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The phase out of Reclaimed R22

At Midnight on the 31/12/2014 we will see the end of Reclaimed R22 and other Reclaimed HCFC's

As of 1st January 2015 it will become illegal to use Reclaimed R22, or other Reclaimed HCFC's for servicing refrigeration and air conditioning equipment. This legislative change, implemented under the Montreal Protocol, will affect the entire Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning industry, as Reclaimed R22 becomes obsolete.

This ban is a SERVICE BAN ONLY; if the system is gas tight you DO NOT have to remove the Reclaimed R22 contained within it. However, be aware, that if (or when) the system leaks, the refrigerant will have to be replaced with a suitable alternative.

This phase out will mean Reclaimed R22 will no longer be available to purchase from FSW on or after 1st January 2015.

More information on the HCFC phase out can be found at www.hcfcphaseout.com





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Reclaimed R22 Disposal Charges

As of 1st January 2015 there will be a charge for the disposal of Reclaimed R22 returned to FSW.

The charge for disposal of Reclaimed R22 will be **£6.00 per kilo**.

Please Note: FSW will not issue a Credit Note for any Reclaimed R22 Cylinders returned new and unused after 31/12/14

Any Reclaimed R22 Cylinders returned new and unused after 31/12/2014 will be charged at the rates below.

To return full / unused cylinders the costs will be as follows:

Reclaimed R22 x 13 kg = £78.00

Reclaimed R22 x 60 kg = £360.00



At this current time Recovered Reclaimed R22 or other HCFC's returned to FSW in A-Gas recovery cylinders will not incur a disposal charge. However, please bear in mind that disposal charges may come into effect in 2015. FSW will continue to provide you with updates regarding any changes.

Please Note: FSW will not offer any credit notes for reclaim cylinders purchased for the return and destruction of Reclaimed R22.

