



Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme for Small and Medium Eateries

FAQs

1. What is the purpose of the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme'?

The Scheme is tailored for small- and medium-sized eateries to purchase kitchen equipment and facilities, aim to lower the start-up investment cost as well as to address potential cash flow difficulties. Eligible customers can apply for cash flow to be used towards purchasing kitchen equipment and facilities with 18-month interest-free instalments. Purchase amount is capped at HK\$500,000.

2. When will the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme' be launched?

Applications will be accepted from 1 June 2020 to 31 May 2021. For details, please visit Towngas Commerce & Industry Website (<https://www.towngas.com/CommerceIndustry/en/>).

3. Who is eligible for applying for the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme'?

New eateries with gas account and a floor area of 2,000 square feet or below; and also apply for 'Partnership Offer' Promotion Scheme.

4. What is 'Partnership Offer' Promotion Scheme?

'Partnership Offer' Promotion Scheme is a Gas Appliances Promotion Scheme. Special discount will be offered for the customers who install designated gas appliances and undertake to use Towngas as their sole source of fuel for the minimum period of 4 years.

This Scheme is tailored for large-, small- and medium-sized eateries respectively. For details, please contact Commercial and Industrial Enquiry Hotline 2963 3300.

5. What kinds of kitchen equipment and facilities are included under the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme'?

Kitchen equipment include work tables, cabinets, ice makers, dishwashers, exhaust systems, steelware, and refrigerators, etc. Works of water supply, electricity, plastering and fire equipment are not included.

6. What is the purchase Amount of the Scheme?

Purchase amount is capped at HK\$500,000, subject to the business scale of eateries. For eateries with a floor area of 1,000 square feet or below, the amount is up to HK\$350,000. For those with a floor area of 1,001-2,000 square feet, the amount is up to HK\$500,000. The actual amount is subject to the final decision of the Hong Kong and China Gas Co. Ltd.



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7. **How to apply for the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme'?**

Eligible customers can apply for the Scheme and submit the following documents via Towngas authorized Dealers, Agents, and Business Partners:

- 'Partnership Offer' Promotion Scheme Application Form
- Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme Application Form
- Copy of Certificate of Incorporation, Business Registration Certificate and related documents
- Shop layout plan for license application
- Quotation for Kitchen equipment/ facilities
- Photos of shop kitchen taken inside & shop front before renovation of eatery

8. **How the successful applicants pay for the purchase amount?**

Successful applicants shall pay for the purchase amount within a period of 18 months. Each instalment amount will be specified in the monthly gas bill issued. Successful applicants shall settle the purchase amount with the Towngas charges.

9. **What is the application procedure for the 'Kitchen Equipment Rental and Purchase Scheme'?**

Applicants have to submit the application form and related documents via Towngas authorized Dealers, Agents, and Business Partners to Towngas. After assessing the applications by Towngas, Towngas will contact the successful applicants for contract signing.

10. **How can I check the application progress?**

For enquiries, please contact Towngas authorized Dealers, Agents, and Business Partners; or contact us at 2963 3300 or email to cimsd_scheme@towngas.com