



**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 AUH18-003 was granted to Sims E-Recycling Pty Ltd (ACN 114 176 493), 82 Marple Avenue, Villawood, NSW, 2163 (Telephone + 61 2 8708 2013; Facsimile (+61 2 9755 7871).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) the proposed exporter of the waste is Sims E-Recycling (NZ) Limited (Telephone: +64 9 275 1501; Facsimile: + 64 9 275 1502);
- (ii) the type of waste is waste electronic equipment not including batteries, accumulators, CRT glass or mercury switches (Basel Code A1180);
- (iii) the maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 1200 tonnes in up to 60 shipments;
- (iv) the waste is to be contained during import by loading into bulk bags, onto pallets and wrapping in shrink wrap, or placed loose into sealed shipping containers;
- (v) the waste is to be transported during import 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 to the Port of Sydney, Australia;
- (viii) the waste may transit the port of Melbourne, Australia;
- (ix) all of the waste is to undergo a recovery operation at the facility of Sims E-Recycling Pty Ltd, 82 Marple Avenue, Villawood, NSW, 2163;
- (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 R13 – Accumulation of material.

The permit period is from the date below until the permit expiry date of 30 April 2019. 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 Management Branch
Department of the Environment and Energy
18 April 2018

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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