



**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 AUH16-043 was granted to Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd (ACN 072 838 209), 92-94 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria, 3175 (Telephone: +61 402 791 252; Facsimile: +61 3 8792 5444).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) the proposed exporter of the waste is EnviroWaste Services Limited, 19-21 Miami Parade, Te Papapa, Auckland, 1061, New Zealand (Telephone: +64 9 636 7560; Facsimile: +64 9 634 6778);
- (ii) the type of waste is mixed (organophosphate and organonitrogen) pesticides (Basel Code A4030);
- (iii) the maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 160 tonnes;
- (iv) the waste is to be contained during import in drums, bags, or bulk (IBC and/or ISOTainer);
- (v) the waste is to be transported during import by road to the port of export in Auckland, shipped by sea, and then by road from the port of destination 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, to the Port of Melbourne, Australia;
- (viii) the waste may not transit any countries;
- (ix) the waste is to undergo a recovery operation at the Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd facility in Dandenong South, Victoria, Australia;
- (x) the waste may only undergo the recovery operation at the above facility after the commencement of the permit period and before one calendar year after the expiry of the permit; and
- (xi) the waste is to undergo recovery operation R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

Andrew McNee
Delegate of the Minister
Assistant Secretary
Chemicals and Waste Branch
Department of the Environment and Energy
7 April 2017

Subject to the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*, a person or persons whose interests are affected by this decision may, within 28 days, make an application in writing to the Department of the Environment and Energy requesting the reasons for the decision.

An application for independent merits review of the decision may be made to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal on payment of the relevant fee by the applicant within 28 days of receipt of the reasons for the decision, or within 28 days of this notice if the reasons for the decision are not sought. Applications should be made to the Principal Registry or the Deputy Registrar, Administrative Appeals Tribunal in your capital city or Territory, as listed under Commonwealth Government Section in the White Pages. For further information, particularly about how to apply for review, visit www.aat.gov.au.

Further information or enquiries relating to the decision should be directed to:

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