



**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 AUH17-013 was granted to Abilities Incorporated, T/A Abilities Group, 91 Hillside Road, Glenfield, Auckland 0627, New Zealand (Telephone: +64 9 444 0611; Facsimile +64 9 444 0677).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) the proposed recipient of the waste is Nyrstar Port Pirie Pty Ltd, Ellen Street, Port Pirie, South Australia (Telephone: 08 8638 1500; Facsimile: 08 8638 1550);
- (ii) the type of waste is glass from cathode-ray tubes (Basel Code A2010);
- (iii) the maximum quantity of the waste that may be exported is 2000 tonnes;
- (iv) the waste is to be contained during export in reinforced cardboard crates ("Gaylord" boxes) or bulk bags, placed inside 20 foot shipping containers;
- (v) the waste is to be transported during export by road to the port of export, 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 Adelaide, South Australia
- (viii) the waste is to undergo a recovery operation at the facility of Nyrstar Port Pirie in Port Pirie, South Australia;
- (ix) 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
- (x) the waste is to undergo recovery operation R4 – Recovery/reclamation of metals and metal compounds.

The permit period is from the date below and expires three calendar years from this date. All transboundary movements must be completed by the permit expiry date.

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
5 June 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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