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## Supplementary information

# Questionnaire on classification and collection of hazardous household waste in China

Hazardous domestic garbage refers to the substances in domestic garbage that cause direct or potential harm to human health or natural environment.

This questionnaire is about the classification and collection of hazardous household garbage in China, aiming to understand the classification and collection of hazardous household garbage and the problems existing in the management process. This questionnaire is anonymous, all information is only for statistical analysis, please fill in according to the actual situation (multiple options), your valuable opinions will help the management of harmful household garbage. Thank you very much for your support and cooperation!

#### 1. Please select the option consistent with your views (multiple options are available)

- I don't know which is harmful household waste.
- The harm of harmful household waste is not great.
- There are not many kinds of harmful household waste.
- The amount of hazardous household waste is not large.
- Hazardous household garbage is eventually mixed with ordinary garbage, there is no need to separate collection.
- The classification and collection of harmful household garbage is of great significance.
- It is unnecessary to classify and collect harmful household garbage.
- Standardized management will be promoted through paid collection of harmful household garbage.
- The classification and collection of harmful household garbage needs to be enforced by the government.
- The classification and collection of harmful household garbage is the responsibility of the sanitation department and the environmental protection department.
- The classification and collection of harmful household garbage needs everyone's active cooperation.
- The classification and collection of harmful household garbage belongs to individual voluntary behavior, which can be done or not done.
- I collect all the harmful household garbage separately.
- I never separate hazardous household waste.

# 2. Do you think the difficulty of hazardous household garbage sorting and collection lies in (multiple choices)

- I don't know how to sort them.
- It is not clear what is hazardous waste.
- The government doesn't mandate it, but it's optional.
- After classification at home, the late lack of matching collection measures.
- Others, please explain .

### 3. The harmful household waste you know is\_

#### 4. Gender and Profession

- Female
- Male
- Liberal arts
- Science and engineering

# 5. Age

- •Under 18 years
- At the age of 18 to 30
- At the age of 30 to 45 •45 years of age or older

#### 6. Education

- •High school and below
- Junior college
- $\bullet Undergraduate$
- Master degree or above

## 7. Occupation

- Student
- Staff
- •Institution staff
- Private business owner
- Freelancer
- Others

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