



SUMMARY OF CASE LAW ON WASTE PRODUCER LIABILITY

MEXICO

We were unable to locate a court case involving waste producer liability in Mexico. The statutory provisions are set out below.

Summary of Law

The guide document for waste published by the Secretaría del Medio Ambiente y Recursos Naturales, [REGULACIÓN DE LOS RESIDUOS PELIGROSOS EN MÉXICO](#), p. 29, cites Article 42 of [General Law for the Prevention and Integral Management of Waste \(LGPGIR\)](#):

The responsibility for the management and final disposal of hazardous waste corresponds to whoever generates it. In the If the management and final disposal of hazardous waste is contracted by companies authorized by the Ministry and the waste is delivered to said companies, the responsibility for operations will be these, regardless of the responsibility of the generator. Hazardous waste generators that transfer them to companies or managers that provide the services of handling, they must make sure before the Secretariat that they have the respective and current authorizations, in case Otherwise they will be responsible for the damages caused by their handling.

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