



Australian Government

Department of the Environment and Energy

**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 AUH18-021 was granted to Certified Destruction Services T/A CDS Recycling (ACN 146 007 490), 1359 Kingsford Smith Drive, Pinkenba, Queensland, 4009 (Telephone: +61 7 3260 2596; Facsimile: +61 7 3268 3891).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) the exporter of the waste is Recycal Sarl, 6 Rue Georgette Mourin, Zi De Normandie, Noumea, New Caledonia (Telephone +687790669; Facsimile +687439693);
- (ii) the type of the waste is waste electrical and electronic equipment (Basel Code A1180);
- (iii) the maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 500 tonnes;
- (iv) the waste is to be loosely packed in a sealed shipping container during import with any lithium batteries to remain within laptops, or taped over to prevent short circuiting during transit;
- (v) the waste is to be transported 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 Noumea to Australia, via the ports of Melbourne and Sydney before unloading at the Port of Brisbane, Australia;
- (viii) the waste is to only transit Auckland and Tauranga in New Zealand;
- (ix) the waste is to undergo a recovery operation at Certified Destruction Services Pty Ltd trading as CDS Recycling (ACN 146 007 490), 1359 Kingsford Smith Drive, Pinkenba, Queensland, 4008;
- (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;
- (xi) the waste is to undergo recovery operation R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any other recovery operation; and
- (xii) a financial guarantee of at least AUD \$10,000 is to be in place from the date below until 30 June 2020.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

Ed Cram
Delegate of the Minister
A/g Assistant Secretary
Chemicals Management Branch
Department of the Environment and Energy
20 December 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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