

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

A refund application must be received by the ministry within four years from the date the tax was paid.

A refund of carbon tax is available in limited circumstances. For additional information on these limited circumstances, see [Bulletin CT 002](#), *Carbon Tax Refunds for Purchasers* available on our website.

**WHO SHOULD USE THIS FORM?**

Use this form to apply for a refund of carbon tax if you are a purchaser of fuel who is the final consumer of that fuel, except if the fuel was used for commercial interjurisdictional air or marine travel, or transport.

You may apply for a refund of tax on fuel used for interjurisdictional air or marine travel, or transport on the *Refund Application/Return of Carbon Tax – Non-Registered Air or Marine (FIN 171)*. See our [website](#) for the appropriate version of the form if you are a:

- commercial air service and do not have a registered consumer certificate or a registered air service certificate for the period you are making the claim, or
- a commercial marine service and do not have a registered marine service certificate for the period you are making the claim.

Do not use this form if you sell fuel at wholesale or retail.

If you are eligible for a refund under both the *Motor Fuel Tax Act* and the *Carbon Tax Act*, you must complete a separate refund application for each Act. You can access our forms online at [gov.bc.ca/salestaxes](http://gov.bc.ca/salestaxes)

**PART A – CLAIMANT INFORMATION**

Enter your legal name, mailing address, city, province and postal code. Provide the name and telephone number of a person to contact with any questions about this application. You may also include your fax number and email address.

Enter your 9-digit business number (BN) provided by Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) if you have one.

If a third party representative will be acting on your behalf for this claim, complete the authorization section with the name, address and contact information of that representative.

**PART B – REFUND INFORMATION****Claim Period**

You may only claim a refund on this application form for carbon tax you have paid after June 30, 2012 (or as of January 1, 2014 for coloured fuel purchased by a farmer).

**Calculating the Refund**

For each type of fuel being claimed, enter the fuel type at the top of Column A, B or C. If you are claiming a refund on more than three types of fuel, create your own schedule and attach it to the application. In either case, enter the total dollar value of the refund being claimed on Line 10 under Column C, Total Refund Claim.

Enter the volume of fuel being claimed using the unit of measurement in the Table of Fuel Types and Rates on [Page 4](#). Enter the volume on the line that describes your reason for a refund claim, under the column for the applicable fuel type.

- Line 1: Fuel Purchased within BC for Export and Use Outside BC – enter the total volume of each fuel type purchased within BC that tax was paid on if, at the time of purchase, you had a contract with a common carrier to remove the fuel from BC.
- Line 2: Fuel Purchased by Eligible First Nations Purchasers – enter the total volume of each fuel type purchased within BC that tax was paid on if you are an eligible First Nations purchaser and you purchased the fuel on First Nations land or, as a condition of sale, the fuel was delivered into a receptacle located on First Nations land.
- Line 3: Coloured Fuel Purchased by a Farmer – enter the total volume of each type of fuel purchased in BC that tax was paid on (as of January 1, 2014) if you are a qualifying farmer and you used the fuel for authorized uses.
- Line 4: Fuel Purchased by Visiting Forces and Members of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps – enter the total volume of each fuel type purchased within BC that tax was paid on if you are a visiting force or are a member of a diplomatic or consular corp. For a visiting force to be eligible for a refund, the fuel must be used in connection with your official duties.
- Line 5: Fuel Used for an Exempt Purpose – enter the total volume of each fuel type purchased within BC that tax was paid on if the fuel was used for an exempt purpose. For example, fuel used as feedstock to manufacture another substance or for down-hole operations at a well site. For further information, including a complete list of non-taxable uses of fuel that is not combusted, see [Bulletin CT 002](#), *Carbon Tax Refunds for Purchasers*.
- Line 6: Other (*specify*) – enter the total volume of each fuel type purchased within BC that tax was paid on for any reason not listed on Line 1 to Line 5 and specify the reason in the space provided.
- Line 8: Enter the applicable tax rate from the table on [Page 4](#).
- Line 10: Total Refund Claim – calculate the total refund claim by adding all refund amounts on Line 9. Enter the total on Line 10 under Column C. The ministry cannot issue a refund of less than \$10.

## PART C – CLAIMANT DECLARATION

If the claimant is a corporation, the declaration must be signed by a member of the board of directors or an authorized employee of the corporation. Type or print the name and title of the person who signs the declaration.

Only the individual or business who paid the tax can claim the refund.

Send your completed application, along with the supporting documentation (as indicated beside the reason for refund and detailed on [Page 4](#) in the section Explanation of Document Numbers) to:

Refunds Section  
PO Box 9628 Stn Prov Govt  
Victoria BC V8W 9N6

### Example of How to Calculate a Refund

In July 2015, a visiting force from overseas purchased 25,000 litres of aviation fuel for use in their aircraft and 2,000 litres of diesel fuel for use in their equipment. This fuel, purchased in BC, is used in connection with their official duties.

PART B – REFUND INFORMATION							
CLAIM PERIOD	FROM YYYY / MM / DD	TO YYYY / MM / DD	Specify the Fuel Type(s) – See the table on <a href="#">Page 4</a> for a list of fuel types. For each fuel type, indicate the volume being claimed beside the applicable reason for refund. Create and attach a schedule if you require more columns.				
	2015/07/01	2015/07/31	REASON FOR REFUND	DOCUMENTS TO ATTACH (see <a href="#">Page 4</a> for details)	FUEL TYPE A Diesel	FUEL TYPE B Aviation Fuel	C
<b>Fuel Purchased for Use by Purchaser</b>							
1	Fuel Purchased within BC for Export and Use Outside BC		1, 2, 3				
2	Fuel Purchased by Eligible First Nations Purchasers		1, 2, 4				
3	Coloured Fuel Purchased by a Farmer		1, 2, 7, 8				
4	Fuel Purchased by Visiting Forces or a Member of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps		1, 2, 5		2,000.00	25,000.00	
5	Fuel Used for an Exempt Purpose (feedstock, non-energy use of fuel)		1, 2, 6				
6	Other (specify):		1, 2, 9, 10				
7	<b>TOTAL VOLUME</b> (sum of Line 1 to Line 6)				2,000.00	25,000.00	
8	<b>TAX RATE</b> – see the table on <a href="#">Page 4</a> for a list of the rates				\$0.0767	\$0.0738	
9	<b>REFUND AMOUNT</b> (Line 7 x Line 8)				\$153.40	\$1,845.00	
10	<b>TOTAL REFUND CLAIM</b>						\$1,998.40



APPLICATION FOR REFUND OF CARBON TAX PURCHASER OF FUEL

under the Carbon Tax Act

Effective July 1, 2012

INSTRUCTIONS

- Refer to the instructions on Page 1 and 2 before completing.
A claim will not be processed if the required documents (explained on Page 4) are not provided.
If you require additional information, call us toll-free at 1 877 388-4440 or email questions to CTBTaxQuestions@gov.bc.ca

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA)
The personal information on this form is collected for the purpose of administering the Carbon Tax Act under the authority of section 26(a) of the FOIPPA.

PART A - CLAIMANT INFORMATION

Form fields for Part A: FULL LEGAL NAME, BUSINESS NUMBER, CONTACT NAME, CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER, FAX NUMBER, EMAIL ADDRESS.

MAILING ADDRESS (include street or PO box, city, province and postal code) - If your claim is approved, a cheque will be mailed to this address.

Do you authorize any person other than a director or employee of the claimant to act on your behalf with regard to this application? YES NO If YES, complete the following:

Form fields for authorization: REPRESENTATIVE'S NAME, CONTACT NAME, ADDRESS, CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER.

PART B - REFUND INFORMATION

Table with columns: CLAIM PERIOD, REASON FOR REFUND, DOCUMENTS TO ATTACH, FUEL TYPE (A, B, C), and rows 1-10 including Fuel Purchased for Use by Purchaser, TOTAL VOLUME, TAX RATE, REFUND AMOUNT, and TOTAL REFUND CLAIM.

PART C - CLAIMANT DECLARATION

I declare that all information provided on this form, and on all attached documents, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I acknowledge that any false information may result in a fine of up to \$10,000 and/or imprisonment for up to two years.

Form fields for Part C: SIGNATURE, NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNING AUTHORITY, DATE SIGNED.

**Table of Fuel Types and Rates – Effective July 1, 2012**

	<u>Units for Tax Rates</u>	<u>Tax Rates</u>
<b>Liquid Fuels</b>		
Gasoline (including ethanol)	\$/Litre	\$0.0667
Light Fuel Oil (including biodiesel)	\$/Litre	\$0.0767
• Diesel	\$/Litre	\$0.0767
• Heating Oil	\$/Litre	\$0.0767
• Locomotive Fuel	\$/Litre	\$0.0767
• Industrial Oil	\$/Litre	\$0.0767
Heavy Fuel Oil	\$/Litre	\$0.0945
Aviation Fuel	\$/Litre	\$0.0738
Jet Fuel	\$/Litre	\$0.0783
Kerosene	\$/Litre	\$0.0783
Naphtha	\$/Litre	\$0.0765
Methanol	\$/Litre	\$0.0327
<b>Gaseous Fuels</b>		
Butane	\$/Litre	\$0.0528
Ethane	\$/Litre	\$0.0294
Gas Liquids	\$/Litre	\$0.0495
Pentanes Plus*	\$/Litre	\$0.0528
Propane	\$/Litre	\$0.0462
Refinery Gas	\$/m3	\$0.0528
Coke Oven Gas	\$/m3	\$0.0483
<b>Solid Fuels</b>		
Coal – Low Heat Value**	\$/Tonne	\$53.31
Coal – High Heat Value***	\$/Tonne	\$62.31
Coke	\$/Tonne	\$74.61
Petroleum Coke	\$/Litre	\$0.1101

\* Includes Iso-Octane

\*\* Includes Sub-Bituminous Coal

\*\*\* Includes Bituminous Coal

For conversion factors, see: [www.sbr.gov.bc.ca/documents\\_library/shared\\_documents/Conversion\\_Factors.pdf](http://www.sbr.gov.bc.ca/documents_library/shared_documents/Conversion_Factors.pdf)

**EXPLANATION OF DOCUMENT NUMBERS**

The ministry may request additional information or documentation if required.

- 1 A schedule of fuel purchases included in the application showing the date of purchase, volume and type of fuel, the name of the fuel seller and the carbon tax paid on the purchase.
- 2 Copies of purchase invoices showing name and address of seller and purchaser, date of purchase, volume, type of fuel and rate of tax.
- 3 A copy of the contract with a common carrier to export the fuel outside of BC. A copy of the shippers invoice showing the name of the common carrier and purchaser, volume and type of fuel transported, the date of shipping and the destination outside of BC. Include a statement certifying the fuel will be used outside of BC.  
  
For fuel exports, you must provide proof the fuel was exported (e.g. proof fuel taxes were paid to another jurisdiction, Importer Fuel Tax Return filed to another jurisdiction or customs documents).
- 4 Proof the fuel was purchased on First Nations land or was delivered into a receptacle located on First Nations land.  
  
For individuals – a copy of the front and back of the *Certificate of Indian Status* card issued by Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada.  
  
For bands – a signed statement on band letterhead with the band number certifying the fuel claimed was either purchased on First Nations land or was delivered into a receptacle on First Nations land by the fuel seller.

- 5 For claims by an individual who is a member of a visiting force, provide the official orders and a statement on official letterhead certifying what the fuel was used for.  
  
For claims by members of the diplomatic and consular corps, provide a photocopy of the front and back of the diplomatic and Consular Identity Card issued by Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development Canada.
- 6 See **Bulletin CT 002**, *Carbon Tax Refunds for Purchasers*, for a complete list of the non-taxable uses of fuel. Indicate for which of the qualifying feedstock or non-energy exempt purposes the fuel was used. Provide a description of how the fuel was used. Include a schedule showing how you calculated the volume of each fuel type claimed, supported by production reports. If the fuel was used to manufacture another substance, provide evidence of the quantity of the other substance produced.
- 7 Provide a copy of your Property Assessment Notice showing that you owned or leased land classified as farm land during the claim period.
- 8 Provide a copy of your Farmer Identity Card issued by the BC Agriculture Council.
- 9 A certified statement outlining the reasons why you believe you are entitled to a refund. Include sufficient documents to support your claim.
- 10 If you are a farmer claiming a refund for clear fuel used in a farm truck operated internationally, you must provide documents 1 – 7 as explained on the *Application for Refund of Motor Fuel Tax – Purchaser of Fuel (FIN 147)*.