



State of Louisiana
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Tire Customer Notice

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In accordance with LAC 33:VII.10519.F, "Standards and Responsibilities of Waste Tire Generators and Sellers of Tires," tire dealers shall prominently display to the public sector the notification provided by the administrative authority indicating that:

1. "It is unlawful for any person to dispose, discard, burn, or otherwise release waste tires to the environment in a manner in contravention to the Louisiana Solid Waste Regulations. A fine of up to \$32,500 per day per violation may be imposed on any company or individual who violates these rules and regulations."

2. "All Louisiana tire dealers are required to collect a waste tire cleanup and recycling fee from the consumer at the time of the retail sale of \$2 for each passenger/light truck tire, \$5 for each medium truck tire, \$10 for each off-road tire, and \$1.25 for recapped or retreaded tires. These fees shall also be collected upon replacement of all recall and adjustment tires. Tire fee categories are defined in the Waste Tire Regulations. This fee must be collected whether or not the purchaser retains the waste tires. Tire dealers must accept from the purchaser, at the time of sale, one waste tire for every tire sold, unless the purchaser elects to retain the waste tire. The department does not require the collection of fees on the sale of tires weighing 500 pounds or more, solid tires, or tires which are de minimis in nature, including but not limited to lawn mower tires, bicycle tires, and golf cart tires."

In accordance with LAC 33:VII.10521.F, "Standards and Responsibilities of Sellers of Motor Vehicle," motor vehicle dealers shall prominently display to the public the notification provided by the administrative authority, indicating that:

"All Louisiana motor vehicle dealers selling new vehicles are required to collect a waste tire cleanup and recycling fee from the consumer of \$2 for each passenger/light truck tire, \$5 for each medium truck tire, and \$10 for each off-road tire, upon the sale of each new motor vehicle. These fees shall also be collected upon replacement of all recall and adjustment tires. No fee shall be collected on the designated spare tire. The department does not require the collection of fees on the sale of tires weighing 500 pounds or more, solid tires, or tires which are de minimis in nature, including but not limited to lawn mower tires, bicycle tires, and golf cart tires."

Note: "Tire Dealer" refers to those dealers who engage in the retail sale of new and used tires, as defined in LAC 33:VII.10505.

Note: "Motor Vehicle Dealer" refers to any person, business or firm registered with the state of Louisiana that engages in the commercial sale or lease of new motor vehicles, as defined in LAC 33:VII.10505.