

ECO (Efficient and Cleaner Operations) Stars Fleet Recognition Scheme - Update and Upgrade Application Form



Introduction

This update and upgrade application form is to be completed by all existing members of the ECO Stars Scheme wishing to notify the scheme administrators of changes to either their fleet or to practices and processes within their operations.

Changes made by scheme members to their vehicle fleets and overall operations (for example, replacing older vehicles for newer, cleaner models or by implementing new operational efficiency practices within their operations) may result in an upgrade to their vehicle recognition level and, potentially, to their operational recognition level.

Please answer all questions as fully as possible, providing detailed information about the changes you have made, to allow an accurate review to be carried out.

If you have any queries on how to complete this update and upgrade application form and are seeking guidance, then please call 01543 416416 and quote 'ECO Stars' or email your query to ecostars@ttr-ltd.com

Please submit your completed form and vehicle profile (if relevant), along with any appropriate supporting documentation, either in hard copy or electronically, to the addresses provided at the end of the form.

ECO Stars is a recognition Scheme built firmly on the principle of trust. It rewards commitment to improving operational efficiency, reducing fuel consumption and reducing environmental impact – all helping to improve local air quality, maximise carbon savings and tackle climate change. As the Scheme is built on trust, it is essential that all members complete this form as accurately as possible.

If there is insufficient space within the form for you to provide the detailed update you would like, then please enclose additional sheets, marked with your company name, to support your upgrade application. Please also feel free to submit any other supporting information you feel may be relevant for our assessors to review when reconsidering your vehicle and whole operation recognition levels.

Update and Upgrade Application Form (please write in block capitals)

Company name:

ECO Stars Scheme Registration Number:

Changes to Vehicle Fleet

1) Where modifications or improvements have been made to existing fleet vehicles already registered with the ECO Stars Scheme, please quote vehicle registration number(s) and provide details of the changes made:

2) Please fill out the 'Individual Vehicle Application Form (B)' enclosed for any new vehicles added to your fleet and not yet registered with the scheme.

3) Changes to Operational Processes and Working Practices

Please provide details of any changes you have made to operational processes and working practices, including introducing/improving your:

- Fuel Management Programmes
- Driver Skills Development Programmes
- Use of Operational Support Systems
- Vehicle Specification and Preventative Maintenance processes
- Performance Monitoring and Targeting Systems

4) Is there any other additional information you wish to provide in support of your update and upgrade application?
(please tick)

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide either additional supporting text in the space below or use the space to list any accompanying documents. Feel free to include relevant supplementary information with your application, to help Scheme staff accurately reassess your fleet and operation.

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Company Declaration

I declare that the update information provided within this update and upgrade application form (and in any supporting documents) is complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Position: _____

Note for Applicants: If completing and returning this update and upgrade application form electronically, please also ensure that an electronic signature is provided in the space above.

Disclaimer

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More Information

For more information on ECO Stars, visit www.care4air.org, call 01543 416416 quoting 'ECO Stars', or email ecostars@ttr-ltd.com

Submitting your Update and Upgrade Application Form

Please submit your completed update and upgrade application form and new vehicle profile (if relevant), along with any appropriate supporting documentation, either electronically or in hard copy, to:

ecostars@ttr-ltd.com

or

The ECO Stars Fleet Recognition Scheme Administrator
c/o Transport & Travel Research Ltd
Arundel House
6 Portland Square
Bristol
BS2 8RR

Individual Vehicle Application Form (B)

Please complete a copy of this sheet for each newly-introduced fleet vehicle which you wish to register with the scheme.

For each vehicle, please specify (please write in block capitals):

Goods vehicle: (tick if applicable)	Passenger carrying vehicle: (tick if applicable)	Vehicle Registration Number:	Year of registration:	Vehicle make:	Vehicle model:	Number of axles:	Body type: e.g. minibus, bus, coach, box van, curtainsider, tanker, refrigerated, flatbed, tipper, concrete barrel

Maximum Permissible Weight:	Vehicle Excise Duty Class:	Based within South Yorkshire: (tick if applicable)	Based outside but significant time operating in South Yorkshire: (tick if applicable)	Euro engine standard: e.g. Euro II, III, IV, V	Alternative fuel use?: e.g. CNG, LPG, Hybrid electric, Hydrogen fuel cell, Biogas, blend of 50% or more RTFO accredited biofuel

Exhaust after-treatment fitted?: e.g. particulate trap, EGR, SCR	Anti-idling cut-off equipment fitted?: (please specify)	In-cab fuel monitoring equipment fitted?: e.g. fuel flow meter, trip computer	Other in-cab telematics equipment fitted?: e.g. driver/vehicle performance monitor, 'black box'	Any other vehicle-based efficiency features: (please specify)

Please specify registration numbers of vehicles removed from your fleet and no longer operated, which you wish to have removed from scheme registration:
