commodity price of oil, steel and plastic may cause some Generators in BC to receive service charges from Collectors of this material. The level of the charge will depend on the business agreement between generators and collectors.

BCUOMA provides incentives for the responsible management of oil, antifreeze, oil filters and oil/antifreeze containers. BCUOMA also provides incentives to facilities that take back oil and antifreeze from the public without charge. Historically, when the commodity price has been high, many Generators have been paid for oil and steel picked up directly by Collectors.

The BCUOMA program is funded by its producer members through an Environmental Handling Charge (EHC) that many producers pass through to their suppliers and customers. The BCUOMA's program operates following its bylaws, its government approved Product Stewardship Plan and the BC Recycling Regulation.

For more information on BCUOMA - <http://usedoilrecycling.com/en/bc>

For information on where the public (non-commercial) can drop off oil, antifreeze and many other products at no charge visit <http://www.bcrecycles.ca>

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