

# WEEE Policy Statement for United Kingdom Customers.

Our Ref: CP3012-2

#### 1.0 Introduction

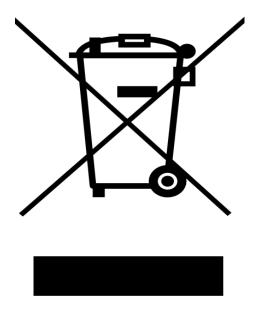
CardPOS Europe Ltd. meets its obligations under the EU Directive on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). The objective of this policy is to specify the applicable products affected by this directive and to detail the policy and procedures for the return and safe disposal of WEEE.

#### 2.0 Applicable Product

Any finished product is subject to WEEE regulations. A finished product is defined by two criteria:

- 1. A product with a housing i.e. not an OEM component or sub-assembly.
- 2. A product either with an intelligent interface; RS232, PS/2, USB or one that can operate on a stand-alone basis, i.e. independent of a host.

Starting from Q3, 2005 finished product will be labelled with the WEEE compliant logo as follows:-



Any product not marked with the WEEE logo should be disposed of in normal waste streams as per current practice.

Any product marked with the WEEE logo should be separated from other waste streams to ensure that it can be recycled in an environmentally sound manner.

### 3.0 CardPOS Europe Ltd. - Limited Liability

Under the U.K. implementation of the WEEE directive the following definitions apply:

**Historic WEEE** – Goods shipped with the WEEE logo between the dates of 15th August 2005 and 1st July 2006.

**New WEEE** - Goods shipped with the WEEE logo after 1st July 2006.

CardPOS Europe Ltd, are registered with the Environment Agency as a supplier of WEEE (producer number: WEE/AG0043SY) and make all the necessary declarations with regard to WEEE sold within the United Kingdom.

At the end of life, CardPOS Europe Ltd., will accept the return of WEEE for the safe disposal and recycling as per the following:

**Historic WEEE** – Liability for Historic WEEE is applicable only where like for like purchases to replace the existing products is being negotiated.

E.g. If 4000 of product A are being replaced with product B and that product B could be described as a replacement for product A, then the return of product A for recycling under the WEEE directive is acceptable.

If no like for like, replacement sales are being negotiated, then CardPOS Europe Ltd is not liable for Historic WEEE. In this situation, CardPOS may, at its own discretion, quote for the safe disposal of the goods.

**New WEEE** – CardPOS Europe Ltd., accepts liability for New WEEE at the end of life and will dispose of safely or recycle goods wherever possible.

As defined in the **Terms and Conditions of Sale**, CardPOS Europe does not accept any liability whatsoever for the remote collection, shipping costs or packaging of returned goods. All costs associated with the return of WEEE will be borne by the customer.

Customers are responsible for the costs of shipping goods to the Central Collection Point and CardPOS Europe Ltd accepts no liability whatsoever for any such costs.

Date of commencement: 1st January 2006.

## **WEEE Central Collection Location:**

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