



**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 AUH24-027 was granted to Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd (ACN 072 838 209), 92 Ordish Road, Dandenong South, Victoria 3175 (Telephone: 0411 209 629).

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, VIC 3175 (Telephone: 0411 209 629).
- (ii) The type of waste is mixed pesticide waste (Basel code A4030).
- (iii) The maximum quantity of the waste that may be imported is 150 tonnes.
- (iv) The waste is to be contained during import in 200 litre metal drums with closed tops and loaded into shipping containers.
- (v) The waste is to be transported by road to the port of export, shipped by sea, and then, within Australia, by road to the recovery facilities.
- (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, to the Port of Melbourne, Australia.
- (viii) The waste may only transit the following ports and countries: the ports of Tauranga, Napier, Lyttleton, Nelson and Chalmers, New Zealand; and Australian ports (as required). No other transit ports are permitted. There will be no transshipment.
- (ix) The waste is to undergo the following recovery operations in Australia:
 - a. R13 – Accumulation of material intended for any operation in Section B, Annex IV of the Basel Convention
 - b. R1 – Use as a fuel (other than in direct incineration) or other means to generate energy.
- (x) The waste is to undergo the above listed recovery operations at the following Australian facilities:
 - a. Geocycle SBF Pty Ltd, Dandenong South, VIC (R13)
 - b. Cement Australia, Railton, TAS (R1).

The permit period is from the date below until the last departure date of 14 November 2025. 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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