

Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management (Non-grandfathered Quota— 2024-2025) Determination 2023

I, TANYA PLIBERSEK, Minister for the Environment and Water, make the following determination

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1 Name

This instrument is the Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management (Non-grandfathered Quota—2024-2025) Determination 2023.

2 Commencement

(1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information			
Column 1	Column 2 Commencement	Column 3 Date/Details	
Provisions			
1. The whole of this instrument	The day after this instrument is registered.		

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

(2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subregulation 51(4) of the *Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management Regulations 1995*.

4 Simplified outline of this instrument

This instrument specifies who is entitled to non-grandfathered quota for the fourth HFC quota allocation period (2024 and 2025) and the amount of the non-grandfathered quota to be allocated as follows:

- (a) each eligible applicant is entitled to non-grandfathered quota; and
- (b) the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water, on behalf of the Commonwealth, is entitled to 130 CO₂e tonnes; and
- (c) the remaining non-grandfathered HFC industry limit is divided evenly between the eligible applicants.

5 Definitions

In this instrument:

Act means the Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management Act 1989

*CO*₂*e* means carbon dioxide equivalent.

 CO_2e tonne means $\frac{1}{1000000}$ of a CO₂e megatonne.

eligible applicant means a person who is entitled to non-grandfathered quota for the HFC quota allocation period 2024-2025 pursuant to subregulation 51(1) of the Regulations, other than the Commonwealth.

Note:

For entitlement to non-grandfathered quota, see subregulation 51(1) of the Regulations

eligible applicant entitlement amount means the amount equal to:

(the non-grandfathered HFC industry limit - 130 CO₂e tonnes)

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the number of eligible applicants who apply for non-grandfathered quota under section 6(a)

non-grandfathered HFC industry limit means 0.2625 CO₂e megatonnes.

Note:

The non-grandfathered HFC industry limit is the non-grandfathered percentage (5%) of the HFC industry limit (5.25 CO₂e megatonnes) for the years in the third HFC quota allocation period.

Regulations means the Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management Regulations 1995.

- Note 1: A number of expressions used in this instrument are defined in the Act, including the following:
 - (a) CO₂e megatonnes; and
 - (b) HFC quota.
- Note 2: A number of expressions used in this instrument are defined in the Regulations, including the following:
 - (a) non-grandfathered quota; and
 - (b) HFC quota allocation period.

6 Entitlement

For the purposes of paragraph 51(4)(a) of the Regulations, a person is entitled to non-grandfathered quota for each of the years 2024 and 2025 if:

- (a) the person is an eligible applicant and that person makes an application for non-grandfathered quota; or
- (b) the person is the Commonwealth, as represented by the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water.

7 Amount

For the purposes of paragraph 51(4)(b) of the Regulations, the amount of non-grandfathered quota to which a person is entitled for each of the years 2024 and 2023 is:

- (a) for an eligible applicant the eligible applicant entitlement amount; or
- (b) for the Commonwealth, as represented by the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water $-130~\mathrm{CO_2}e$ tonne

