



Australian Government

Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION RECEIVED 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 application AUH21-014 has been received from TWM PNG Ltd (Papua New Guinea Investment Promotion Authority Registration Number: 1-80483), PO Box 473, Waigani, National Capital District 131, Papua New Guinea (Telephone: +675 320 3242).

The application relates to the import of up to 2,000,000 L of waste oils unfit for their originally intended purpose, including lubricating and hydraulic oils from the maintenance of plant and equipment (Basel Code A3020), from Papua New Guinea for disposal operations: D9 – Physico chemical treatment not specified elsewhere in Annex IV of the Basel Convention which results in final compounds or mixtures which are discarded by means of any of the operations in Section A of Annex IV, followed by D5 – Specially engineered landfill; and recovery operations: R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any operation in Section B of Annex IV, followed by R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy. The operations are proposed to be undertaken at the following Australian facilities located in Queensland: Cleanaway Operations Ltd, Narangba (D9 and R13); Cement Australia Pty Ltd, Gladstone (R1); and Remondis Australia Pty Ltd, Swanbank (D5).

Written comments on the permit application may be lodged with the Department within 28 days of publication of this notice. Comments should be addressed to the Director, Hazardous Waste Section, Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment, GPO Box 858, CANBERRA ACT 2601, or forwarded by email to hwa@awe.gov.au. Respondents should be aware that comments will be shared with the applicant and should not contain commercial-in-confidence information.

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