



### Dry Ice Shipping Label Change

In 2011, the Department of Transportation (DOT) introduced changes to the design of the Class 9 miscellaneous hazard label in *49 CFR 172.446*. The DOT made changes to the hazardous material label design to correspond with the *UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods*.

This label change applies to all shippers if they are shipping dry ice or any other class 9 hazardous materials. The Harvard EHS office has been supplying updated labels since 2011 when the Department of Transportation (DOT) introduced changes. **All shippers were required to use the new label format by October 1, 2014. Please check any stocks of old labels you/your department may have.** Anyone shipping hazardous materials including Dry Ice must have the appropriate safety training and certification.

Old Label



New Label



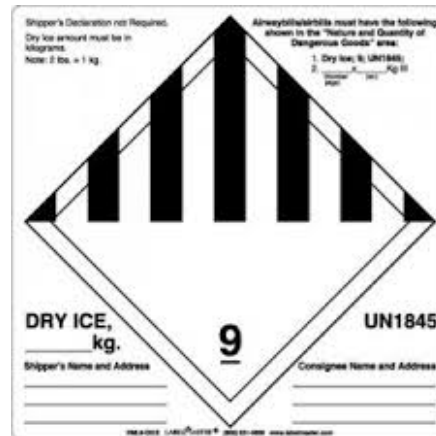
- **The horizontal line running below the vertical black bars was removed**
- **The width of the vertical black bars on the left and right corners was decreased to match the width of the other black bars**

#### Dry Ice version:

Old



New



The EHS office only stocks the plain class 9 diamond for emergency shipments. We can supplement some of your stocks for any immediate shipments. You can obtain labels yourself and below are listed a couple vendors.

**Class 9 diamond with all dry ice information included:**

<http://www.labelmaster.com/shop/dry-ice-label-hml1--dice?returnurl=%2fsearch%3fq%3ddry%2520ice>

**Plain class 9 diamond:**

<http://www.labelmaster.com/shop/labels/hazmat-labels/hazard-class-9/miscellaneous-dangerous-goods-labels/miscellaneous-dangerous-goods-label-paper-roll-of-hml9>

**Harvard EHS Offices with shipping supplies:**

Longwood Office: Vanderbilt Hall Suite 021, Phone number: 617-432-1720

Cambridge Office: 16 Divinity Ave, Room 1050, Phone number: 617-495-2345