



Australian Government

Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment

**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 export permit AUH21-026 was granted to FTR Operations Pty Ltd (ACN 634 958 179), 8-10 Winchester Road, Bibra Lake, Western Australia 6163 (Telephone: 0407 027 314).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) The proposed recipient of the waste is Korea Zinc Co., Ltd, 139, Ijin-ro, Onsan-eup, Ulju-gun, 689-896, Ulsan, Republic of Korea (Telephone: +82 2 519 3664).
- (ii) The type of waste is lead and lead compounds, comprising lead sulphate, lead oxide and lead metal alloys, specifically lead grid and paste (Basel Codes A1010 and A1020).
- (iii) The maximum quantity of the waste that may be exported is 10,000 tonnes.
- (iv) The waste is to be contained during export in plastic lined Flexible Intermediate Bulk Containers (FIBCs) with each FIBC to weigh approximately 1.9 to 2.2 tonnes. The FIBCs are to be loaded into standard 20 foot fully sealed shipping containers, with a maximum weight of 22,000 kilograms.
- (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 exported during the permit period.
- (vii) The waste is to be exported to the Port of Busan, Republic of Korea.
- (viii) The waste may only transit the Port of Melbourne, Australia (transshipment). No other transit ports are permitted.
- (ix) The waste is to undergo a recovery operation at the Korea Zinc Co., Ltd facility in Ulsan, Republic of Korea.
- (x) The waste is to undergo recovery operation R4 – Recycling/reclamation of metals and metal compounds.

The permit period is from the date below until the last departure date of 30 November 2022. All shipments must leave the last Australian port before or on the last departure date.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

Chloë Bird
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