

What's New – v.1.9

The Waste System Version 1.9 release contains the following enhancements.

1. Fully Functional Waste/HBS Interface

The processing of waste invoices used to involve manually keying in the HBS, the FS 702 volumes by species and grade, and in respect of them, inputting the applicable 12-month average waste rates. Effective May 1, 2006, these manual processes have been eliminated and replaced by an electronic, automated process on the waste system side through the use of the following three (3) screens.

Waste 601, Waste Billing, through the logging completion date captured from 102, this screen will set the twelve month window for deriving the weighted average waste saw log rates,

Waste 602, Waste Assessment Rates, this screen will automatically calculate the waste rates, processing staff just need to click and select the radial buttons for the applicable rates,

Waste 603, Review Assessment Rates, this screen automatically shows the total \$ waste billing projected for the block after adjusting for waste benchmark. Click Send to HBS button, the block will convert to Ready to Bill status and will be captured by HBS for billing purposes.

Effective August 1, 2006, HBS is enhanced to interface with the Waste System by automatically processing and invoicing blocks that are set to Ready to Bill status. Once billing is completed, HBS will change the block status to Billing Issued, and populate the Waste 101 and 104 screens with the SDN control reference number.

This Waste/HBS feature fully supports billing of multi-marks and children blocks entered on 104. A new Survey Date data entry is required. Refer to changes outlined for section 7.7.

2. Fully Functional ESF Submission

This release supports the uploading of files in XML format that are compatible with the latest Waste Schema version 3.

Refer to the new manual section 12 on how to submit files in ESF.