



**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 Waigani import permit AUH21-014 was granted to 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; Facsimile: +675 320 2688).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) The proposed recipient of the waste is Cleanaway Operations Ltd, trading as Nationwide Oil Pty Ltd, 26-32 Potassium Street, Narangba, Queensland (Telephone: +61 07 3293 5555, Facsimile: +61 07 3204 0816).
- (ii) The type of waste to be imported is waste oils unfit for their original intended purpose including lubricating and hydraulic oils from the maintenance of plant and equipment (Basel Code A3020).
- (iii) The maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 2,000,000 litres (L).
- (iv) The waste is to be contained during import in ISO Tank Containers (ISOtainers), 1000L intermediate bulk containers (1000L IBCs), and shrink wrapped 205L drums strapped to heat treated timber pallets. Where smaller packages are contained within outer drums, an absorbent inert material will be used to fill the void spaces and ensure cushioning distances are maintained.
- (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 Moresby or the Port of Lihir or the Port of Lae in Papua New Guinea.
- (viii) The waste may only transit the following ports and countries: Port of Honiara and Port of Noro, Solomon Islands, en route to the Port of Brisbane, Australia. No other transit ports are permitted.
- (ix) The waste is to undergo the following disposal and recovery operations in Queensland, Australia:
 - i. D9 – Physico chemical treatment not specified elsewhere in Annex IV of the Basel Convention; followed by
 - ii. D5 – Specially engineered landfill (e.g. placement into lined discrete cells which are capped and isolated from one another and the environment, etc.);
 - iii. R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any operation in Annex IV, Section B of the Basel Convention; followed by
 - iv. R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy.
- (x) The waste is to undergo the disposal and recovery operations at the following facilities:
 - i. D9 and R13 – at Cleanaway Operations Ltd in Narangba, Queensland;
 - ii. D5 – at Remondis Australia Pty Ltd in Swanbank, Queensland;

- iii. R1 – at Cement Australia (Queensland) Pty Ltd trading as Geocycle Gladstone, in Gladstone, Queensland.

The permit period is from the date below until the last departure date of 28 May 2022. All shipments must leave the port of export before or on the last departure date.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

Chloe Bird
Assistant Secretary
Delegate of the Minister
Waste Regulation and Stewardship Branch
Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment
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