



**CALL FOR EXPERTS TO REPRESENT THE ENVIRONMENTAL INTERESTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF
EUROPEAN STANDARDS RELATED TO REQUIREMENTS FOR END OF LIFE HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES**

RESPONSE REQUESTED BY NO LATER THAN THE 22ND JULY 2015

ECOS is looking for experts to provide expertise and represent, on behalf of ECOS, the environmental interests in the development of standards related to the collection, logistics and treatment requirements for end-of-life household appliances containing volatile fluorocarbons or volatile hydrocarbons.

ECOS is an umbrella organisation representing 38 European environmental NGOs in the development process of European standards and technical product policies. More information is available at www.ecostandard.org.

In particular, we are looking for experts to represent ECOS in the following groups:

- **CLC/TC 111X WG 6 ‘WEEE Recycling Standards’**, responsible for European Commission Mandate M/518¹ to the European standardisation organisations for standardisation in the field of Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (Directive 2012/19/EU (WEEE)) and in particular the treatment of all products within the extended scope of the WEEE Directive.

Tasks of the expert will include:

- To monitor the relevant work of the working group treatment requirements for end-of-life household appliances containing volatile fluorocarbons or volatile hydrocarbons;
- To participate in and present ECOS’ views in the selected standardisation committee meetings and report back to ECOS Secretariat (circa 2-3 meetings a year);
- To prepare technical input, comments and position papers in close collaboration with the ECOS Secretariat;
- To regularly exchange with interested ECOS member organisations and other experts (by e-mail).

Activities are expected to continue throughout 2015 and 2016.

The remuneration of the expert will be as follows:

- Daily expert fees (€ 400,-) for preparation, participation in meetings and reporting, as well as for any other tasks to be performed in between meetings;
- Per diems to cover accommodation and subsistence costs;
- Reimbursement of travel costs.

ECOS reimbursement terms and conditions are available on request.

Please send a cover letter and CV, including references of relevant work in the area of end of life requirements to info@ecostandard.org, as soon as possible and at the latest by 22nd July 2015, EOB.

¹ <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/mandates/index.cfm?fuseaction=search.detail&id=526>