



# Fuel Quality Information Standard (Ethanol E85) Determination 2012<sup>1</sup>

*Fuel Quality Standards Act 2000*

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I, Don Farrell, Parliamentary Secretary for Sustainability and Urban Water, make the following determination under section 22A of the *Fuel Quality Standards Act 2000*.

Dated 16th August 2012

Don Farrell  
Parliamentary Secretary for Sustainability and Urban Water

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## **1 Name of determination**

This determination is the *Fuel Quality Information Standard (Ethanol E85) Determination 2012*.

## **2 Commencement**

This determination commences on 1 November 2012.

## **3 Definitions**

In this determination:

*E85* means a fuel blend consisting of:

- (a) 70–85% ethanol; and
- (b) petrol that meets the requirements of the *Fuel Standard (Petrol) Determination 2001*.

*service station* means premises at which E85 is sold by retail from a fuel pump.

#### 4 Service stations

- (1) The fuel quality information standard for the supply of E85 from a service station is that one of the following appears, clearly displayed, on any fuel pump at the station dispensing E85:
  - (a) the words ‘Contains 70–85% ethanol’, and ‘Not Petrol or Diesel’;
  - (b) the words ‘Contains x% ethanol’, where x is a number between 70 and 85, and ‘Not Petrol or Diesel’.
- (2) For paragraph (1) (b), a number that is not a whole number is to be rounded to the nearest whole number, with a number ending with 0.5 being rounded up.

#### 5 Other retail supply

The fuel quality information standard for the supply, by retail sale, of E85 other than from a service station is that:

- (a) before the E85 is supplied, the buyer is given a document that prominently includes the words specified in paragraph 4 (1) (a) or (b);  
or
- (b) if the buyer is present when the E85 is supplied, the words specified in paragraph 4 (1) (a) or (b) appear on each container of E85 so that the words can easily be read by the buyer.

#### 6 Supply of E85 to retailer

The fuel quality information standard for the supply of E85 to a retailer is that, at the time of the supply, the retailer is given a document that prominently displays:

- (a) a statement that the E85 contains:
  - (i) 70–85% ethanol; or
  - (ii) x% ethanol, where x is a number between 70 and 85; and
- (b) a statement that the E85 is the subject of this determination.

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#### Note

1. All legislative instruments and compilations are registered on the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments kept under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*. See [www.comlaw.gov.au](http://www.comlaw.gov.au).