



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 import permit AUH22-008 was granted to Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd (ACN 072 838 209), 92 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria 3175 (Telephone: 03 8792 5422).

The particulars of the permit are as follows:

- (i) The proposed recipient of the waste is Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd, 92 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria 3175 (Telephone: 03 8792 5422).
- (ii) The type of waste is mixed pesticides (Basel Code A4030).
- (iii) The maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 300 tonnes.
- (iv) The waste is to be contained during export in 200 litre metal drums with closed tops and loaded into shipping containers.
- (v) The waste is to be transported by sea to the Port of Melbourne, Australia, 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 Auckland, New Zealand.
- (viii) The waste may only transit the following ports and countries: Lyttelton, Wellington, Nelson and Tauranga, New Zealand; and Port Botany (Sydney), Australia. No other transit ports are permitted.
- (ix) The waste is to undergo recovery operations at the Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd facility in Dandenong South, Victoria, and the Cement Australia facility in Railton, Tasmania.
- (x) The waste is to undergo the following recovery operations: R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any operation in Section B, Annex IV of the Basel Convention (Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd); and R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy (Cement Australia).

The permit period is from the date below until the last departure date of 31 March 2023. All shipments must leave the port of export before or on the last departure date.

The permit includes and is subject to conditions.

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