



Australian Government

Department of the Environment and Energy

**NOTICE OF DECISION TO GRANT PERMITS 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 transit permit AUH17-014 was granted to Metalman New Zealand Limited, 1 Rangī Road, Takanini, Auckland 2105, New Zealand (Telephone: +64 9 274 4567; Facsimile: +64 9 274 8567).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) the type of waste is used lead acid batteries (Basel Code A1160);
- (ii) the maximum quantity of the waste that may be transported is 6000 tonnes;
- (iii) the waste is to be contained during transit strapped to wooden pallets in layers separated by hardboard, wrapped in plastic wrap, and placed in lined shipping containers. Damaged batteries are to be placed in plastic containers or drums, then placed in lined shipping containers;
- (iv) the carrier transporting the waste is COSCO New Zealand, Level 2, COSCO House, 9 Nelson Street, Auckland, New Zealand (Telephone: +64 9 302 7393; Facsimile: +64 9 357 0744);
- (v) the waste may only be brought into and taken out of Australia during the permit period; and
- (vi) the waste is to be brought into and taken out of Australia at the Port of Brisbane, Australia.

The permit period is from 1 August 2017 to 31 July 2018. 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  
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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](http://www.aat.gov.au).

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

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