



**NOTICE OF DECISION TO GRANT A PERMIT UNDER THE
HAZARDOUS WASTE (REGULATION OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS) ACT 1989**

Pursuant to section 33 of the *Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Act 1989*, notice is given that special import permit AUH23-011 was granted to Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd (ACN 072 838 209), 92 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria 3175 (Telephone: 0411 209 629).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) The proposed recipient of the waste is Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd, 92 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria 3175 (Telephone: 0411 209 629).
- (ii) The type of waste is a mixture of non-halogenated organic solvents (Basel code A3140).
- (iii) The maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 150 tonnes.
- (iv) The waste is to be contained during export in 200 litre metal drums with closed tops and loaded into shipping containers.
- (v) The waste is to be transported by sea to the Port of Melbourne, Australia, then by road after initial treatment to the recovery facility.
- (vi) The waste may only be imported during the permit period.
- (vii) The waste is to be imported from the Port of Auckland, New Zealand.
- (viii) The waste may only transit the following ports and countries: Tauranga, Lyttelton, Napier and Otago, New Zealand; and ports of Kembla, Newcastle and Port Botany (Sydney), Australia. No other transit ports are permitted.
- (ix) The waste is to undergo recovery operations at the Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd facility in Dandenong South, Victoria, and the Cement Australia facility in Railton, Tasmania.
- (x) The waste is to undergo the following recovery operations: R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any operation in Section B, Annex IV of the Basel Convention (Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd); and R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy (Cement Australia).

The permit period is from the date below until the last departure date of 30 April 2024. All shipments must leave the port of export before or on the last departure date.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

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