



BEVERAGE CONTAINER MANAGEMENT BOARD

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NOTICE TO ALL DEPOTS: UNLABELLED/DEFORMED PET BOTTLES IN EDMONTON

Attention Depot operators and staff,

The BCMB was notified by an Edmonton Depot of a male customer driving an unknown vehicle with Alberta plate BJP 5514, attempting to return a large quantity of unlabelled PET bottles. A number of the containers are also deformed/misshapen which suggests that the bottles are likely unused product that did not make it past manufacturing, and therefore non-deposit bearing. The individual did fill out and sign the Container Validation Request (CVR) form, however he did leave the Depot with several bags full of the product. The BCMB will follow up with the customer in order to determine the origin of the material.

Please be aware that these containers could be brought into your Depot in the near future (especially if you are in close proximity/Edmonton area). If you suspect that these containers have arrived at your Depot, have the individual fill out the CVR form (attached) and **do not pay for these containers**. Please quarantine the containers at your Depot – do not provide a refund to the customer and do not ship the containers to ABCRC until advised by the BCMB. Be sure to document how many bags were left and provide the customer with the BCMB phone number so he knows who to contact regarding these containers.

If the customer remains unwilling to fill out the form and wishes to leave with the product they may do so but please make note of the encounter and notify the BCMB.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

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