## **BANBURY PLANT & SKIP HIRE**

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Dear Customer

You may already be aware that the Environment Agency have issued a new piece of legislation and upholstered furniture can no longer be safely disposed of in general waste or landfill.

Instead, soft furnishings must be safely disposed of through incineration.

These types of items have been found to contain Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) which are harmful to the environment, wildlife and humans if not disposed of safely. Investigative work carried out by the Environment Agency has identified large quantities of POPs and other hazardous chemicals in the foam and textiles of upholstered seating.

Whilst we are sourcing a safe route to dispose/recycle these items we are aware that there will be costs involved in the process. Whilst we would like to be able to absorb these costs ourselves, we feel that a small fee to customers would be acceptable. Our fees are as follows:

Mattresses – per item	£20.00
*Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPS) – per item	£20.00

\*POPS - for example: Sofas, Chairs, Sofa Beds,

The above prices are for items placed in a skip, if you have a full load of POPS that require disposal please call the office for further details.

Kind regards

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